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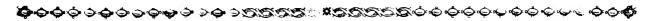
JOURNAL

OF THE

SENATE

OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

AT THE ANNUAL SESSION IN NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER, 1808.



Monday, Nov. 7, 1808.

AT an annual session of the Gener al Assembly of the State of Georgia, be gun and held at the State House in the town of Milledgeville, on the first Monday, being the 7th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight, and in the thirty third year of the Independence of the United States of America: Present the follow ing members elect; who produced their several credentials, and the oath, agree ably to the constitution of this State and that of the United States, being administered by John M. Devereaux, Esq. a Justice of the Inferior Court of Baldwin county to them respectively, took their seats; viz:

From the county of Morgan, the Honorable William Brown.

From the county of Wilkinson, the Henorable John Ball.

From the county of Glyun, the Hon.
John Burnett

From the county of Columbia, the Hon. Thomas Carr.

From the county of Randolph the Hon Joseph Carter.

From the county of Chatham, the Hon. Francis Courvoisie.

From the county of Washington, the hon. John E. Dawson.

From the county of Burke, the hon. John Davies.

From the county of Tattnall, the hon, Jesse Embre.

From the county of Warren, the hon. Shadrach Fluellen.

From the county of Richmond, the hon. Thomas Flournoy.

> From the county of Clarke, the hon-Davis Gresham.

From the county of Jackson, the hon. pamuel Henderson.

From the county of Camden, the hon John Hardie.

From the county of Laurens, the hon. chair and took his seat. Edmund Hogan.

From the county of Walton, the hon.

Sterling Hightower.

From the county of Jefferson, the hon Abner Hammond.

> From the county of Elbert, the hon. Patrick Jack.

From the county of Putnam, the hon. William D Lane.

From the county of Franklin, the hon. Sampson Laue.

From the county of Hancock, the hon. Henry Mitchell.

From the county of Montgomery, the hon. P trick M'Griff

From the county of Oglethorpe, the hon. George Moore.

From the county of Wayne, the hon.

Allen B. Powell.

Jesse MKinne Pope.

From the county of Greene, the hon.

Ezekiel E. Park. John Rawles.

From the county of Liberty, the hon. Daniel newart.

From the county of Effingham, the hon. Jesse Scruggs.

From the county of M'Intosh, the hon. Thomas Spalding.

> From the county of Baldwin, the hon. P jamin Taliaferro, jun

\ From the county of Wilkes, the hon. Matthew Talbott.

From the county of Lincoln, the hon. Robert Walton.

"On motion of Mr. Spalding,

county of Liberty, was nominated to the respectively, took their seats.

The Senate then proceeded by ballot to the choice of their President, and on counting out the votes it appeared that the hon. Henry Mitchell was duly elected; who was conducted to the chair.

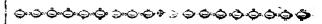
They also proceeded to the choice of Secretary, and on counting out the votes it appeared that William Robertson, was unanimously elected.

Also, to the choice of Door Keeper and Messenger, and on counting out the votes it appeared that Alexander Greene, was elected Door Keeper and Henry Williams, Messenger.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt their clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate, that they have formed a quorum I From the county of Jones, the hon. and are ready to proceed to business, having appointed the hon. Benjamin Whitaker, their Speaker, and Hines Holt their And he withdrew.

> The Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock to-more row morning



Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1808.

. The hon. Clement Lanier, a member elect from the county of Scriven; and the hon. Thomas Watts, a member elect from the county of Telfair, attended, produced their credentials, and the oath agreeably to the constitution of this state, and to support the constitution of the U. the hos Danel Suwart, from the nited states, being administered to them

On motion of Mr. Hammond, Resource that the senate be governed by the rules of the last session.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clark:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have appointed a committee of their part consisting of Messrs. Flutchinson Williams and Bryan, to join such committee as may be appointed by Senate, to wait on his Excellency the Governor, and inform him that the Legislature is now convened, and ready to proceed to business—and he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, which was read and agreed to, and added Messrs. Spaiding and Falbot a committee on their part.

A petition was received from Little Berry Bostick, Esq. on the subject of the election of the hon. Abner Hammond, of lefferson county; which being read, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Embre presented a petition from Wilson Conner, Esq Fax Collector of Tartnall county, with sundry affidavits accompanying the same; which being read, was ordered to lie on the table.

A message from his Excellency the Evernor, by Mr. Bozoman, his Secretary:

Mr. President—I am directed by his Excellency the Governor, to lay before this branch of the Legislature his communication, with the documents accommanying the same—and he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, and the communication is as f llows, viz:

Fellow-citizens of the renaie, and of the trouse of Representatives,

Five months only rave elapsed since the Legislature was in session, during that short period nothing materially affecting or changing the interest and policy of the state has occurred. I shall therefore proceed to lay before you a statement of the events, with which by the constitution, it becomes my duty to make you a quainted.

Shortly after the adjournment of the Legislature in December last, I wrote the Governor of North Carolina, and inclesed him copies of the resolutions passed at that session relative to the northern boundary of this state but did not receive any answer till after the adjournment of the extra session in May last, The commissioners appointed on the part of this state to attend to that business have not as yet proceeded to the duties, of their appointments, in consequence believe of the request made by the Governor of North-Carolina in a letter to myself, that it should be deferred till after the meeting of the next General Assemhly of that state; a copy of which, together with copies of my letter to him on this subject you will had marked No. 1,

At the last Superior Court held in the county of Hancock, a man by the name of Osborne Randle was condicted of murder, and was sentenced to be hung on the 16th of September last, but in consequence of applications in his favor I was induced to suspend the execution of the sentence until Friday the 9th day

of December next; and have thereby afforded you an opp atually of exercising towards him that clemency, which by the constitution, no other branch of the The documents government can extend. on which I granted the suspension you will find marked No. 2.

In packet No. 3, you will find copies of resolutions of the General Assemblies of the states of Virginia & Vermont, preposing amendments to the constitution of the United States, which if concurred in by two thirds of the Legislatures of the respective states, may become a part of the federal constitution.

Agreeably to a concurred and ap proved resolution, passed at the extra session of the Legislature in May last, I directed David M'Cord, Esq on the 20th of June to proceed to re-survey the fractional surveys on the Ocmulgee river, in the seventh district of Baldwin county, and to ascertain the quantity of surples land therein; and on the 14th of September he reported to me his proceedings, by which it appears that there is 1895 acres, one rood and 36 poles of land more in the said fractions than was repre senied by the surveyor of that district; it remains with you to say how the same s all be dispose of, and to make Mr. M. Cord such compensation as you may think his labor and exertions entitle him to, as I have only made him advances sufficient to enable him to prosecute his enquiries with as much ease and comfort to himself as the nature of the undertaking would admit marked No. 4

In the year 1806, there was a law passed imposing a tax on the capital of the branch bank of the United States in the city of Savannah; at the proper time for collecting the same, the Collector for the county of Chatham discrained for it, and the President and Directors of the Bank paid the money, and then instituted an action against the officers who levied the warrant for a trespass;—The defendance plead to the jurisdiction of the court, and sustained the plea; but the plaintiffs obtained a writ of error and have taken the proceedings to the supreme court of the United states. I deemed it advisable : employ counsel to defend the rights of the State in that court; and wrote to Philip B. Key and Walter Jones, Esquires, in the city of Washington, to attend to the suit.—For your further information in this case, I have sent you a copy of the decision of the court, which will be found marked

Under the authority of the law pass ed at the last annual session of the legislature, providing for the arming of the millitia, I dispatched William Robertson, Esq. with a letter to our Senators in Congress, constituting them agents on the part of of the state to contract for the arms. &c. mentioned in the aforesaid law, and directed him to await their instructions and to be ready at all times to execute any orders which he might receive from them in relation to that business. their closing the contract with the United States, they sent Mr. Robertson in the Arsenal at Philadelphia, where 4000 stand of - A copy of his report you will find of the arms and 4000 carre uch boxes were to be received, and by his great industry.

the armyed at Savannah with them, clear of lesurance, about the 20th of May last I still kept him in service in getting them shipped from that place to Augusta, and in attending to the waggoning them from thence to the Arsenal in Louisville, where they are now safely deposited, except 150 which I have had brought to this place. One thousand stand yet remain to be receive od, which will be delivered on application to the United States' agent at the Magazine in the city of Savannah. In justice to Mr. $R\sim$ by son I must say, that he deserves great edictor his exercions in carrying into effect the instructions which I gave him, the wisi. s of myself & the wishes and intention of the legislature in this regard, and must resommend to you to make him a liberal compensation for his services, as I have made him no advances except a sufficiency to defray expenses. A copy of his report to me you will find marked No. 6.

The warrants drawn on the Treasur er during the political year 1308, amount in the aggregate as you will perceive by the statement herewith presented and marked No 7, to the sum of sixty two thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine dollars thirty five and three quarter cents. Out of the fifteen thousand dollars appropriated to me as a confingent fund, I have drawn the sum of eleven thousand four hundred and twenty-six dollars, fife thuge and one quarter cents. The sums drawn for on this fund in compliance with concurred and approved resolutions! the logislature, and the expenses attending were read—and,

perseverence and attention to the business, the bringing of the arms from Philadek phia, have contributed very considerably in making this amount.

> I have lately received a Map of the State of Virginia, which was sent as a present by the legislature of that state to the legislature of Georgia, and is now in the executive office, to be disposed of as you may direct.

> A list of executive appointments made under the 9th section of the 2d article of he constitution and subject to legislatives interference you will find marked No. 8.

To you gentlemen is confided the sigh trust of selecting the Electors of Preident and Vice President of the United itates for four years, to commence on the 4th day of March next.—Through the public prints we have been made acquainted with the candidates for those important offices, and I entertain not a doubt taking into view the talents, integrity and pure republican principles of Mr. Madison, and the uniform and estimable character of Mr. Clinton, but, that your choice of Electors will be such as to ensure them from this state an unanimous vote.

That you may enjoy health while at the seat of government, attending to your public duties, is the sincere wish of your sellow citizen,

JARED IRWIN State House, Milledgeville.? 7th November, 1808.

Whereupon the communication to of the last annual and extra session of rether with the accompanying documents. Ordered. That documents No. 1 & 3, be referred to the committee on the state of the republic Document No. 2, be referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs Spalding, Stewart, Park, Gresham, Jack, Flueller and I aliaferro Document No. 5, 6 & 7, be referred to the committee on finance. Document No. 4, referred to a special committee, consisting Messrs Burnett, Embre & Rawles.—And Document No. 8, ordered to lie on the table.

On motion.

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Resolved, That Messrs. Lane (of Putnam) Scruggs. Lanier, Burnett and Hardie, be a committee on privileges and elections, and that a copy of the returns of the general election be furnished them.

Resolved, That Messrs. Davies, Spalding, Park, Dawson and Henderson, be a committee on the part of Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to compose a committee on the state of the republic.

Resolved, That Messrs. Carr, Flourney. Moore, Courvoisie and Jack, be a committee on the part of Senate to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives to compose a committee on finance.

A petition was received from Joel M'Clendon, on the subject of the election of Jones county which was read and referred to the committee on privileges and elections.

On motion.

Resolved, That Messrs. Embre, Hamemond, Walton, Hogan and Carter, be accommittee on petitions.

Mr. Scruggs presented a petition from Matthew Rhan, which was read and referred to the committee on finance.

The petition of Wilson Conner, F. q. Tax Collector of Latinall county, was taken up and referred to the committee on pertitions.

Mr. Courvoisie presented a petition from the members of the Union Society of the city of Savannah, which was read and ordered to be referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Courvoisics Lanier and M'Griff, be that committee.

On motion,

Resolved, That Messrs. Park, Hamemond and Talbot, be a committee to contract for the printing the Journal of Senate, and that they be printed daily, and that each member be furnished with a copy.

On metion of Mr. Flournoy,

Resolved, That the door keeper and messenger arrange the tables and seats nearly as may be in a circular manner, in front of the tribunal, and procure as many chairs for the members as they conveniently can.

Mr. Stewart presented a petition from Hipworth Carter, which was read and resterred to the committee or petition.

The Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock to-many

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The petition of Little Berry Bostick, Esq laid on the table yesterday, on the subject of the election of J. fferson county, Was taken up, read and ordered to be referred to the committee on privileges and elections.

Mr. Lanier notified the Senate, that he Will on to-morrow move for leave to report a bill, to be entitled an act to alter and change the name of Eliza Moriah Dixon, to that of Eliza Moriah Hughes.

Mr. Embre presented a petition from e number of the inhabitants of Liberty county, which was read and ordered to be referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Stewart, Embre and Spalding.

Mr. Powell presented a petition from a number of inhabitants of Wayne county, which was read and ordered to be referred to a special committee consisting of Messrs. Powell, Hardie and Burnett.

Mr. Spalding presented a petition from Laban Beckcom, which was read and referred to the committee on Finance.

Mr. Powell notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for leave to introduce a bill to be entitled an act to repeal 'an act to compel the clerks to keep their offices at the Court Houses or within one mile thereof,' so far as the same tion of Dennis L. Ryan ——And, respects the counties of Wayne and Lattnall.

Mr. Carr presented a netition from the commissioners of the Commbre Academy, which was read and ordered to be referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Carr, Flournoy and Fleueilen, and that they report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Lane (of Putnam from the committee on privileges and elections reported in part, which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Park from the committee to contract with a printer to print the journal of Senate, reported to wit:

The committee to whom was confided the duty of contracting with a printer to print the journal of Senate, beg leave to submit to Senate the following propositions, made to them by the Printers, to wit:

"I will furnish 150 copies of the journals of the Senate daily at ten cents per A. M'MILLAN.

" Nov. 9, 1208."

Milledgeville, Nov. 9, 1808.

"The undersigned is willing to undertake the printing of the journal of Senate of the present session, at and after the rate of one cent per page of the usual journal size, provided the number required is not less than 150 copies, and deliver them daily, or as nearly so as the rules of Senate will admit.

> " I am your humble servant; D. L. RYAN."

Whereupon—

The Senate closed with the proposis On motion of sir. Hammond,

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daily their journa a

Resolved, I hat the said Ryan do give bond with such security as may be approved of to his Excellency the Governor, in the sum of five hundred dollars, and that the secretary be required to furnish copies of the journal for the performance of that duty.

Mr. Spalding notifies the Senate, that he will on to morrow move for leave to bring in the following bills, to wit:

A bill to authorize the Justices of the Inferior Court of M'Intesh county, to appropriate a certain portion of the county tax to the discharge of the debts contract. ed for the support of the poor—and,

A bill to admit Murdock wi'Cleod, and others, to plead and practice as an attorney in the several courts of law and e-

quity in this state.

Mr. Lanier presented a petition from Timothy B. Humphreville, which was read and referred to a special committee, con sisting of Messrs. Lanier, Courvoisie and Walton.

Mr. Jack notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for a committee to be appointed, to prepare and report a bill to alter and amend the 2d section of the 4th article of the constitution, so far as respects elections by the Gen-ral Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved, That a committee be apappointed b. the House of Representacives, to prepare and report a bill to estab. I tee.

the proposals of D. L. Ryan for printing lish a fund for the redemption of the public debt of this state, and to fix a value on the different species of out-standing evidences of debt agreeably to merit.

> Ordered, That Messrs. Hammond Park, Pope, Jack and Moore, be the com-

mittee on part of Senate.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Kepresentatives have concurred in the resolution appointing a committee on finance and have appointed a committee on their part—also, in the resolution appointing a committee on the state of the republic, and joined a committee on their part—and they have passed a resolution appointing managers to conduct the impeachment of Abadiah Echols. Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, commissioners of fractional surveys. And he withdrew.

On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to prepare and report rules of proceeding, to be observed on the trial of the impending impeachment of Echols. Simms and Flourney, and to make the necessary arrangement and preparation in the Senate Chamber for the same:

Whereupon—

Ordered, That Messrs. Flournoy. Spalding, Carr, Talbott and Burnett, be that committee.

Mr. Jack presented a petition from J. pointed to join such committee as may be | F Nunnellee & Walton Nunnellee, which was read and referred to a special commitsham and Ball, be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved, That Thomas Fulton, be, and he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Jefferson, in lieu of Josiah M. Steritt, resigned.

the petition of Timothy Butler Humphreville, reported, that they recommend the following resolution:

Resolved, That the said Timothy Butler Humphreville, be, and he is here by appointed Inspector of Lumber for the city and harbor of Savannah.

On motion of Mr Carr,

Resolved, That a committee be ap pointed on the part of Senate, to join any committee on the part of the House of Re presentatives, to confer and agree on what laws of a public nature are necessa ry to be passed at the present session, and in which house the same shall originate.

Ordered, That Messrs. Carr, Scruggs, Stewart, Hammond and Moore, be the committee on part of Senate.

Mr. Scruggs presented a petition from Benjamin Kennedy, which being read, was referred to the committee on petitions.

The Senate adjourned till 19 o'clock to-morsow morning.

Thursday, Nov. 10, 1808.

Ordered, That Messrs, Jack, Gre-, prepare and report rules for the government of Senate, on the trial of the impending impeachment against Obadiah Echols, Reddick Sin ms & Francis Flournoy, reported as follows, to wit:

RULES

Mr. Lanier, from the committee on To be observed in the trial of the Impeachment of Echols, Simms and Flourney-

Before any proceedings shall take place in said impeachment, the Senate shall adjourn, or postpone legislative The secretary shall then administer the following oath to the presi-

You do solemnly swear (or affirm) that in all things touching or appertaining to the trial of the impeachment of Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, you will do impartial justice. without favor or prejudice, according to the constitution and laws of the state-| So help you God.

The President shall then administer the same oath to each of the Senators.

Third. As soon as the legislative business is postponed, for the purpose of proceeding with the trial, the president shall take the seat provided for him, and call to order. The Senators shall then take their seats on his right and left.

Fourth. Whenever the court is organized and ready to proceed, the secretary shall inform the house of representatives, when directed by the president so to : do, that the Senate is ready to proceed upon the impeachment of Echols, Simms and Mr. Flourney from the committee to Flourney; and on giving notice the first

time shall add: and have prepared seats Representatives, the managers, the state's counsel and the counsel of the respondents, within the bar of the Senate.

The parties accused shall not appear within the bar of the Senate, but may have seats without the bar near their counsel.

When all parties are ready to proceed with the trial, the leading man ager on the part of the House of Repre sentatives shall open the prosecution, and examine the testimony. And after notice is given that the party introducing a win ness is done with him, the cross examina tion may take place on the other side in the usual way: provided that there shall not be more than one examining counsel on the part of the accused to every witness.

Seventh. All motions shall be made to the president, and if he, or any mem ber of the court shall require it, shall be reduced to writing, and read by the secre tary; and all decisions shall be had by ayes and nocs, without debate.

The oath alministered to Eighth. the witnesses shall be as follows: "You do solemnly swear (or affirm) that the evidence you shall give, in the case now depending between the state of Ceorgia & Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flo (rnoy, for high crimes and misdemeanors, shall be the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, so help you God." Which oath shall be administered by the secretary.

Ninth. If any Senator shall be call: for the accommodation of the House of ed as a witness, he shall be sworn, and give testimony standing in his place.

> Tenth. At all times during the trial, silence shall be enjoined on the part of And when a majority of the spectators. court shall think proper, all persons shall retire from the Chamber, Lobby and Gallery.

> The President shall have Eleventh. the right, and it shall be his duty, at all times when application shall be made to him for that purpose, to grant subpeenas to witnesses for or against the parties accused, in the following words, viz:

> I'he Honorable the House of Representatives of the 5) IMPEACH-State of Georgia, MENT. vs. O. Echols, R. Simms and F. Flournoy. T_0

GREETING : You are hereby commanded, that laying all other business aside, you be and appear before the Honorable the High Court of Impeachment, at the seat of Government, on the day of and there the truth to say, in the above case, as a witness in behalf of the state or the defendants, as the case may be Herein fail not on the penalty of one thous and dollars.

WITNESS, The Honorable HENRY MITCHELL, President of the Senate. the 1808. day of

> Twelfth. When the arguments are.

closed on all sides, the President shall; put his question, are you now ready to decide on the several articles of Impeachmeat? If the majority should reply no, the ourt shall adjourn till the next day. If a majority should reply year, the President shall direct the Secretary to read the first article, and then call on each member by name, and propose the tollowing question, viz:

Mr. — how say you, are the respondents Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, guilty or not guilty of a high crime, or misdemeanor, as charged in this article of impeachment.

Whereupon each member shall rise in his place, and say, "guilty" or "not guilty."

And the same proceedings shall take thereof. place on each and all the articles.

Thirteenth. Any thing not provided for in the foregoing rules, may at any stage of the proceedings, be altered, added to or amended as a majority may think fit, so that the same is not done, or attempted, whilst the managers of the House of Representatives and the counsel of the accused are present, and acting in their official capacity.

The Senate took up the report by paragraphs, which were read and agreed

2roduced a bill to alter and change the in the Senate of the State of Georgia. \$5 name of Eliza Moriah Dixon to that of represented therein from the county of Eliza 'Ioriah Hughes, which was receiv-; Iofferson, as far as appears from any eve ed and read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Scruggs,

Resolved, That William Bird and George Nowling, Esquires, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners of the Effingham Academy.

Mr. Hardie presented a petition from the commissioners of the landen county road, which was read and referred : a special committee. consisting of Messie. Hardie, Brown and Powell.

On motion of Mr. Spalding,

Resolved, That the committee to whom was referred the document N > 2. relative to the proceeding against Osborn Randle, be considered as a joint committee on the part of Senate, and that the House of Representatives be informed

Mr. Embre from the committee on petitions, reported on the petition of Willson Conner and Hepworth Carter, which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Lane (of Putnam) from the committee on privileges and elections, reported to wit:

The committee on privileges and elections, to whom was referred the memorial of Little Berry Bostick, and accompanying documents respecting the election of Abner Hammond, as Senator to represent the county of Jefferson,

Report, That the said Abner Ham-Mr. Lanier agreeably to notice, in- mond is constitutionally entitled to a seas dence adduced before this committees

the table.

On motion of Mr. Embre,

Resolved, That Clement Briant, be, and he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Inferior Court of Tattnall county, in the room of James Perry, resigned.

On motion of Mr. Scruggs,

Resolved, That John Goldwire, Esq. be, and he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Inferior Court in the place of John King, Esq. deceased, and Robert Berton, Esq. a Justice of the Inferior Court in the place of Mathew Rahn, esq. resigned, for the county of Effingham.

Mr. Powell agreeably to notice. introduced a bill to repeal " an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at the Court Houses in the respective counties or within one mile thereof," so far as respects the counties of Wayne and Tattnall—which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Hogan presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Laurens county, which was read and referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hogan, Ball, M'Griff, Dawson and Embre, be that commutee.

Mr. Park notifies the Senate, that he will on to morrow move for a committee on the part of Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to prepare and report a The judiciary law now of force in this State, and referred to a special committee.

Which was read and ordered to lie on | and to render more easy the practice and proceedings in the Superior and Interior Courts.

> Mr. Hardie presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Camden county, which was read and referred to the committee on the state of the republica

> Mr. Brown presented a petition from Cornelius Murphy, Tax Collector of Morgan county, which was read and referred to a select committee.

> Ordered, That Messrs Brown, Walton and Powell, be that committee.

> Mr. Henderson presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Jackson county, which was read and referred to a select committee.

> Ordered, That Messrs. Henderson Lane of Franklin, and Gresham, be that committee.

> Mr. Jack, agreeably to notice, moved for a committee to be appointed to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled an act to alter and amend the 2d section of the 4th article of the constitution, so far as respects elections by the General Assembly.

> Ordered, I hat Messrs. Jack, Talbox and Carr, be that committee.

> Mr. Powell agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to be entitled an act to add part of Camden county to the county of Wayne; which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Stewart presented a petition bill to be entitled an act supplemental to from Thomas Bradwell, which was read Hammond and Jack, be that committee.

Mr. Courvoisie agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to be entitled an act to vest in the Union Society of the city of Savannah, the moiety of the real estate of Justus H. Scheuber devised to them by the said J. H. Scheuber, in his last wifiwhich was received and read the first time.

A message from the House of Reprerentatives, by vir. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—1 he House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing John Ross a Justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Camden. resolution appointing Archibald S. Bulloch and Jeremiah Cuyler, Esquires, Notaries Public for the county of Chatham. A resolution appointing Griffin L. Lamkin a Notary Public for the county of Chat ham. A resolution appointing William Junham, Vendue Master for the town A resolution confirming the executive appointment of John P. William. of Chatham county. A resolution ap House of Representatives, on enrolled bills. | cept Mr. Courvoisie who was absent. resolution appointing a committee on the part of the House of Representatives, on so much of his Lucel respects the resolutions from the legis

Ordered, That Messrs. Stewart, accompanying the Governor's communication cation. And he withdrew.

> The Senate took up the message, and concurred in the said resolutions, and appointed a committee on their part on the resolution appointing a committee on enrolled bills, consisting of Messrs. Stewart, Morre and Lane (of Putnam.)

> Ordered, That the committee already appointed by the Senate, be added to the resolution appointing a joint committee on document No. 2, which accompanied the Governor's communication.

> Also—Ordered, That their committee on the state of the republic, together with Messrs. Spalding, Hammond, M'Griff and Walton be joined to the committee on the Virginia and Vermoria resolutions.

The Senate then postponed legislattive proceedings, and the president having taken the seat prepared for him, the secretary administered to him the oath prescribed in the rules to govern their proceedings in the impeachment against son, Esq. a Justice of the Inferior Court Chadiah Echols, Reddick Simms at d Francis Flournoy; and the president in pointing a committee on the part of the turn administered it to each member, ex-

The High Court of Impeachment being opened by proclamation, Obschalt lency the Governor's communication as Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, were severally solemuly called, and Astrares of Virginia and Vermont. And a the two first answered, and appeared at resolution appointing a committee on the the bar of Senate, who were by the Prepart of the House of Representatives, to sident asked if they were ready to prorake into consideration document No. 2, losed. Mr. Flournoy answered that the h

court, and they prayed indulgence.

The President thereupon adjourned the c urt until 12 o'clock to morrrow.

The President returned to the chair, and adjourned the Senate tili to-morrow morni g 10 o'clock.



Friday, Nov. 11, 1808.

On motion of Mr. Carr, to re-consider the minutes of yesterday, so far as respects the referring of the petition of a number of citizens of Camden county praying an amendment to the constitu tion, so far as relates to Justices of the Inferior Court; on the question it was agreed to.

Whereupon—

Resolved, That the journal of yesterday, so far as respects that petition, be re considered, and that the petition be referred to a joint committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hardie, Carr, Gresham, Flournoy and Moore, be that committee.

Mr. Lanier notifies the Senate, that the will on to morrow move for leave to report a bill to be entitled an act to contioue in force an act passed the 25d of May, 1808, entitled "an act to alter and amend an act to dispose of and distribute the late cession of lands obtained from the Creek Nation of Indians, by the United States, in a treaty concluded i

counsel was absent attending Wilkes at the city of Washington, on the 14th day of November, 1805."

> The Senate took up the report of the committee on privileges and elections, on the subject of the election of Walton county; which is in the words following, to wit:

To the honorable the Senate of the STATE OF GEORGIA:

The committee on privileges and elections, beg leave to submit the following circumstances to the consideration of the House, as matter of information, and report in part:

Your committee were induced from a variety of considerations, to entertain serious doubts as to the legality of the election for the county of Walton; and also as to the members elect from that county being constitutionally qualified to occupy a seat in this legislature.

It appears from the examination of sterling Hightower, Esq. (who has furnished this information with a candor that reflects the highest honor upon himself) and other sources also.

- 1. That the election for said county, was held in the county of Franklin, fifty miles distant from the place designated by law for holding the courts of the said: county.
- 2. That the managers of said election were persons formerly commissioned from this state; one of whom resides in the state of South-Carolina, and the others. in Franklin county in this state, and have done so for the three years last past
 - 3. That the reasons for holding the

election in an adjoining county was for are of opinion, that agreeable to the 1st fear of interruption for persons attached section of the 400 article of the consider to the government of North Carolina.

- no part or respect executed in said county; while those of North-Carolina are by | usurpation in operation.
- 5. That no taxes have been paid by its citizens towards the support of this government since the year 1799, as appears by a certificate of G. R. Clayton, E.q. Freasurer; nor can we discover that any officer has ever been appointed, or authorized to demand and receive the same; especially since the complete dis organization of the said county by the violence and outrage of persons attached to the government of North-Carolina, and officers commissioned by that state.
- 6 It appears further, that the citizens of this county pay a tax regularly to the state of North-Carolina, and that it is coerced from that description of them attached to this government.
- 7 In said county it is estimated that there are upwards of two hundred persons entitled to vote for representatives; and agreeable to a certified copy of the returns from the Executive office for this county, there was no more than twenty two votes at the late general election
- 8. It further appears, that the emigrants or refugee citizens late of said county, who exercise the privileges of electing members to this legislature, are in the habit of voting for members from the county of Frankiin, as well as from the county of Walton.

From a consideration of all the cire cumstances of the case, your committee |

tution of this state, a representation in 4. That the laws of this state are in the legislature thereof is inadmissible from persons so circumstanced, and of such a description; and that the seat of Sterling Hightower, Esq benator from the county of Walton, ought to be vacated. All of which is respectfully submitted

> WILLIA I D LANE, Chairman, And on the question to agree to the report, it was determined in the affirma-And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 20, nays 13.

Those who voted in the affirmative

are, Wessrs. Ball, Brown, Burnett, Carter, Curr, Davies, Embre, Flourney, Gresham, Jack,

Lane, of Putnam. Laur, of Frankling Lanier, Pope, Rawles. St. wart, Scruggs, Taliaferro, Talbott and Watts.

Those who voted in the negative

Messrs. Dawson, Fleuellen, Henderson, Hardie, Hogan, Hightower, Hammond,

M'Griff. Moore, Powell, Park, Spalding and Walton.

On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

Whereas the Senator elect from Walton county, having been declared not constitutionally elected—

Resolved, That the Governor be informed thereof, that writs of election may be issued in due time.

On motion of Mr. Lanier,

surer for the sum of seventy five dollars, in favor of Sterling Hightower, for his services in Senate, his coming to and returning from the seat of government.

The following letter was received from the Freasury Department, to wit:

> Treasury Office, Georgia, Milledgeville, 10th Nov. 1808.

Sir.

Herewith I do myself the honor to transmit you an abstract of the Treasury of this State, at the close of the political year 1808; to be laid before the branch of the General Assembly over which you preside.

I am Sir,

With great respect,

Your ob't humble servant,

(Signed) GEO: R. CLAYTON,

Treasurer.

Hon. Henry Mitchell, President of the Senate of the State of Georgia.

Which being read, was, together with the accompanying document, referred to the committee on finance.

A message from the House of Re presentatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, allowing each individual who may be recrimes and misdemeanors, a compensa- tion.

Resolved, That the President be re- ition of two dollars each per day, during equested to give a warrant on the Irea-this or her attendance as a witness, and also the sum of one dollar for every thirty miles they, and each of them may be traveling to and from the scat of government.

> A resolution appointing a committee to join such committee as may be appointed on the part of Senate, to contract with a printer for printing the laws and Journals of the present session.

> A resolution appointing Abraham F. Powell and Reuben King, Lumber Measurers for the town of Darien.

> And a resolution appointing Tuesday next, at 12 o'clock, for each branch of the Legislature to convene in the Representative chamber, and then and there proceed by joint ballot to the choice of Electors to vote for President and Vice-President of the United States. And he withdrew.

> The Senate took up the message, and the resolution for the appointment of Electors was taken up, amended in parta and ordered to lie on the table.

They concurred in the resolution compensating witnesses who may attend the impeachment of Obadiah Echolsa Reddick Simms and Francis Flourney.

Ordered, That the remainder of the message do lie on the table.

The Senate postponed all further quired by subpoena to attend and give legislative proceedings; and the President evidence on behalf of the State against having taken the tribunal seat; and the Ohadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and members their seats; the High Court of Francis Flournoy, impeached of high Impeachment was opened by proclamaOrdered, That the Secretary inform the House of Representatives, That the Senate is ready to proceed upon the impeachment of Echols, Simms and Flournoy, and have prepared seats for the accommodation of the House of Representatives. The Managers and State's Counsel, and the Counsel of the respondents, within the bar of the Senate.

The House of Representatives and their Managers having attended, and being seated, Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, were called and attended at the bar of Senate; and being asked by the President if they were ready for trial, Francis Flournoy answered, that Mr. Dooly was still absent—employed Seaborn Jones, Esq. who was not present, but momently expected—and had also employed Thomas Fits, Esq. who resided in this place—and prayed further andulgence.

Whereupon,

John M. Dooly, Seaborn Jones and Thomas Fits, Esquires, were severally call-13th. Ed, and Mr. Fits, alone answered and took the seat assigned for the counsel of the accused.

Ordered, That the messenger return a list of the witnesses summoned.

On motion of Mr. Carnes, Chairman of the managers,

Ordered, That the managers be furflished with copies of the articles of impeachment, the answer of the defandants, and a list of the names of such witnesses as have been summoned to testify in behalf of the state.

The messenger returned the follow. 15th October.

Ordered, That the Secretary inform | ing list of witnesses on behalf of the House of Representatives, That the state, who had been duly summoned, viz:

BALDWIN COUNTY.

Daniel Wadsworth—left at his house October 18th, 1808.

- Elijah Clarke—executed Oct. 13th.
 Hiram Storrs—executed Oct. 13th.
 John Scott—executed Oct. 18th.
- Thomas Mounger—executed Oct. 14th.

William Watson—executed Oct. 13th.
Thadeus Holt—executed Oct. 13th.
William D. Martin—executed Nov.
6th.

- Zachariah Lamar-executed Oct. 14th.

 Augustin Harris-executed Oct. 13th.

 Joseph Stovall—executed Oct. 14th.

 Abraham Borland—executed Oct.
- Abraham Borland—executed Oct.

John W. Devereux—executed Oct. 14th.

John Mathews—executed Oct. 13th.
Allen Greene—executed Oct. 13th.
Philip Cook, Esq—executed Oct.
13th.

Mr. Goshee-executed Oct. 17ths

PUTNAM COUNTY.

Martin Kendrick—left at his house 16th October.

Hugh Hall—left at his house 16th October.

Barnes Halliday—executed 15th October.

Thomas Napier---left at his house 16th October.

William Freeman executed 15th October.

William Broadnax--left at his house

Leonard Abercrombie—left at his house tom October.

RANDOLPH COUNTY.

Thomas Cargill---executed 20th Octob-r.

William Hammett-left at his house 20th October.

Elijah Cornwall - executed 20th Oc tober.

Jacob Laughtridge---left at his house 20th October.

Matthew Duncan.

Joshua Hagerthy-executed 20th October.

Jesse Evans, sen...left at his house 20 ... October.

HANCOCK COUNTY.

John Bailey—left at his house 28th Septernber.

John C. ffee—left at his house 28th Sep-

David Adams—executed 27th Septem

B lling Hall—executed 28th September. William R. Allen—left at his house 13th October.

CI ARKE COUNTY.

David Cresswell.

Col. Davis Gresham—executed 26th September.

Dr. Thomas Wingfield—left at his house 27th September.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

Jan es Aiston—executed Oct ber 10th.

TATTNALI, COUNTY.

John Hill B. yant-xecut d 11th October.

GREFNE COUNTY

JONES, COUNTY.

Joel Langhari - executivi 18th Offoher. Job Springer—executed 18 October.

RICHMOND COUNTY...

Robert J infon—executed 20th Septem • ber.

Mr. Ar affead, (at the Garrison)—exec cuted 18 h October.

MORGAN COUNTY.

Col. J. Philips—executed 27th Septema ber.

Thomas Loyd—executed toth Nevema ber.

ELBERT COUNTY.

Abner M'Gre-executed 24th Septema

The above executed on the days annexed to their names.

HENRY WILLIAMS, Messenger.

Who were severally called, and the following persons answered, viz:

Daniel Wadsworth, John Scott. Thomas Mounger, William D. Martin. Joseph Stovall, John Mathews, Allen Greene, Thomas Napier, Thomas Cargill, Joshua Hagerthy, John Bailey, Bolling Hall, William R. Allen, Col. Davis Gresham, James Alston, John Hill Bryant, Joel Langham, Job Springer and John W. Devereux.

On motion of Mr. Carnes,

That it be ordered that the several witnesses summoned on the part of the state, who now do, or may hereafter attend, be recognized to attend this honorable court from day to day until discharged.

The epinion of the Court being take Gabriel A. Gui-executed 22d October. ken, it was decided in the negative.

Those who decided in the affirmative,

are. Messes. Brown, Lanier. M'Griff. Burnett. Carter, Powell. Pope, .. Gresham, Park and Hardie. Stewart. Hogan, Lane, of Putnam.

Those in the negative, are

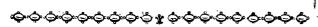
Lane, of Franklin, " Assrs. Ball. . Moore, Carr, Dawson, Rawles, Davies, Scruggs, -Spalding, Embre, Taliaferro, Fi. uellen, Talbott, Flournoy, Henderson, Watts and Hammond, . Walten Jack,

The President adjourned the court fintil to-morrow 12 o'clock.

The President having returned to the chair, the Senate resumed legislative proceedings——And

Mr. Carr from the committee to whom was referred the petition of the commissioners of the Columbia county Academy, reported by bill; which was read the first time.

The Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock to-mongow morning.



Saturday, Nov. 12, 1808.

mittee to whom was referred so much of tablish a county in the territory letely acthe Governor's communication as relates quired by cession from the general governor to the case of Osborn Randle, for mur-ernment?

der, reported a bill to be entitled an act to pardon Osborn Randle; which was received, and read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

Resolved, That the General Assembly will propose no amendments to the state constitution during the present session. The said resolution was read, and ordered to lie on the table...

Mr. Flournoy presented a petition from the Thespian Society of the city of Augusta; which was read, and referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Flourney, Carr and Davies, be that committee.

Mr. Davies presented a petition from John Steptoe; which was read, and ordered to be referred to the committee on finance.

On motion of Mr. Embre,

Resolved, That Archibald Smith and James Rountree, be, and they are hereby appointed Justices of the Inferior Court for the county of Telfair, the former in the room of Thomas Rains, not resident of the county—the latter in the room of James Alston, resigned.

Mr. Lane (of Putnam) notifies the Senate, that he will on Monday next, move for leave to introduce a bill to suspend and discontinue for a time, an act passed on the 10th day of December, Mr. Spalding from the joint com- 1803, entitled " an act to lay out and esMr. Park, agreeably to notice, moved for a committee to be appoined on the part of Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to prepare and report a bill to be entitled an act supplemental to the judiciary law now of force in this state, and to render more easy the practice and proceedings in the Superior and Inferior Courts.

Ordered, That Messrs. Park, Spalding and Dawson, be that committee.

Mr. Lanier, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for taking out grants of the late land lettery; which was received and tread the first time.

Mr. Embre presented two petitions from a number of the inhabitants of Wilkinson county; which were read and referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs Embre, Ball and Rawles.

Mr Lane, of Putnam, from the committee on privileges and elections, reported on the subject of the elections of the counties of Jones and Telfair; which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Flournoy notifies the Senate, that he will on Monday next move for a committee to be appointed, to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled an act to repeal an act passed at the last session of the General Assembly, entitled "An act to point out the mode and punish such persons as have made fraudulent returns under the former laws disposing of the territory lately ac-

Mr. Park, agreeably to notice, mov | quired from the Creek Nation, &c. and r a committee to be appointed on the in point out a more legal and proper mode of Senate, to join such committee for punishing such persons.

On motion of Mr. Burnett,

Resolved, That Joseph Turner and Isaac Abrahams, be, and they are hereby appointed Notaries Public for the county of Glynn; and that John Cowper, William Page and Ioseph Turner, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners of pilotage for the port of Brunswick.

On motion of Mr. Embre,

The Senate took up the report of the committee on petitions, so far as respects their report on the petition of Willson Conner; which is as follows, to wit:

On the petition of Willson Conner, your committee are of opinion, that the petition and document ought to be refered to the committee on finance.

Whereupon the same was agreed to and ordered to be reported accordingly.

Mr. Jack, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to enable the executors of the last will and testament of William Nunnellie, deceased, to carry the same into effect; which was received, and read the first time.

Mr. Spalding, agreeably to notice introduced a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Justices of the Inferior Court of the county of M'Intosh, to appropriate a certain portion of the county tax to the support of the poor; which was received, and read the first time.

Mr. Powell notifies the Senate, that

to introduce a bill, to be entitled an act to amend " an act to amend the several acts regulating roads in this state, so far as respects the operation of said acts in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, M'Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne," so tar as respects the county of Wayne.

Mr. Hogan. from the committee to whom was referred the petition of a number of the inhabitants of Laurens county. reported. Which was ordered to lie on the zable.

On motion of Mr Jack,

of the committee on privileges and elections, so far as respects the election of Jefferson county—And

On motion of Mr. Carr,

Resolved, That the further consideration of the same be postponed for the present.

Mr. Henderson from the committee to whom was referred the petition of a number of the inhabitants of Jackson county, reported as follows, to wit:

On the petition of the inhabitants of the seounty of Jackson, your committee report at as their opinion, the petition ought to be referred to the committee on the state of the republic.

Whereupon the same was agreed to. and ordered to be referred accordingly.

Mr. Stewart from the committee to whom was referred the petition of Thomas Bradwell, reported as follows, to wit:

On the petition of Thomas Bradwell, late Adjutant of the Liberty county

he will on Monday next, move for leave battalion, praying compensation for sexvices rendered in his line of duty, in the space of six years:

Your committee have taken the same under consideration, and taking into view the arduous services, his exertions on attending the guards for the prevention of the spreading of the small-pox, and also his attention to other important guards. such as respects the preventing the landing of the Brigands; together with his attention in training the different companies of militia in said battalion.—All these facts are certified by the proper commanding officer, the colonel commandant. The Senate again took up the report | Your committee are of opinion, that the petitioner's prayer ought to be granted, and beg leave to recommend the following resolution, to wit:

> Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby required to pay out of the contingent fund, the sum of one hundred and seventy-six dollars, in favor of Thomas Bradwell; the same being in full of all demands as Adjutant of the Liberty county battalion.

> The Senate took up the report, and on the question to agree to the same, it was resolved in the affirmative.

> And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 18—nays 13.

Those who voted in the affirmative are

Messrs. Brown. Burnett, Dawson, Davies, Flournoy, Henderson, Hardie, Hogan, Llammond,

Lanier. M'Griff. Moore. Powell, Stewart. Spalding, Taliaferro and Talbott.

Those who voted in the negative are, William H. Gross, removed. Lassis. Bill,

Pope, Carter. Purk, Rawles. Carr. Fluellen, Scruggs, Watts and Gresham, Line, el Putnam. Walton. Lane, of Franklin,

On motion of Mr. Walton,

Resolved, That the minutes of the High Court of Impeachment, on the trial of Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, be entered on a separate journal, and read in its proper place.

On motion of Mr. Spalding,

Resolved, That the Senate do now postpone legislative proceedings, and form themselves into a High Court of Impeachment.

The President returned to the Senacorial scat, and adjourned till Monday

morning 9 o'clock.



Monday, Nov. 14, 1808.

Mr. Henderson notifies the Senate, fliat he will on to-morrow move for a committee to be appointed to prepare and report a bill to be entitled an act to amend an act orn fied "an act to compensate the Justice: of the Inferior Courts of this State," passed at the annual session ci the Coneral Assembly in 1806.

On motion of Mr. Lanier,

R solled, That William Lucas and William Black, Esquires, be, and they are hereby appointed Justices of the Inferior Court for the county of poriven, in the! groun of Clement Lanier, resigned, and

Mr. Carter notifies the Senate, that he will to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled an act to make permanent the seat of the public building in the county of Randolph, at Monticello.

Mr Lane, of Franklin, notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for leave to report a bill, to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled "an act to regulate the town of Carnesville."

Mr. Flournoy, agreeably to notice, moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to be entitled an act to repeal an act passed at the last session of the General Assembly, entitled "an act to point out the mode and punish such persons as have made fraudulent returns under the former laws disposing of the territory lately acquired from the Creek Nation"—and to point out a more legal and proper mode for punishing such persons.

Ordered, That Messrs. Flournoy, Carr and Dawson, be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Moore,

The Senate again took up the resolution from the House of Representatives. appointing Electors for President and Vice President of the United States, and the same being read was agreed to with the following amendments: Strike out from the word 'States' in the second page to the end of the clause—Strike out the word 'Constitution' and insert 'act of the Congress'—and, strike out from the word 'States' to the word 'for' in the last resolution.

Mr. Flournoy, from the committee

to prepare and report a bill for incorpora- the will on to morrow move for leave to inting the Chespian Society and Library Company of Augusta, reported by bill. Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Hammond notifies the Senate, that he will on to morrow move for leave to introduce a bill, to be entitled an act to authorize the Commissioners of Louisville to lay out in lots and dispose of the common for part of the common of said town, and to appropriate the monies arising from the sale of such lots to the use of the Academy of Louisville.

On motion of Mr. Hogan,

Resolved, That Ashley Wood, Esq. be, and he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Laurens, in the room of Edmund Hogan, resigned.

Mr. Hogan, from the committee to whom was referred the petition of the inhabitants of Laurens county, reported the **Sollowing bill, to wit:**

A bill to be entitled an act to divide the county of Laurens, and to form one other new county.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr Burnett presented a petition from John and Mary Batting. Which was read and referred to the committee on fi-! nance.

Mr. Powell notifies the Senate, that I

troduce a bill, to be entitled an act to after and amend "an act to appoint commissioners for the purpose of carrying into effect the building the Court-House and Jail for the county of Wayne.

The bill to be entitled an act to vest in the Union Society of the city of Savannah, the moiety of the real estate of Justus H Scheuber, devised to them by the said J. H. Scheuber in his last will, was read the second time.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

Mr. Lane, of Franklin, notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for a committee to be appointed to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled an act to alter and amend an act, entitled " an act to carry into effect the sixth section of the third article of the constitution." And to amend an act, entitled "an act to carry into effect the sixth section of the fourth article of the constitution, touching the distribution of intestate estates; directing the manner of granting letters of administration, letters testamentary, and marriage licenses, and to prevent entails.

On motion of Mr. Scruggs,

Resolved. That the Senate do now postpone legislative proceedings, and form themselves into a High Court of Impeachment.

The President returned to the Senatorial Chair, and djourned till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock

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Tuesday, Nov. 15, 1808.

Mr. Lanier notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for leave to report a bill, to be entitled an act to secure to Jane Cone formerly Jane Cason, any property which she may hereafter acquire by deed, will or otherwise.

Mr. Henderson, agreeably to notice, moved for a committee to be appointed to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled, an act to alter and amend an act, entitled " an act to compensate the Justices of the Inferior Courts of this State, passed at the annual session of the Legislature, in 1806.

Ordered, That Messrs. Henderson, Talbott and Lane (of Franklin) be that Committee.

The following bifls were severally taken ap, and read the second time, to wit:

A bill to alter and change the name of Eliza Moriah Dixon, to that of Eliza Moriah Hughes. Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to add part of the county of Camden to the county of Wayne. dered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to repeal an act, entitled an act, to compel clerks to keep their offices at the Court House of the respective coun ties, or within one mile thereof, passed the 7th December, 1807, so far as respects the counties of Wayne and Tattnall.— Ordered for a third reading

Columbia county Academy, to establish: a lottery for the purpose of raising the sum of two thousand dollars, for the sugport of that institution.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to continue in force an act, passed the 23d day of May, 1808, entitled an act to alter and amend an act, entitled " an act to dispose of and distribute the late cession of land, obtained from the Creek Nation, by the United States, in a treaty concluded at the city of Washing. ton, or the 14th day of November, 1805

Ordered for committee of the whole A bill to authorize the Justices & the Inferior Court of the county of M Intosh, to appropriate a certain portion of the county tax to the support of the poor.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to enable the executors of the last will and testament of William Nunnellie, deceased, to carry the same into effect.

> Ordered for a committee of the whole A bill to pardon Osborn Randle.

Ordered for a committee of the whole, on to-morrow.

A bill for incorporating the Thespian Society and Library Company of Augusta.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. A bill to divide the county of Laus rens, and to form one other new county.

Ordered for a committee of the whele. The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to vest in the Union Society of the city of Savannah, the moiety of the real estate of Justus Hertman Scheu. A bill to authorize the Trustees of the ber, devised to them by the said J. H.

Scheuber, in his last will—Mr. Moore in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Moore reported, that the further consideration of the said bill be postponed until the first Monday in November next.

The Senate took up the report—which was read and agreed to.

On motion,

The Senate took up Mr. Flournoy's resolution, laid on the table; which is in the words following:

Resolved, I hat the General Assembly will propose no amendments to the State Constitution during the present session.

Which was read, and on the question to agree to the same, it was resolved in the negative And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 11, nays 13.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Scruggs.

Burnett, Scruggs,
Davies, Spalding,
Embre, Taliaferro,
Flournoy, Talbott and
Lane, of Franklin, Watts.

Those who voted in the negative are, Hammond,

Brown. Jack, Carter. Lane, of Putnam, Carr, Moore, Courvoisies Powell, D iwson, Park, Ficuellen, Rawles. Handerson, Stewart and Hardie, Walton.

Mr. Carter, agreeably to notice, moved for a committee to be appointed to prepare and report a bill, to make permanent the seat of the public buildings in the

county of Randolph, at Monticello.

Ordered, That Messrs. Carter, Park and Pope, be that committee.

Mr. Hammond, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Louisville, to lay out in lots and sell such part of the common of said town as they may think proper, and to appropriate the proceeds of such sales to the use of the Academy of Louisville.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Jack notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for a committee to be appointed on the part of Senate, to join such as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to prepare and report a bill to revise, amend and consolodate the several militia laws now of force in this state.

Mr. Lane, of Franklin, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill, to be entitled an act to amend "an act to regulate the town of Carnesville."

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Watts notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for leave to report a bill, to be entitled an act, to amend "an act securing to Ebenezer Jenckes an exclusive right of fixing a turnpike Gate on the Newington road, between Joshua Loper's and the city of Savannah."

Mr. Hardie, from the committee to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled an act to continue in force for two years the sixteenth section of "an act to amend the several acts regulating roads in this state," so far as respects the operation of said acts

tosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne," re ported said bill.

Which was received and read the

first time.

A message from the House of Reprecentatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have concurred in the reso lution from senate, appointing Thomas Fulton, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Jefferson county.

In the resolution appointing William Bird and George Nowling, Esquires, com missioners of the Effingham Academy.

In the resolution appointing John Goldwire and Robert Berton, Esquires, Justices of the Interior Court of the county of Effingham.

In the resolution appointing a Justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Tattnall.

In the resolution appointing a committee on the part of Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled an act to estab lish a fund for the redemption of the public debt of this State, and to fix a value on the different species of outstanding evidences of debt, agreeably to merit—and have added a committee on their part.

In the resolution appointing a committee on the part of Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to confer and agree on what laws of a public nature are in which House the bills for the same shall of this state, so far as relates to the num-

in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, M'In-poriginate-and have added a committee on their part.

> They have added a committee on their part, to join the committee appointed on the part of Senate, to take into consideration the petition of the inhabitants of Camden county, relative to Justices of the Inferior Courts.

> They have passed the following resolutions, to wit:

> A resolution appointing a committee on their part, to join such committee as may be appointed by Senate to draft an address to the President of the U. States. containing the sense that both branches entertain of the rectitude of the present administration, and the correctness of the measures pursued by the government of the United States.

> A resolution appointing Thomas Barrett and James Frazer, Vendue Masters for the city of Augusta.

> A resolution appointing Samuel M. viordecai, a Vendue waster for the town of Milledgeville——And,

> A resolution appointing Edward Quinn, Francis S. Miller, John Bacon, homas Jones and Isaac Delyon, Lumber Measurers for the port of Savannah.

And they have passed a bill for the, relief of David 1 errill and John Holliday.

A bill for the relief of John M'Connell and James Elmore.

A bill granting leave to John Land. rum, to bring three negroes, purchased by him in the state of Virginia, to this state.

And,

A bill to alter "an act to regulate nece sary to be present at this assession and the pilotage of vessels in the several ports ber of commissioners therein named, for the port of Savannah. And he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, and concurred in the said resolutions from the House of Representatives, except the resolution appointing a joint committee to draft and report an address to the President of the United States, which was ordered to lie on the table—and the said bills were severally read the first time.

Mr. Powell, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill, to alter and amend an act, entitled "an act to appoint commissioners for the purpose of carrying into effect the building the Court-House and Jail for the county of Wayne; which was ordered to lie on the table.

A message from his Excellency the Covernor, by Mr. Bozeman, his Secretary:

Mr. President—His Excellency the Governor has directed me to inform the Senate, that he has received notice from the board of Trustees of the University of this state, that they are ready to join the Board of Visitors, in order to form the Senatus Academicus; and requests to know if it will be convenient for the Senate to convene at four o'clock this evening in the Senate Chamber, as a Board of Visitors. And he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, and appointed Messrs. Carr and Flournoy, a committee to wait upon his Excellency the Governor, and inform him that it would be convenient for them to form the Senatus Academicus this even-

On motion of Mr. Park,

Resolved, That the President of Senate be, and he is hereby requested to nominate one or more persons to summon evidences on the part of the state, as well as on the part of the accused, in the case of the Impeachment now pending before the High Court.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate, that they are now ready to receive them in the Representative Chamber, for the purpose of proceeding by joint ballot to the choice of Electors for this state, to vote for President and Vice-President of the United States. And he withdrew.

The Senate then repaired to the Representative floor, and being seated, proceeded by joint ballot to the choice of Electors for this state, to vote for President and Vice-President of the United States; and on counting out the votes, it appeared that John Rutherford, John Twiggs, Henry Graybill, David Meriwether, Christopher Clarke and James E. Houston, Esquires, were duly elected.

The Senate returned to their chamber, took their seats, and adjourned till to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

Wednesday, Nov. 16, 1808.

Mr. Embre, from the committee to

ber of the inhabitants of Wilkinson county, reported.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

🗟r. Brown presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Morgan country

> Which was read, and, On motion of Mr. Park,

Resolved. I hat a committee be ap pointed on the part of Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to take into consideration the petitions and documents relative to the site of the public buildings in Morgan county, with power to report by bill or otherwise.

Ordered. That Messrs. Brown, Carter, Park Lane of Putnam, and Gresham, be the committee on the part of Senate.

On motion of Mr. Scruggs,

Reselved, That a committee be appointed to examine the journal of Senate, the pre ent session.

That Messrs. Scruggs, Ordered, Jack and Talbott, be that committee.

Mr. Hammond presented a petition from Gen. David Dickson, relative to Wafford's settlement.——And

On motion,

Resolved, The secondittee be appointed on the part of masse, to join such committee as may be supported by the said petition into considerated

Ordered, That Messrs. ond, Henderson, Spalding, Flourno, and

whom was referred the petition of a num I ham, be the committee on the part of Senate.

> Mr. Watts, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill, to be entitled an act to authorize Ebenezer Jerokes to erect a turnpike Gate, on the road leading from Joshua Loper's, in the county of Effingham, To Savannah, and for other purposes there-.n mentioned.

> Which was received and read the first time.

> The bill which was laid on the table yesterday, 10 alter and amend "an act to appoint commissioners for the purpose of carrying into effect the building the curt House and Jail for the county of Wayne, was taken up and read the first ame.

> > On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved. That the messenger of enate be directed to furnish each member of the House of Representatives, with a copy of the journal of Senate, as they are daily printed.

Mr. Dawson presented a petition from John Barns, James Gilmore and Simon Salter, of Washington county.

Which was read and ordered to be referred to the committee on petitions.

Mr Park, from the committee to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled are act o make permanent the site of the public House of Representative we take the buildings for the country of Randolph, at Monticello, reported said bill.

> Which was received and read the es- first time.

The Senate resolved itself into a resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported that they had gone through the said bill with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and the amendment was agreed to.

Whereupon,

The said bill was read the third time, and on the question, Shall this bill now pass under the stille just read?

Mr. Hammond called for the previous question—that is, Shall the main question be now put?

Which was determined in the affirmative.

The question being again put, Shall this bill now pass under the title?

It was determined in the affirmative. And the year and nays being required are, yeas 25, nays 8.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs

Ball,	Hogan,
Brown,	Jack,
Burnett,	Lane, of Franklin,
Carter,	Lanier,
Carr,	M 'Griff,
Courvoisie,	Moore,
Dawson,	Stewart,
Embr.	Scruggs,
Fleuellen.	Spalding,
Flournoy,	Talbott,
Gresham,	Watts and
Henderson,	Walton.
Hardie,	

Those who voted in the negative are,

•	Hammond,	Pope, Park.	
	Lane, of Putnam, Powell,	Rawles, Taliaferro	and

The Senate took up the resolution committee of the whole on the bill to be from the House of Representatives, on entitled an act to pardon Osborn Randle; the subject of printing the laws and jour-Mr. Walton in the chair-Mr. President nals of the present session, and added a committee on their part, consisting of Messrs. Flournoy, Hammond and Stewart, to join the committee appointed on the part of the House of Representatives.

> Mr. Jack, agreeably to notice, moved for a committee to be appointed on the part of Senate to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to prepare and report a bill to revise, amend and consolodate the several militia laws now of force in this state.

> Ordered, That Messrs. Jack, Carter, Taliaferro, Flournoy, Carr, Davies, Henderson, Gresham and Stewart, be the committee on the part of Senate.

The Senate having postponed all further legislative proceedings, and the President having taken the Tribunal Seat, the High Court of Impeachment was Q. pened by proclamation.

The President having returned to the Senatorial Seat, the Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock to morrow morning.

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Thu: fday, Nov. 17, 1808.

Mr. Talbott presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Wilkes county. Which was read and referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Talbott Park and Moore, be that committees

Mr. Lanier from the committee to prepare and report a bill to be entitled an act to secure to Jane Cone, formerly Jane Cason, any property which she may hereafter acquire by deed, will or otherwise, reported said bill. Which was received, and read the first time.

Mr. Powell, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to alter and amend "an act to amend the several acts regulating roads in this state, so far as respects the crunties of Bryan, Liberty, M'Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne," so far as respects the county of Wayne. Which was received, and read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby requested to notify the Electors of President and Vice President for this state, of their elections, as early as possible, by express; and that they be requested immediately to notify the Legislature of their acceptance or refusal of said appointments.

Mr. Embre, from the committee to whom was referred the petition of Benjamin Kennedy, reported on said petition. Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr Jack, from the committee to prepare and r port a bill to alter and amend the second section of the fourth article of the constitution, so far as it respects election- by the General Assembly, reported said out. Which was received, and read the first time.

The Senate resolved itself into committee of the whole, on the bill to incorporate the Thespian Society and Library Company of Augusta—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the same, with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and the amendment was agreed to.

Whereupon the said bid was read the third time, and passed under the title aforesaid.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to divide the county of Laurens, and to form one other new county—Mr. Park in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Park reported, that they had gone through the same with amendments.

The Senate took up the report, and the amendments were agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read the third time; and on the question shall this bill now pass, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 26—nays 5.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball, Jack,

Lane, of Putnam. Brown, Lanier, Carter, Carr, M'Griff, Courvoisie. Powell, Davies, Rawles. L mbre. Stewart, F) uellen, Scruggs, Flou noy, Spalding, Taliaferro, Henderson. Talbote Haraic, Watte and H gan, Walton. Hammond.

Those who voted in the negative are, Cope, Messrs. Gresham, Lane, of Franklin, Moore,

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to enable the executors of the last will and tes tament of William Nunnellie, deceased, to earry the same into effect-Mr. Talbott in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Talbott reported, that they had gone through the same with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report; and the amendment was agreed to with an amendment.

Whereupon the said bill was read the third time, and passed under the title atoresaid.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to extend the time for taking out grants of the late land luttery—Mr. Burnett in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair -and Mr. Burnett reported progress, and had leave to sit again.

On motion,

Mr. Spalding had leave to be absent the remainder of the day...

The Senate resolveditself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entifled an act to authorize the trustees of the Columbia county Academy, to establish a lottery for the purpose of raising the sum of two thousand dollars, for the support of that institution—Mr. Stewart in the chair - Mr. President resumed the chair—and

through the same with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and the amendment was agreed to.

Whereupon,

The said bill was read the third time and passed under the title aforesaid.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill, to be enutled an act to add a part of Camden county to the county of Wayne --- Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported progress, and had leave to sit again.

The following bills were severally taken up, read the third time and passed, to wit:

A bill to be entitled an act to repeal an act, entitled "an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at the Court-Houses of their respective counties, or within one mile thereof"—passed 7th December. 1807—so far as respects the counties of Wayne and Tattnall.

And,

A bill to be entitled an act to alter and change the name of Eliza Moriah Dizon, to that of Eliza Moriah Hughes:

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt, their clerk!

Mr. President-The House of Representatives have concurred in the resolution from Senate, appointing a committee on their part, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to take into consideration Mr. Stewart reported, that they had gone the memorial of Gen. David Dickson, and

have added a committee on their part.

They have passed a resolution ap pointing Francis Doyle, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Chatham county.

They have passed a bill to prevent any person or persons from placing obstructions in or over the rivers, creeks or water courses of Chatham county.

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Ordered. That the said message do lie on the table.

The Senate having postponed all further Legislative proceedings, and the President having taken the Tribunal Seat—the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having returned to the Senatorial Seat, the Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock to morrow morning.



Friday, Nov. 18, 1808.

Mr. Lane (of Franklin) notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to prevent the barbarous and inhuman practice of du elling in this state; also the mode and manner of punishment for such offences.

Mr. Talbott from the committee, reported a bill to be entitled an act to pardon Russell Bailey.

Which was received, and read the first time.

Mr. Embre, from the committee to whom was referred the petition of Joan Barnes, James Gilmore and Simon Salter, reported as follows to wit:

On the petition of John Barnes, James Gilmore and Simon Salter, praying to be discharged from the penalties of a bond for the appearance of Eli Barnes,

Your committee are of opinion, the orayer of the petitioners ought not to be granted, on any proof laid before them.

The Senate took up the report—which was read and agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Lane (of Franklin)
Resolved, That Benjamin King,
Esq be, and he is hereby appointed a
Listice of the Inferior Court of Franklin
county, in the place of James Hooper,
Esq. resigned.

Mr. Embre, from the committee to whom was referred the petition of a number of the inhabitants of Wilkinson county, reported as follows, to wit:

The committee to whom was referred the petition of sundry citizens, inhabitants of the county of Wilkinson, stating that they were imposed upon in fixing on the site for the public building of said county, by the commissioners aforesaid,

Report, That they have proceeded to examine the true situation of said choice made by the commissioners, and calling upon the Surveyor General for the centre of said county, find after the utmost exactness in ascertaining the centre, that lot number one hundred and

Eleven, in the twenty-sixth district of said, who we judge (from their near residence scounty, which was pointed out to us as the lot which the public site is fixed on, is within one mile of the actual centre of ! the county; and it is the opinion of your committee, that the commissioners have acted strictly in conformity to the law.

The Senate took up the report which was read and agreed to.

Mr. Carr presented the following as an additional rule to those which govern the High Court of Impeachment, to wit: Additional rule to be observed on the trial of the Impeachment of Echols, Simms and Flournoy.

Rule 14. When any motion shall be made either on the part of the managers, or the counsel for the accused, the o posite party shall be at liberty to answer by one counsel only, and argument shall cease when the person making the motion shall be heard in reply, except when new matter is advanced, and then the other side may answer the new matter by one counsel only, and then argument shall cease.

Which was received, read and agreed ÆO.

The Senate took up the report of The committee which was laid on the ta ble yesterday, which is in the words following, to wit:

On the petition of Benjamin Kennedy, praying the establishment of a ferey at the Sisters, on Savannah river,

-Your committee recommend that the petitioner be referred to the Inferior Court of Effingham county, who are by law stioner if they may think proper, and report a bill to be entitled an act to alter

to the place where the ferry is prayed for J may be better able to judge of the propriety of granting the prayer of the pe-

Mr. Park presented a petition from William Sharp.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on finance.

The Senate took up the message from the House of Representatives,

Concurred in the resolution appointing Abraham F. Powell and Reuben King. Lumber Measurers for the town of Darien.

They disagreed to the resolution appointing Francis Doyle, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Chatham county.

And,

The bill to prevent persons from placing obstructions in or over the rivers. creeks or water courses of Chatham county, was read the first time.

Mr Hardie notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for a committee to be appointed to prepare and report a bill to be entitled an act, supplementary to the act for the limitation of actions.

Mr. Lane (of Franklin) notifies the senate, that he will on to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee, to prepare and report a bill to regulate the admission of persons to practice Medicine and Surgery in this state.

Mr. Park notifies the Senate, that he authorized to grant the prayer of the pe- will on Monday next, move for leave to of the constitution.

Mr. Jack northes the Senate, that he will on to-morrow, move for the appointment of a committee, to prepare and re port a bill to authorize the commissioners of the different county Academies in this state, to receive one thousand pounds ste ling, as appropriated for the promotio eff learning, by an act of the General December, 1793.

Mr. Henderson, from the committee Leitair. to prepare and report a bill to be entitled an act, to amend " an act to compensate the Justices of the Inferior Courts," passed the 8th day of December, 1806, reported said bill.

first time.

from a number of the inhabitants of Jones county.

Which were severally read and referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Pope, Park, Carrer, Taliaterro and Walton, be that committee.

A message from the House of Re- new church. presentatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr President—The House of Re- Robertson. presentatives have concurred in the reso-Lution appointing a committee on the part Ryan, to that of Thomas Coram. of Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Represen- Alatamaha, at Fort Barrington. catives, to take into consideration, the peticions and documents relative to the site of out grants, &c. the public buildings of Morgan county-

In the resolution appointing a com- tion.

the fifteenth section of the fourth article mittee on the part of Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled an act sup lemental to the Judiciary law now of force in this State, and to render more easy the practice and proceedings in the Superior and Interior Courts—and have added a committee on their part.

In the resolution appointing Archi-Assen bly, passed on the 20th day of bald Smith and James Rountree, Justices of the Interior Court, for the county of

> In the resolution appointing Ashley Wood, Esq a Justice of the Inferior Court. of the county of Laurens.

In the resolution appointing Joseph Turner and Isaac Abrams, Notaries Pub-Which was received, and read the lic for the county or Glynn, and John Couper, William Page and Joseph Tur-Mr. Pope presented sundry petitions | ner, Commissioners of Pilotage for the port of Brunswick.

And,

They have passed the following bills, to wit:

A bill authorizing and requiring the conveyance of a lot, on the common of Augusta, to certain trustees and their successors, for the purpose of building a

A bill to change the name of Edney

A bill to alter the name of Thomas

A bill to establish a ferry over the

a bill to extend the time for taking

A bill to alter and amend the 10th and have added a committee on their part. section of the 3d article of the constituRudolph, and Mary his wife.

A bill to establish a ferry in the coun-

ty of Effingham.

And,

A bill amendatory of the 7th section of the Judiciary act, passed the 16th Feb. ruary, 1799.

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do lie on the table.

The following bills were severally taken up and read the second time, to wit:

A bill to alter and amend "an act to appoint commissioners to carry into effect the building the Court House and Jail in the county of Wayne."

Ordered for a 3d reading.

A bill to make permanent the site of the public buildings in the county of Randolph.

Ordered for a 3d reading.

A bill to alter an act to regulate the pilotage of vessels in the several ports of this state, so far as relates to the number of commissioners therein named, for the port of Savannah.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill for the relief of David Terrell and John Holliday.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill granting leave to John Landrum to bring three negroes, purchased by him in the state of Virginia, to this state.

Ordered for a third reading.

town of Carnesville.

Ordered for a third reading.

Louisville to lay out in lots and sell |

A bill to separate and divorce Robert | such part of the common of said town as they may think proper, and to appropriate the proceeds of such sales to the use of the Academy of Louisville.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to after the 2d section of the 4th article of the Constitution; so far as respects elections by the General Assembly.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to secure to Jane Cone, formerly Jane Cason, any property which she may hereafter acquire, by deed, will, or otherwise.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to amend "an act to authorize Ebenezer Jenckes to erect a turnpike Gate, on the road leading from Joshua Loper's, in the county of Effingham, to Savannah," and for other purposes therein mentioned.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. A bill for the relief of John M'Connell and James Elmore.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to continue in force for two years the 16th section of "an act to amend the several acts regulating roads in this state, so far as respects the operation of said acts in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, M'Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne."

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to alter and amend an act, en-A bill to amend an act to regulate the stitled, "An act to amend the several acts regulating roads in this State, so far as respects the counties of Bryan, Liberty, A bill to authorize the commissioners M'Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne."

Ordered for a committee of the whole:

The bill to be entitled an act to au-, of the county of M'Intosh, to appropriate a certain portion of the county funds to the support of the poor, was read the 3d time and passed under the title aforesaid.

Mr. Flournoy introduced the follow-

ing resolution, to wit:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Senate, that all additional articles of impeachment, made by the House of Representatives, should be reported to the Senare before they can be received, and answered unto in the High Court of Impeachra nt.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was resolved in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required are yeas 6, nays 27.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Alesses. Flournoy,

Hardie, Powell, Taliaferro and Walton.

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Ball, Jack,

Lane, of Franklin, Brown, Lane, of Putnam, Burnett, Carter, Lanier, M'Gri.T, Carr, Moore, Courvoisie Dawson, Pope, Davies. Rawles. Embre. Stewart. Scruggs, Flouellen, Spalding, Gresham, Henderson, Talbott, and Hogan, Watts

On motion,

Hammond,

Mr. Hogan had leave of absence until Tuesday next,

The Senate postponed all further thorize the Justices of the Inferior Court | Legislative proceedings, and the President having taken the tribunal seat, the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proelamation.

> The President returned to the Senatorial seat, and the Senate adjourned till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

Saturday, Nov. 19, 1808.

Mr. Dawson presented a letter from Col. John Rutherford, notifying the Legislature, that he had accepted the appointment of Elector for President and Vice. President of the United States.

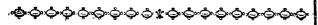
Ordered, That the Secretary informs the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Carr notifies the Senate, that he will on Monday next move for leave to bring in a hill to be entitled an act to alter and amend an act entitled "an act to repeal an ordinance passed at Augusta, the 26th day of January, 1786," so far as respects fixing the seat of the University of this State, and "an act for the more full and compleat establishment of a public seat of learning in this State," so far as respects the appointment of Trustees passed at Savannah the 27th day of January, 1785, and to appoint a board of Trustees, and to define the board of Visitors, and to fix a permanent seat for the said University.

The Senate having postponed fure ther Legislative business, the president took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having returned to the Senatorial Seat, adjourned the Senate sill 5 o'clock this evening.

The High Court having met at 5 o'clock, and adjourned,—The President adjourned the Senate till Monday morning 9 o'clock.



Monday, Nov. 21, 1808.

Mr. Taliaferro presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Wilkinson county.

Which was read, and referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Taliaferro, Ball and Dawson, be that committee.

Mr. Lane, of Franklin, agreeably to notice, moved for the appointment of a committee, to prepare and report a bill, to regulate the admission of persons to practice Medicine and Surgery in this state.

Ordered, That Messrs. Lane, of Franklin, Gresham and Spalding, be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Hardie,

Resolved, That George Ker, be, and he is hereby appointed a Notary Public for the county of Camden.

The bill to pardon Russell Bailey, was read the second time——And

Ordered for a committee of the whole on to-morrow.

taken up, read the third time, and passed this state—passed 8th December, 1806. under their respective titles, to wit;

A bill to regulate the pilotage of vessels in the several ports of this state, so far as relates to the number of commissioners therein named, for the port of Sayannah.

A bill granting leave to John Landrum, to bring three negroes purchased by him in the state of Virginia, to this state.

A bill for the relief of David Tera rell and John Holliday.

A bill to make permanent the site of the public building for the county of Randolph, at Monticello.

A bill to alter and amend an act entitled "an act to appoint commissioners for the purpose of carrying into effect the building the Court House and Jail for the county of Wayne."

A bill to authorize the commissioners of Louisville, to any out in lots, and sell such part of the common of said town as they may think proper, and to appropriate the proceeds of such sales to the use of the Academy of Louisville.

And,

A bill to amend an act to regulate the town of Carnesville.

The following bills were severally read the second time, to wit:

A bill to prevent persons from placing obstructions in or over the rivers, creeks or water courses of Chatham county.

> Ordered for committee of the whole. And,

A bill to amend an act to compens The following bills were severally sate the Justices of the Inferior Courts of

Ordered for a third reading.

Mr. Hardie, agreeably to notice, moved for a committee to be appointed, to prepare and report a bill to be entitled an act supplementary to the "act for the limitation of actions."

Ordered, That Messrs. Hardie, Flourney and Carr, be that committee.

Mr. Moore, from the committee on enrolled bills, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, an act to pardon Osborn Randle.

Whereupon,

The President signed the same.

Ordered, That the committee of enrollment do carry the said act to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

The Senate having postponed further legislative business, the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having returned to the Senatorial seat—the Senate adjourned till half after nine o'clock to-morrow morning.

Tuesday, Nov. 22, 1808.

A letter was received from General John Twiggs, notifying the Legislature, that he had accepted the appointment of Elector for President and Vice-President of the United States.

A letter was received from David M'Cord, on the subject of re-surveying the 7th district of Baldwin; which was read and referred to the committee on finance.

On motion of Mr. Spaldings

Resolved. That a committee be appointed by Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Respresentatives, to take into consideration the propriety of continuing or of amending a law passed at Milledgeville, entitled "an act to alleviate the condition of debtors, and afford them temporary relief."—And that the committee be authorized to report by bill or otherwise.

Ordered, That the said resolution do

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing George Poythress, Jeremiah W. Williams and William Stone, commissioners for the town of Waynesborough, to fill the vacancies occasioned by the resignation of John Davies, John Whitehead and George Poythress.

A resolution confirming the executive appointment of Samuel W. Goode, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Columbia county.

They have passed a bill to regulate toll-bridges, ferries and turnpike roads.

And,

They do still adhere to their resolution appointing Francis Doyle, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Chatham county.

And,

They have appointed a committee of conference on their part, to join such committee as may be appointed on the part of Senate, to take the same into consideration. And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do

troduced a bill to be entitled an act to alter and amend an act, entitled " an act to repeal an ordinance, passed at Augusta, the 26th day of January, 1786," so far as respects fixing the seat of the University of this state; and "an act for the more full and complete establishment of a public seat of learning in this state,"—so far as respects the appointment of trustees; passed at Savannah the 27th day of January, 1785; and to appoint a board of trustees, and to define the board of visitors, and to fix a permanent seat for the said university.

Which was received and read the

first time.

Mr. Park presented a petition from a aumber of the inhabitants of Putnam county.

Which was read and referred to the

committee on petitions.

Mr. Taliaferro presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Washington county.

Which was read and referred to a

special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Taliaferro, Dawson and Walton, be that committee.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to pardon Russell Bailey—Mr. Embre in the chair—Mr President resumed the chair, and Mr. Embre reported, that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said report do lie on the table.

Mr. Jack, agreeably to notice, moved committee,

Mr. Carr, agreeably to notice, in-, for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to authorize the commissioners of the different county Acaemies in this state, to receive the amount of one thousand pounds sterling, as appropriated for the promotion of learning, by an act of the General Assembly, passed on the 20th day of December, 1793.

Ordered, That Messrs Jack, Davies, and Burnett, be that committee.

Mr. Lane, of Putnam, presented a petition from Reuben F. Bennett.

Which being read, was referred to the committee on petitions.

Mr. Stewart called up the resolution, from the House of Representatives, appointing a joint committee to draft an address to the President of the United States.

Ordered, That Messrs. Stewart, Flournoy, Spalding, Carr and Moore, be the committee on the part of Senate.

Mr. Burnett, from the committee to take into consideration so much of his Excellency the Governor's communication as relates to document No. 4, reported.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Lane, of Franklin, agreeably to notice, moved for a committee to be appointed to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled an act to prevent the barbarous and inhuman practice of duelling in this state—also the mode or manner of punishment for such offences.

Ordered, That Messrs. Lane, of Franklin, Walton and Henderson, be that Governor, by sir. Bozeman, his Secre tary:

Mr. President—His Excellency the Governor has assented to and signed, "an act to pardon Osborne Randle." And has directed me to return the same to this Flouse, it being the branch of the General Assembly in which the said act originated.

And he withdrew.

Ordered. That the committee of en rollment do carry the said act to the of face of the secretary of state, and have the great seal affixed to the same.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to secure to Jane Cone, formerly Jane Cason, any property which she may hereafter acquire, by deed, will, or otherwise—Mr. Carr in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr Carr reported, that they had gone through the same with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and the amendment was agreed to.

Whereupon,

The said bill was read the 3d time, and passed under the title aforesaid.

On motion of Mr. Park,

Resolved, That the President of Senate do appoint an assistant clerk, to take down the merits of the testimony given to the High Court of Impeachment, on the trial of Echols, Simms and Flournoy.

Whereupon,

The President appointed A. S. Clay- tion,

A message from his Excellency the ton, Esq. who accepted said appointments On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

Resolved, That in consequence of the defalcation of the printer, D. L. Ryan, the Senate consider the contract rescinded.

Ordered, That the said resolution do lie on the tab e.

Mr. Flournoy introduced the following resolution, to wit:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Senate, that A. S. Clayton, Esq. shall have for his services, in taking down the evidence, in the trial of the pending impeachment, the sum of four dollars perday.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 19—nays 14.

Those who yoted in the affirmative are.

essrs. Brown,	M'Griff,
Burnett,	Moore,
Carr,	Powell.
Courvoisie,	Rawles,
Davies,	Stewart,
Embre,	Scruggs,
Flournoy,	Spalding,
Hardie,	Talbott, and
Hammond.	Watts
Lanier,	

Those who voted in the negative are.

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Jack,
Lane, of Putnama
Lane, of Franklin,
Pope,
Park,
Taliaferro and
Walton.

The Senate having postponed further legislative proceedings, the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclama:

Senatorial Seat, the Senate adjourned till Bailey. to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.



Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1808.

The Senate took up the message From the House of Representatives, which was laid on the table on Friday last, and the bills therein contained were severally read the first time.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have concurred in the resolution from Senate, appointing William Lucas and William Black, Esquires, Justices of the Inferior Court of Scriven county, with the following amendment, to wit: Strike out "William Lucas," and insert "George Williamson."

They have passed a resolution appointing David Witt, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Jackson county, in the room of George Cowen, resigned.

And,

They have re-committed the reso-**J**ution appointing a committee to contract with a printer for printing the Laws and Journals, and added Messrs. J. R. Brown and Adams to the committee on their part.

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do lie on the table.

The Senate took up the report of the committee of the whole, on the bill

The President having returned to the to be entitled an act to pardon Russell

Which was read and agreed to.

Whereupon,

The said bill was read the third time.

And on the question shall this bill now pass, it was resolved in the affirma;

And the yeas and nays being required are, yeas 28, nays 4.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Ball, Hogan, Brown, Hammond, Burnett, Jack, Lane, of Franklin, Carter, Carr, Lanter, Courvoisie, M'Griff, Dawson, Moore, Davies, Rawles. Embre, Stewart, Fleuellen. Scruggs, Flournoy, Spalding, Talbott, Gresham, Henderson, Watts and Hardie, Walton.

Those who voted in the negative are; Messrs. Lane, of Putnam, Park and Pope, Taliaferro.

Mr. Spalding called up the resolution laid on the table yesterday, to appoint a committee on the part of Senate, to join such committee as the House of Representatives may appoint, to take into consideration the propriety of continuing or amending a law passed at Milledgeville, entitled " an act to alleviate the condition of debtors, and to afford them temporary relief."

> Which was read and agreed to Whereupon,

Ordered, That Messrs. Spalding, Moore, Burnett, Gresham, Jack, Talbott, Henderson, Lane, of Putnam, and Stewart, be the committee on the part of Senate.

On motion of Mr. Lane, of Putnam,

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to audit the accounts of attendant witnesses in behalf of the state, in the pending trial of the state vs. Echols, Simms and Flournoy; and that the President be, and he is hereby authorized to draw a warrant on the Treasury for the amount respectively due the said witnesses, as shall appear due them by said report.

Ordered, That Messrs. Lane, of Putnam, Powell and Walton, be that

committee.

On motion of Mr. Moore,

Resolved, That the Senate will regularly, and every day (Sundays excepted) form themselves into a High Court of Impeachment on the trial of Echols, Simms and Flournoy, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and sit until the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, unless otherwise ordered.

The Senate having postponed further legislative proceedings, the President took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having returned to the Senatorial seat—the Senate adjourned till to morrow morning 9 o'clock.

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Thursday, Nov. 24, 1808.

On motion of Mr. Jack,

To re consider the journal of yesterday, so far as respects the resolution which is in the words following to wit:

Resolved. That the Senate will regularly, and every day (Sundays excepted) form themselves into a High Court of Impeachment, on the trial of Echols, Simms and Flournoy, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and set until the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, unless others wise ordered.

It was resolved in the affirmative...

He then moved, that the same be rest cinded Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hardie, from the committee appropriated reported a bill supplementary to the act of limitations.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Embre, from the committee on petitions, reported on the petition of Reuben F. Bennett.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Hammond, from the committee appointed, reported a bill to appropriate the funds heretofore set apart for the redemption of the Public Debt.

Which was received, and read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved, That the Treasurer and Comptroller General, be authorized and required to open a chest now in the Treasury Office, said to contain papers relatively.

examine and furnish this Legislature with any papers therein found, relative to the outstanding evidences of the public debt.

Mr. Brown, from the committee appointed, reported on the petition of Cornelius Murphy, as follows, to wit:

We the committee, to whom was referred the petition of Cornelius Murphy, respectfully report, that we are of opinion that the prayer of the said Cornelius Murphy ought to be granted, and that a committee be appointed to prepare and report a bill for his relief.

The Senate took up the report.— Which was read; and agreed to.

And,

Ordered, That the said petition be referred to the committee who first had the same under consideration, and that they report by bill accordingly.

Mr. Park presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Greene

county.

Which was read, and referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Park, Gresham and Rawles, be that committee.

Mr. Dawson notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow, move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, authorizing the appointment of County Treasurers throughout this state.

Mr. Courvoisie presented a petition from Joseph Maria Lequinio Kerbley.

Which was read, and referred to a special committee:

Ordered, That Messrs. Courvoisie, Lanier and Taliaferro, be that committee.

Mr. Lane, of Franklin, from the committee appointed, reported a bill for

tive to the late Auditor's Office, and to prescribing the mode of admitting persons to practice Medicine and Surgery withinthis state.

> Which was received, and read the first time.

Mr. Jack, from the committee appointed, reported a hill to authorize the commissioners of the different county Academies in this state, to receive the amount of one thousand pounds sterling, as appropriated for the promotion of learn, ing, by an act of the General Assembly, passed on the 20th day of December, 1793.

Which was received, and read the first time.

Mr. Moore notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for a committee to prepare and report a bill to be entitled an act to repeal an act, entitled "an act to lay out and identify six new counties out of the counties of Baldwin and Wilkinson,"—so far as it respects the place of holding courts, elections and other county business, in the county of Baldwin.

Mr. Courvoisie presented a petition from the Justices of the Inferior Court of Chatham county and members of the city council of Savannah.

Which was read and referred to a joint committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Courvoisie, Spalding and Moore, be the committee on the part of Senate.

The Senate having postponed further legislative proceedings, the president took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having returned to the Senatorial seat—the Senate adjourned till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

Friday, Nov. 25, 1808.

Mr. Lanier presented a petition from Benjamin Daly.

Which was read and referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Lanier, Lane, of Franklin, and Powell, be that committee.

Mr. Moore, agreeably to notice moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to repeal "an act to lay out and identify six new counties, out of the counties of Baldwin and Wil kinson,"—so far as it respects the place, of holding courts, elections and other county business, in the county of Baldwin.

Ordered, That Messrs. Moore, Taliaferro and Fluellen, be that committee.

Mr. Park presented a petition from Matthew M'Kenny.

Which was read and ordered to be referred to the committee on petitions.

Mr. Pope notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for leave to introduce a bill to authorize the Justices of the Inferior Courts to draw Grand and Petit Jurors for the Superior and Interior Courts, in certain cases.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be entitled an act to alter and amend an act, entitled "an act to amend the several acts same. regulating roads in this state,—so far as respects the operation of said act in the carry said act to his Excellency the Gov. counties of Bryan, Liberty, M'Intosh, 1 ernor, for his revision. Glynn, Camden and Wayne,"—so far as said acts respects the county of Wayne-19 o'clock.

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> The Senate took up the report, and the amendments were agreed to.

> > Whereupon,

The said bill was read the third time. and passed under the title atoresaid.

Mr. Dawson, agreeably to notice, moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to authorize the appointment of County Treasurers throughout this state.

Ordered, That Messrs. Dawson. Hammond and Walton, be that committee,

The Senate having postponed fura ther legislative proceedings, the President took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having resumed the Senatorial Chair,

Mr. Carr gives notice, that he will to-morrow move for leave to report a bill, to be entitled an act to admit John Greene Willingham, to plead and practice law, in the several courts in this state.

Mr. Moore, from the committee on enrolled bills, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker,

An act to pardon Russell Bailey.

Whereupon the President signed the And,

Ordered, That the committee do

Adjourned till to-morrow morning

Saturday, Nov. 26, 1808.

Mr. Moore, from the committee on enrolled bills, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, the following reported said bill. acts, to wit:

An act to alter so much of an act, first time. entitled an "act to regulate the pilotage of vessels, to and from the several ports of this State,"—so far as relates to the number of commissioners named for the port of Sayannah.

An act granting leave to John Land-Fum, to bring three negroes, purchased by him in the state of Virginia, to this state.

And.

An act for the relief of David Terrell and John Holliday.

Which said acts were severally signed by the President.

Ordered, That the committee do carry the said several acts to his Excellency the Covernor, for his revision.

A message from his Excellency the Governor, by Mr. Bozeman, his secretary:

Mr. President—His Excellency the Governor has assented to and signed the act to pardon Russell Bailey.—And has required me to return the same to this House; it being the branch of the General Assembly in which the said act originated.

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the committee of enthe secretary of state, and have the great | road leading from Joshua Loper's, in the seal affixed to the same,

Mr. Courvoisie, from the committee appointed, reported a bill to be entitled an act to authorize Joseph Maria Lequinio Kerbley, a subject of France, but now a Denizen of South Carolina, to purchase, and to hold in his own right, real estate.

Which was received and read the

A letter was received from A. S. Clayton, Esq. notifying the Senate of his resignation of the appointment to take down the evidence in the case of the state vs. Echols, Simms and Flournoy, impeached for high crimes and misdemeanors.

Whereupon,

The President appointed John Hammill, Esq. to fill that vacancy.

Mr. Spalding, from the joint committee to whom was referred the petition of the Justices of the Inferior Court of Chatham county, and the members of the city council of Savannah, reported a bill to incorporate the Savannah Poor House and Hospital society.

Which was received and read the first time.

On motion,

Mr. Ball had leave to be absent till Monday next, 12 o'Clock.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to amend "an act to authorize Ebenezer rollment do carry the act to the office of Jenckes to erect a turnpike gate on the county, of Effingham, to Savannah, and

for other purposes therein mentioned——Mr. Jack in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Jack reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

Mr. Jack presented a petition from John Ham, Absalom Stinehcomb, Thomas S. Carter, and Thomas Smith.

Which was read and referred to the committee on petitions.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act for the relief of John M'Connell and James Elmore—Mr. Lanier in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr Lanier reported, that they had gone through the bill without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and, On motion of Mr. Carr,

That they amend the report, and that the Senate strike out "350 dollars," and insert 200 dollars.

On the question to agree, it was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required are, yeas 8, nays 20.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messers. Carr,
Fleuellen,
Gresham,
Jack,
Lane, of Franklin,
Pope,
Stewart, and
Taliaferro.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Burnett, Hammond,
Carter, Lanier,
Courvoisie, M'Griff,
Dawson, Moore,
Flournoy, Powell,
Henderson, Park,

Rawles, Scruggs, Spalding, Talbott, Watts and Walten.

The Senate took up the message from the House of Representatives, and concurred in the resolution appointing David Witt, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Jackson county.

In the resolution appointing George Poythress, Jeremiah W Williams and William Stone, commissioners for the town of Waynesborough.

They agreed to the amendment made by the House of Representatives, to the resolution appointing Justices of the Inferior Court for the county of Scriven.

And,

They have agreed to a committee of conference on the resolution appointing Francis Doyle, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Chatham county—and have added a committee on their part.

Ordered, That messrs. Courvoisie, Stewart and Burnett, be that committee.

Ordered, That the remainder of the message do lie on the table.

The Senate having postponed further legislative proceedings, the President took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President resumed the Senator-ial chair,

On motion of Mr. Carr,

Resolved, That Samuel W. Goode, Esq. be, and he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Inferior Court of the county of Columbia, in place of Benjamin Leigh, Esq. who refuses to qualify.

mr. Jack gave notice, that he would on monday next move for the appointment of a committee, to prepare and report a bill to limit and define the period within which grants for land, other than that disposed of by the two late State land lotteries, may be issued.

Mr. Powell, from the committee to audit the accounts of the witnesses attending the High Court of Impeachment, in the trial of the State vs. Echols, Simms and Flournoy, reported in part.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

The Senate adjourned till monday morning half past 9 o'clock.

����������������� Monday, Nov. 28, 1808.

Mr. Spalding moved to re-consider the journal of Saturday last, so far as respects the appointment of a committee of conference, to take into consideration the resolution appointing Francis Doyle, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Chatham county.

Which was resolved in the affirmative:

Mr. Powell moved to re-consider the journal of Saturday, so far as respects the report of the committee to whom was reterred the power of auditing the accounts of witnesses in the trial of the impeachment against Echols, Simms and Flour- the Trustees of the German Lutheran noy.

Which was resolved in the affirma-And,

Ordered, That the same be recommitted to the same committee.

Mr. Hammond presented a petition from the Volunteer Company of Antillery, attached to the 9th Regiment of the Militia of this State.

Which being read, was referred to the committee on petitions.

Mr. Embre, from the committee on petitions, reported on the petition of John Ham and Absalom Stinchcomb, executors of Tabitha Holliday, late of Elbert county, deceased, and Thomas S. Carter and Thomas Smith, Guardians of negroes Pharoah and Sarah, as follows, to wit:

"On the petition of John Ham and Absalom Stinchcomb, executors, &c." of the will of Tabitha Holliday, your committee recommend that the petitioners be referred to the next Legislature."

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Carr presented a petition from Jonathan Embre.

Which was read and referred to the committee on petitions.

Mr. Lane, of Franklin, from the committee appointed, reported a bill to prevent the barbarous and inhuman practice of duelling in this state—also the mode of punishment for such offences.

Which was received and read the first

Mr. Scruggs presented a petition from Congregation at Ebenezer.

Which was read and referred to a select committee—to report by bill or otherwise.

Ordered, That Messrs. Scruggs,

Stewart and Courvoisie, be that committee.

Mr. Moore moved the following res olution, to wit:

Resolved, That the printer who prints the journal of Senate, be requested to print one hundred and fifty copies of the testimony taken down by order of the Court, in the impeachment against Echols, Simms and Flournoy.

same, it was resolved in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required are, yeas 15, nays 15.

Messrs. Brown, Lanier. M'Griff, Burnett, Moore, Davies, Park, Henderson, Scruggs, Hammond, Spalding, Jack, and Lane, of Putnam, Talbott. Lane, of Franklin,

Those who voted in the negative are, Mesors. Carr, Powell.

Courvoisie, Pope, Embre. Rawles, Fleuellen, Stewart, Flourney, Taliaferro. Gresham. Watts and Hardie. Walton. Hogan,

The year and nays being equal, the President determined in the negative.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution appointing Richard W. Habersham, a Notary Public for the county of Chatham.

A resolution appointing Daniel Miller, Vendue-Master, for the town of Jefferson, in the county of Camden.

A resolution appointing Abraham Bessent, David Lewis, James Smith and James Hannay, commissioners, in addition to those already appointed, to carry into effectual operation a lottery for the benefit of the town of St. Mary's.

A resolution appointing William Nec-And on the question to agree to the lly, James Smith, Abraham Bessent and William Mickler, commissioners for the Camden county Academy, in addition to those already appointed.

A resolution appointing Thomas Those who voted in the affirmative are, | Pace, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Washington county, in the place of John E. Dawson, resigned.

And,

They have passed a bill to repeal " an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at, or within one mile of Court-Houses of the respective counties in this state."— So far as respects the county of Warren.

A bill to vest the real estate of James Alger, late of Chatham county, deceased, in Sarah Alger, his widow, and Preserved Alger, his adopted son.

A bill to regulate the town of Jeffere son, in the county of Camden.

And,

A bill to carry into effect the first section of an act respecting bastardy, and other immoralities, and the more fully to empower the Inferior Courts of the several counties in this state, to provide for the maintenance of bastard children.

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do lie on the table,

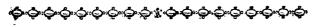
The Senate having postponed further Legislative proceedings, the President took the tribunal chair, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having resumed the Senatorial Chair,

Mr. Carr, agreeably to notice introduced a bill to admit John Greene Willingham, to plead and practice in the several courts of law and equity in this state.

Which was received and read the first time.

The Senate adjourned till half past 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.



Tuesday, Nov. 29, 1808.

'On motion of Mr. Hammond,

To reconsider the journal of yesterday, so far as respects the printing of one hundred and fifty copies of testimony, in the impeachment against Echols, Simms and Flournoy.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

He then moved, that the said resolution be agreed to.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 18—nays 13.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Ball,
Brown,
Burnett,
Carter,
Courvoisie,
Henderson,
Hogan,
Hammond,
Jack,
Lane, of Putnam,
Lane, of Franklin,
Lanier,

M'Griff;	Talbott,		
Moore,	Watts	and	
Spalding,	Walton.		

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. C	arr,	Pope,	
	Imbre,	Park,	
	leuellen,	Rawles,	
	lournoy,	Stewart,	
	resham,	Scruggs,	and
	Iardie,	Taliaferro.	
	owell,		

Mr. Spalding, from the joint committee appointed, reported a bill to amend "an act to alleviate the condition of debtors and to give them temporary relief."

Which was received and read the

first time.

Mr. Park, from the committee appointed, reported a bill, to be entitled an act supplemental to the Judiciary Law now of force in this State, and to render more easy the practice and proceedings in the Superior and Inferior Courts.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Park, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to extend the town of Greenesborough, and the corporate jurisdiction thereof.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Embre, from the committee on petitions, reported on the petition of Jonathan Embre.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Flournoy, from the committee appointed, reported a bill to point out the

proceedings, founded on false or fraudo **l**ent returns made by persons not entitled to draws in the late Land Lotteries in this state, and to repeal an act passed at the last General Assembly, on that subject

Which was received, and read the first time.

A communication, together with the accompanying documents, were presented from the honorable J Meigs, President of the University of Georgia.

Which were read, and referred to a select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Spalding, Park and Carr, be that committee.

Mr. Jack, agreeably to notice, mov ed for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to limit and define the period within which grants for land (other than that disposed of by the two late State Land Lotteries, may be issued.

Ordered, That Messrs. Jack, Lanier and Gresham, be that committee.

The Senate having postponed further legislative proceedings—the Presi dent took the tribunal chair, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President returned to the Senatorial chair, and the Senate adjourned till to morrow morning 10 o'clock.

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Wednesday, Nov. 30, 1808.

On motion,

mode of rendering void all grants or other | ded to the committee to whom was referred the communication of the President of the University of Georgia, in place of vir. Carr, who was excused from serving on that committee.

> A letter was received from J. B. Spivey.—Which being read, was together with accompanying documents, ordered. to lie on the table.

> The following communication was received from his Excellency the Governor, by Mr. Bozeman, his Secretary, accompanied with a copy of the following letter from the Secretary of War, viz:

Mr. President, and gentlemen of the Senate, and Mr. Speaker, and gentlemen of the House of Representatives,

I have lately received a communication from the Secretary of War, requiring this States' quota of one hundred thousand militia, to be assembled and mustered, and held in readiness to march at a moment's warning, well armed and equipped, including blankets and knapsacks.

It is not contemplated to muster the men in larger bodies than regiments; under which arrangement, there will be mustered in each division its own quota of 3,242 militia; which will constitute nearly a full regiment to each division.— Permit me to suggest to you, whether it would not be proper to distribute the arms among the several divisions, or at least so many of them as will be sufficient for the apportionment of each division; to be safely deposited in some dry and secure building, and under the particular care Ordered, That Mr. Gresham be ad-lof some discreet person, subject to the calls of the different Major-Generals.

Our quota is required as you will perceive by a copy of the letter from the Secretary of War herewith transmitted, to be furnished with blankets and knapsacks. Whether those articles can be furnished by the men called to this service, or whether they shall be furnished by the government, upon their being ordered to take the field, is a subject for your deliberation.

It will be necessary in my opinion, that some mode for furnishing the men with rations while they are mustering agreeably to general orders of this date, should be adopted by the Legislature.

JARED IRWIN.

29th November, 1808.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

29th October, 1808.

His Excellency the Governor of the State of Georgia,

SIR,

The President of the United States,! by virtue of an act of Congress, passed; on the 30th day of March, 1808, entitled " an act authorizing a detachment from the militia of the United States," has di- a disposition as possible for voluntary ofrected me to call on the Executives of the several states and territories, to take effectual measures to organize, arm and equip, according to law, and hold in readred thousand militia, officers included: service. this therefore is to require of your Excellenher quota) detached and duly organized embodied or be considered in actual ser.

into companies, battalions, regiments, brigades and divisions, within the shortest period that circumstances will permit, and as nearly as practicable in the following proportions of Artillery, Cavalry, Riflemen and Infantry, viz: One twelfth Artillery, one sixteenth Cavalry, and from one sixteenth to one twelfth Riflemen, and the residue Infantry; to be completely equipped with arms and accourrements, fit for actual service, including blankets and knapsacks.

Any corps of volunteers who previous to orders for taking the field, may tender their services conformably to the second section of the aforesaid act, will be considered a part of the quota of said State, according to their numbers; and your Excellency is also authorized to accept as a part thereof, any company or companies of volunteers, either of Artillery, Cavalry or Infantry, who may associate and offer themselves for the service, agreeably to an act of Congress; a copy of which is inclosed—passed on the 24th February, 1807.

And I have to request that your Excellency will endeavor to inspire as general fers of service, especially under the last mentioned act. Permit me also, to suggest the importance of having of such general and field officers selected as can diness to march at a moment's warning, in all respects be relied upon in case the their respective proportions of one hun-detachment should be called into actual

When the detachments and organizcy to take effectual measures for having ation shall have been completed, the resthree thousand two hundred & forty-two of pective corps will be exercised under the the militia of the State of Georgia (being officers set over them, but will not remain vice until by subsequent orders they shall be directed to take the field.

Your Excellency will please to direct that correct inspection returns be made of the respective corps, and that copies thereof be transmitted to this department as early as possible. Separate returns should be made of those who have heretofore volunteered and may volunteer under the last mentioned act.

I have the honor to be,
Very respectfully,
Your Ex'cy's ob't serv't,
(Signed) H. DEARBORN.

Which were read and referred to the committee on the State of the Republic.

Mr. Flournoy presented a petition from Thomas Cumming, Administrator of William Poe, deceased.

Which was read and referred to the committee of Finance.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have concurred in the resolution from Senate, appointing Benjamin King, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Franklin county—with the following amendment: Strike out 'Benjamin King,' and insert Edmund Henly.

They have concurred in the resolution requiring the Treasurer and Comptroller General to open a chest in the Treasury Office, said to contain papers relative to the late Auditor's Office.

They have passed a resolution appointing William Terrell, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Hancock county.

And

A resolution confirming the Executive appointment of Patrick Houston, as a Justice of the Inferior Court of Bryan county.

They have passed a bill to keep open Great Ogechee river and Brier Creek.

A bill to extend the limits of the city of Savannah.

A bill to authorize the Inferior Court of Franklin county to levy an extra tax, for the purpose of remunerating Wilson Strickland.

A bill to amend an act more effectually to punish persons guilty of stealing horses, asses or mules; passed 9th Dec. 1793—or so much thereof as relates to the 3d and 4th sections of said act.

A bill empowering Justices of the Peace, with three freeholders, in their several districts, to bind out to service male free negroes and persons of color, minors, above the age of eight years, to artizans or farmers.

A bill to divorce and separate John Fitzpatrick, and Elizabeth his wife.

A bill to make permanent the site of the public buildings for the county of Putnam, in the town of Eatonton, to establish and confirm the lines of said county as they now are, and to make valid the proceedings of the commissioners for said county.

A bill supplemental to the several tax laws of this State.

And they have passed the following bills from Senate:

A bill to authorize the Trustees of the Columbia county Academy, to establish a lottery for the purpose of raising the sum of two thousand dollars for the support of that institution.

A bill to alter and change the name of Eliza Moriah Dixon, to that of Eliza Republic, beg leave to report, in part, Moriah Hughes.

A bill for incorporating the Thespian Society and Library Company of Augus-

ta. With amendments.

And,

A bill to authorize the Justices of the Inferior Court of the county of M'Intosh, to appropriate a certain portion of the county tax to the support of the poor.

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do die on the table.

The Senate having postponed further Legislative proceedings—the president took the tribunal seat—and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having returned to the Senatorial chair—the Senate adjourned till to-morrow morning half past 9 o'clock.



Thursday, Dec. 1, 1808.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives, passed a resolution confirming the contract of the committee, with the several printers therein mentioned.

And he withdrew.

The Senate took up the report, and on Monday next. concurred in the said resolution.

State of the Republic, reported as follows, | bill, and Christopher Clark, respectively to wit :

The committee on the State of the

On document No. 1, referred to in the Governor's communication, relative to the existing differences between this State and North-Carolina, to wit:

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be requested to renew his application to the government of North-Carolina, for an appointment of commissioners, to meet such commissioners as have already been appointed on the part of the State of Georgia, to settle the existing differences between the two States, and in case he does not receive an answer in the affirmative, that the state of North Carolina will co-operate in designating the 35th degree of North Latitude, by the first day of February next, that his Excellency take such measures to carry that object into effect, as directed by a previous resolution.

> The Senate took up the report. Which was read and agreed to.

The following bills were severally read the 2d time, to wit:

A bill to incorporate the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society.

Ordered for a committee of the whole on to-morrow.

A bill to appropriate the funds heretofore set apart for the redemption of the public debt.

Ordered for a committee of the whole

Letters were received from the hon-Mr. Davies from the committee on the orable David Meriwether, Henry Gray-Inotifying the Legislature of their acceptance as Electors for President and Vice-President of the United States.

Ordered, That the Secretary notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Lane, of Putnam, from the committee to examine and correct witnesses accounts, reported the sums annexed to the following several names, to wit:

		D.	C.
Abner M'Gee, -		21	75
Charles Gachet,		ló	80
John Mathews, -		39	00
Bolling Hall, -		23	33 1.4
Robert Johnson		22	00
Hugh Hall, •		36	20
Thomas Winkfield,	•	20	
Richard Fretwell,	•	12	00
Thomas Napier,	•	3 0	75
John Jaredson,	a	14	00
Thomas Cargill,	•	49	31 1-4
Elijah Cornwall,	•	47	
Thomas Loyd,	•	47	31 1-4
Jacob Laughthridge,		13	311-4
Joel Langham,		5 0	00
Job Springer,		48	00
Joseph Phillips,	•	12	
Daniel Wadsworth,		44	
John H. Bryant,	•	46	33 1-2
Richard Castleburry,)	16	66 1 2
Thadeus Holt,	•	34	00
Joshua Hagarthy,		37	
William Hammitt,	•	45	33 1 2
Gabriel Gunn,	٠	23	33 1-2
Mereman Pounds,	•	27	35 1-2
Barnes Hollaway,	•	2 9	38 1-2
Thomas H. Kenan,		2	00
Abner Bankston,	•	8	00
Jesse Evans.		51	00
Mathew Duncan,	9	5	66
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John Coffee,		64	00
William Corley,	•	35	33 1.₺
William R. Allen,		42	00
Philip Cook,		38	00
Daniel Nunan,	•	36	00
Jos. Glass,	-	25	20
Edward Moore,	-	2	00
Sherwood Strong,	•	7	00
Charles Stewart,		7	00
David Fluker,	-	20	00:
Wm. Freeman,	•	48	75
Francis Powell,	•	7	00
		1196	38 1 4

On motion of Mr. Lane, of Putnam, Resolved, That the President be requested immediately to grant his warrant upon the treasury for their immediate compensation—and that they be relieved from further attendance to obtain the same.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Jack, from the committee appointed for that purpose, reported a bill to be entitled an act to limit and define the period within which grants of land, other than those disposed of by the two late land lotteries, may be issued.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Scruggs, from the committee appointed for that purpose, reported a bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Trustees of the German Lutheran Congregation at the town of Ebenezer, to sell the Glebe land, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

Which was received, and read the first time.

Mr. Henderson notifies the Senate, that he will to-morrow move for leave to report a bill to be entitled an act to amend the judiciary of this state, so as to explain and define the duty of the Sheriffs of this state.

Mr. Courvoisie called up the re-consideration of the minutes of so far as relates to the appointment of a committee of conference, which was appointed by the House of Representatives, and the Senate, on the resolution appointing Francis Doyle, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Chatham county, and

Resolved, That the rescinding of the appointing of the committee of conference, on the part of Senate, be disagreed toand that the appointment of that committee be confirmed.

Mr. Carr presented a petition from Josiah Durden.

Which was received, read and referted to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Carr, Taliaferro, —— be that committee.

Legislative proceedings, the President took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President resumed the Senatorial chair, and

Mr. Lane, of Putnam, moved that the President do now sign the warrant on the Treasury for the amount of the several sums due the witnesses on the impeachment of Echols, Simms and Flournoy.

On motion,

Ordered, That the warrant do lie on the table.

The Senate adjourned till to-morrow morning half past 9 o'clock.

♦♦♦♦♦♦♦₩**♦♦♦♦♦♦**\$ Friday, Dec. 2, 1808.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have concurred in several resolutions from Senate, and have passed sundry resolutions to which they desire concurrence.

They have passed the following bills:

A bill to be entitled an act to divorce Roderick Easly and Esther his wife.

A bill to be entitled an act to keep open the main channel of Broad river, from the confluence of the same with the Savannah river, to the mouth of Bluestone creek.

A bill to alter and amend an act, The Senate having postponed further | entitled " an act to appoint commissioners for to carry into effect the building the Court-House and Jail for the county of Wayne."

A bill to divide Laurens county.

A bill to repeal an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at the Court-House, or within one mile thereof, so far as respects the counties of Wayne and Tattnall, with an amendment.

A bill to be entitled an act to regulate the town of Darien, in the county of M'Intoshi

ing the office of Sheriff and Tax Collecfor or Coroner, at one and the same

A bill for the better regulation of faverns, shop-keepers, &c.

A bill to be entitled an act to amend an act, entitled " an act to incorporate the town of St. Mary."

A bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Episcopal Church in the town of Frederica, called Christ's Church.

A bill to divorce Jesse Coram and Patsey his wife, and for protecting each of them in their respective estates.

A bill to be entitled an act to allow further time to the Justices of the Inferior Court of Elbert county, to let the building of the Jail of said county.

A bill to be entitled an act to admit J. B. Barnes, R. T. Hanson, W Gresham, P. J. Carnes, J. D. Mitchell, J. Gray, R. C. Yancy and J. G. Willingham, to plead and practice law in the several counties in this state.

A bill to be entitled an act to amend some part and repeal other parts of an act, entitled "an act to point out the mode and punish such persons as have made fraudulent returns under the former laws disposing of the territory lately acquired from the Creek Nation."

A bill to be entitled an act to give further time to the purchasers of lots in the town of Milledgeville.

And he withdrew.

on the table.

The Senate called up the resolution appointing William Terrell, a Justice of returned therewith.

A bill to prevent persons from hold- the Inferior Court for the county of Hancock.

> And the same being read, was agreed to.

> Mr. Lanier notifies the Senate, that he will to-morrow move for a committee to be appointed, to report a bill to be entitled an act to establish the evidence of wills, deeds, and other written contracts.

> A petition from Sands Standley, was read and referred to the committee on petitions.

> A letter was received, addressed to the President of Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives, from the honorable James E. Houston, notifying the Legislature, that he would accept of the appointment of Elector for President and Vice-President of the United States.

On motion of Mr. Lane, of Putnam,

Resolved, That the Comptroller-General be requested immediately to check, and direct the Treasurer to pay the witnesses, as reported by the committee appointed to audit the same, agreeably to a joint and concurred resolution.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond, from the committee to whom was referred the petition of Jonathan Embre, reported, to wit:

On the petition of Jonathan Embre, stating the loss of a land warrant issued in the name of Isaac Hicks—your committee recommend the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Surveyor Gen-Ordered, That the message do lie eral be, and he is hereby required to pass the plat of Isaac Hicks, in the same manner as if the warrant for the same had been the same being read was agreed to.

Agreeably to the order of the day, the Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society—Mr. Jack in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Jack reported, That they had gone through the bill with amendents.

The Senate took up the report, and the amendments were agreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time and passed under the title aforesaid.

A letrer was presented from the Comptroller General, on the subject of checking warrants drawn by the President of Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Moore, from the committee of enrollment, reported as duly enrolled and Representatives, the two following acts.

An act to alter and change the name of Eliza Moriah Dixon, to that of Eliza Moriah Hughes.

And,

An act to authorize the trustees of the Columbia county Academy, to establish a lottery for the purpose of raising the sum of two thousand dollars for the support of that institution.

Whereupon:

The President signed the said acts. And ordered, That the committee!

The Senate took up the report, and tofenrollment do earry them to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

> Mr. Park, from the committee appointed for that purpose, reported a bill, to be entitled an act to establish the site of public buildings in the county of Mor-

> > Which was read the first time.

The Senate proceeded to take up the several messages from the House of Rcpresentatives, and concurred in the resolution appointing E. B. Hopkins, Harbor-Master of the town and port of Darien.

In the resolution appointing Benjamin Jacobs, a Lumber Measurer for the port of Savannah.

In the resolution confirming the Executive appointment of Patrick Houston, Esq. a Justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Bryan.

In the resolution appointing Richard W. Habersham, a Notary Public for the county of Chatham.

In the resolution appointing Daniel signed by the Speaker of the House of Miller, Vendue-Master for the town of Jefferson, in Camden county.

> In the resolution appointing Abraham Bessent, David Lewis, James Smith and James Hannay, commissioners, to carry into effectual opperation the lottery for the benefit of the town of St. Mary, in addition to those already appointed.

> In the resolution appointing William Neely, James Smith, Abraham Bessent and William Mickler, commissioners, for the Camden county Academy, in addition to those already appointed.

And,

In the resolution appointing Thomas Pace, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Washington county.

The Schate having postponed further Legislative proceedings, the President took the tribunal chair, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President resumed the Senatorial chair, and the Senate adjourned till tomorrow morning, half past 9 o'clock.

Saturday, Dec. 3, 1808.

Mr. Flournoy moved that the minutes of yesterday be reconsidered, so far as relates to the resolution requiring the Comptroller General to check a warrant on the Treasury, from the President, in favor of witnesses attending the trial of the impeachment of Echols, Simms and Flourney; and that the resolution be disagreed to.

On the question it was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 13—nays 17.

These who voted in the affirmative are,

Mesors. Burnett,

Lane, of Franklin,

Carr, Powell,
Dawson, Park,
Flournoy, Rawles,
Henderson, Scruggs, and
Hardie, Taliaterro.
Hammond,

Those who voted in the negative are,

Stepses. Ball,
Courvoisie,
Dayies,

Embre,	M'Griff,	
Fleuellen,	Moore,	
Gresham,	Spalding,	
Hogan,	Talbott,	
Jack,	Watts	and
Lane, of Putnam,	Walton.	
Lanier.		

On motion, Mr. Moore had leave of absence until Wednesday next.

Mr. Park, from the committee appointed, reported a bill supplemental to the act of 1805, and the act of 1799, pointing out the mode of selecting Grand and Petit Jurors.

Which was received, and read the first time.

Mr. Dawson, from the committee appointed, reported a bill authorizing the appointment of County Treasurers throughout this state.

Which was received, and read the first time.

Mr. Embre, from the committee on petitions, reported on the petition of the Volunteer Company of Artillery, attached to the 9th regiment of the militia of this state.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Hogan notified the Senate, that he would on Monday next, move for leave to introduce a bill to amend an act to organize the counties lying between the rivers Oconee and Ocmulgee, and to form a Judicial District.

Mr. Lanier, agreeably to notice, moved for the appointment of a committee to report a bill to establish the evidence of wills, deeds, and other written contracts.

Ordered, That Messrs, Lanier, Walton and Jack, be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Henderson, to re-

consider the journal of yesterday, so far | 🌣 🗢 🗢 🗢 🗢 🗢 🗢 🗢 🗢 🗢 🗢 as respects the report of the committee on the petition of Jonathan Embre, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And.

Ordered, That the said report do lie on the table.

Mr. Taliaferro, from the committee appointed, reported on the petition of a number of the inhabitants of the county of Washington.

Which was read and ordered to lie on

the table.

Mr. Carr, from the committee on Fimance, reported on the petitions of Matthew Rhan, James Batting and Mary his wife, Wilson Conner, John Steptoe and William Sharp.

Which was read, and ordered to lie

on the table.

Mr. Dawson gives notice, that he will on Monday next move for leave to introduce a bill to repeal an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at or within one mile of the Court-Houses of the respective counties in this state—passed 7th December, 1807—so far as respects the county of Washington.

The Senate having postponed all further Legislative proceedings, the President took the tribunal chair, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President resumed the Senatopial chair, and the Senate adjourned till Monday morning half past 9 o'clock.

Monday, Dec. 5, 1808.

Mr. Henderson presented a petitionfrom Mary Womack, in behalf of herself and the other heirs of William Durgan, deceased.

Which was read, and referred to a

special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Henderson, Davies and Hammond, be that committee.

The order of the day being called for,

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved, That the same be posts poned till to-morrow.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to alter and amend the second section of the fourth article of the constitution, so far as it respects elections by the General Assembly—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report; and on the question to agree to the same, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 21—nays 11.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messes. Burnett,

Henderson, Carter, Hammond, Dawson, Jack, Lane, of Frankling Embre, Fleuellen, Lanier. Flournoy, Powell, Greehamy Pope,

Park, Taliaferro. Rawles. Watts and Walton, Stewart. Scruggs,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Ball, Hogan, Lane, of Putnam Brown, M'Griff, Carr, Courvoisie, Spalding, and Talbott. Davies, Hardie,

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time; and on the question, shall this bill now pass, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required are, yeas 23, nays 9.

Those who voted in the affirmative are. Mesers. Ball, Lane, of Franklin, Burnett. Lanier, Carter, Powell, Dawson, Pope, Embre, Park, Fleuellen, Rawles, Flournoy, Stewart, Gresham, Scruggs, Henderson, Taliaferro, Hardie, Watts and Hammond, Walton. Jack,

Those who voted in the negative are, Lane, of Putnam, Messis. Brown, M'Griff, Carr, Courvoisie. Spalding, and Talbott. Davies, Hogan,

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be and passed. entitled an act to amend " an act to au-

Loper's, in the county of Effingham to Savannah, and for other purposes therein mentioned"—Mr. Powell in the chair— Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Powell reported, that they had gone through the same with amendments.

The Senate took up the report, and the amendments were agreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time and passed.

The bill to be entitled an act to amend " an act to compensate the Justices of the Inferior Courts of this state,* passed the 8th day of December, 1806, was taken up, read the third time, and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to continue in force for two years, the sixteenth section of an act entitled " an act to amend the several acts regulating roads in this state, so far as respects the operation of said acts in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, M'Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne"—Mr. Lane, of Franklin, in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Lane reported, that they had gone through the same with the following amendment:— Strike out "two years," and insert "one year."

The Senate took up the report, which was read and agreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time.

The Senate resolved itself into a thorize Ebenezer Jenckes to erect a Turn-committee of the whole, on the bill to be pike Gate, on the road leading from Joshua entitled an act to prevent any person or

over the rivers, creeks or water courses of Chatham county—Mr. Park in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair -and Mr. Park reported, that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report, which was read and agreed to, with the following amendment:—Insert "Bryan," in the caption of said bill.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time, and passed.

Governor, by Mr. Bozeman, his secretary:

Mr. President—His Excellency the Governor has approved of the following concurred resolutions, to wit:

One appointing John Goldwire and Robert Burton, Esquires, Justices of the Inferior Court, for the county of Effingham.

One appointing Archibald Smith and James Rountree, Esquires, Justices of the Inferior Court for the county of Telfair.

One appointing Clement Bryan, Esq. a Justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Tattnall.

One appointing Thomas Fulton, Esq. a Justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Jefferson.

One appointing Ashley Wood, Esq. a Justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Laurens.

One appointing William Bird and George Nowlan, Esquires, commissioners of the Effingham county Academy.

One requiring the Treasurer and

persons from placing obstructions in or Comptroller General, to open a chest in the Treasury Office, and to examine the papers therein contained, and to furnish the Legislature with any which may be found relative to the outstanding evidences of debt. And has approved of so much of a resolution as relates to the appointment of Joseph Turner and Isaac Abrahams, Esquires, as Notaries Public for the county of Glynn, and disapproves of so much of the same resolution as relates to the appointment of Commissioners of Pilotage, for the port of Brunswick. And has directed me to notify this House thereof—it being the branch of the General Assem-A message from his Excellency the bly in which the said several resolutions originated. And has also directed me to deliver his reasons for disapproving of the latter part of the last mentioned resolution; which is in the words following, to wit:

> Mr. President & Gentlemen of the Senate, I have disapproved of part of a resolution which originated in your branch of

the General Assembly, to wit:

A resolution appointing commissioners of pilotage for the port of Brunswick;

Not from any belief or suspicion of the appointment being improper, but because, in and by an act passed the 6th day of December, 1799, entitled "An act to regulate the pilotage to and from the several ports of this state,"—the Governor is exclusively vested with the power of filling all vacancies which may happen in any or either of the boards of commissioners of pilotage, within this state.

(Signed) JARED IRWIN. 5th December, 1808.

And he withdrew.

The following bills were severally taken up and read the second time, to wit:

A bill to alter and amend an act to repeal an ordinance passed 26th January, 1786, so far as respects the fixing the seat of the University of this State, and an act for the more full and complete establishment of a public seat of learning in this state, so far as respects the appointment of trustees, passed the 27th day of January, 1785, and to appoint a board of trustees, and to define the board of visitors, and to fix a permanent seat for the said University.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to alter and amend the 10th section of the 3d article of the constitution.

Mr. Carr moved that the following amendments be made to the bill previous to its being read the third time:

And be it further enacted, That the Justices of the Peace shall hereafter be elected by the electors of the several militia captain's districts to which they belong, every year, at such time and manner as the General Assembly shall by law prescribe; and when elected, shall be commissioned by the Governor.

And be it also enacted, That the Justices of the Inferior Courts shall also be elected every four years, in such manner as the General Assemby shall by law point out:

And on the question to agree to the same, it was resolved in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 7—nays 25.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messes. Carr,

Flournoy,

Hogan, Scruggs, and Talbott.
Park,

Those who voted in the negative are Messrs. Ball, Jack,

Lane, of Putnama: Brown, Lanier, Burnett. M'Griff. Carter, Courvoisie, Powell, Dawson, Pope, Davies, Rawles, Stewart, Embre, Fluellen, Spalding, Gresham, Taliaferro, Henderson, Watis and Walton. Hardie, Hammond,

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed the following bills:

A bill to quiet the claim of Freeman Birdsong and Samuel Bell, to certain lands therein mentioned.

A bill to enlarge the limits of the town of Elberton, and to extend the jurisdiction of the corporation thereof.

And,

A bill for the relief of John Smith, R. H.

And they have passed the following bills from Senate:

A bill to be entitled an act to make permanent the site of the public buildings for the county of Randolph, at Monticello.

A bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of Louisville, to lay out in lots, and sell such part of the common of said town as they may think proper, and to appropriate the pro-

cheds of such sales to the use of the successors, for the purpose of building a Academy of Louisville.

And,

A bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to regulate the town of Carnes wille," with amendments.

And he withdrew.

The Senate took up the following bills, which were severally read the second time, to wit:

A bill to separate and divorce Robert Rudolph and Mary his wife.

Ordered for a committee of the whole, on to-morrow.

A bill extending the time of taking out grants, &c.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to establish a ferry over the river Alatamaha, at Fort Barrington.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill amendatory of the seventh section of the judiciary act, passed 16th February, 1799.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to establish a ferry in the county of Effingham.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to change the name of Edney Robertson.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to alter the name of Thomas Ryan, to that of Thomas Coram.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill authorizing and requiring the conveyance of a lot on the common of borough, and the corporate jurisdiction Augusta, to certain trustees and their thereof.

new Church, and to incorporate the Trustees of said Church.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill for prescribing the mode of admitting persons to practice Medicine and Surgery within this state.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to authorize the commission. ers of the different county Academies in this state, to receive the amount of one thousand pounds sterling, as appropriated for the promotion of learning, by an act of the General Assembly, passed the 20th day of December, 1793.

Ordered for a committee of the whole-A bill supplemental to the act of limitations.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to authorize Joseph Maria Lequinio Kerbley, a subject of France, but now a Denizen of South Carolina, to purchase and hold in his own right real estate.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to admit John Greene Willingham to plead and practice in the several courts of law and equity in this state.

Ordered for a committee of the whole,

A bill to point out the mode of rendering void all grants or other proceedings founded on false or fraudulent returns made by persons not entitled to draws in the late land lotteries in this state, and to repeal an act passed at the last General Assembly on that subject.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. A bill to extend the town of Greenes

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to amend the act to alleviate the condition of debtors, and to give them temporary relief.

Ordered for a committee of the whole first time.

to-morrow.

A bill supplemental to the judiciary have now of force in this state, and to render more easy the practice and proceedings in the Superior and Inferior Courts.

Ordered for a committee of the whole

on Wednesday next.

A bill to prevent the barbarous and inhuman practice of duelling in this state also the mode of punishment for such offences.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to authorize the trustees of the German Lutheran Congregation, at the town of Ebenezer, or their successors in office, to sell the glebe land belonging to said Congregation, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to limit and define the period within which grants for land, other than that disposed of by the two late state land lotteries, may be issued.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to establish the site of the public buildings in the county of Morgan.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill authorizing the appointment of county treasurers throughout this state.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to authorize the Justices of the Inferior Courts to draw Grand & Petit Jurors.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

Mr. Spalding, from the committee appointed, reported a bill to endow and instate with certain lands in the 7th district | was resolved in the negative.

of Baldwin, and to authorize them to sell other lands which the University hold in Jackson county.

Which was received and read the

Mr. Park, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to alter and amend the 15th section of the fourth article of the constitu-

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Dawson, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to repeal "an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at or within one mile of the Court Houses of the respective counties in this state"—so far as respects the county of Washington.

Which was received and read the

first time.

Mr. Lanier, from the committee appointed, reported a bill to establish the evidence of wills, deeds and other written contracts.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Courvoisie, from the joint committee of conference on the subject of difference on the resolution appointing a Justice of the Inferior Court of Chatham county, reported as follows:

The joint committee of conference on the subject of difference on the resolution appointing Francis Doyle, a Justice of the Inferior Court of the county of Chatham. recommend that the Senate recede from their disagreement, and concur with the House of Representatives, in that resolu-

The Senate took up the report, and vest the trustees of the university of this I on the question to agree to the same, it quired are, yeas 12, nays 19.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Burnett, Pope, /Courvoisie, Park, Hammond, Rawles, Jack, Stewart, Talbott Lauter, and Powell, Walten.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Mesors. Ball, Henderson, Hardie, Brown, Lane, of Putnam, Catter; Lane, of Franklin, Carr, Dawson, M'Griff, Davies, Scruggs, Embre, Spalding, Fleuellen. Taliaferro, and Flournoy, Harahamis of close sures

27 65 1 The Senate adjourned till half past 🔊 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Tuesday, Dec. 6, 1808.

Mr. Hammond gave notice, that he would on to-morrow, move for leave to introduce a bill to repeal a part of the 9th section of "an act to lay out and identify six new counties out of the coun-∉ies of Baldwin and Wilkinson," passed the 10th day of December, 1807.

Mr. Carr, from the committee appointed on the petition of Josiah Durden, ginal purchase. reported on said petition as follows, to wit:

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Josiah Durden, with the documents accompanying the same, report—it appears that David M'Cormick

And the year and nays being re-spurchased at the fractional sales, a lot of land, situate, lying and being in the first district of Baldwin county, joining the Milledgeville commons; which said lot of land, according to the plat and grant to the said David M'Cormick, contains one hundred and twenty-nine and one fourth acres; but upon a re-survey made by the Surveyor General, is found to contain only ninety-four acres, or thereabout, making a deficiency of thirty-four acres; which deficiency is occasioned by a mistake in the District Surveyor who laid out the lots, in laying down the distance from the corner to Fishing creek, wherein he made the line eleven chain and forty links longer than what it appears to be by the re-survey made by the Surveyor General.

> And it further appears to your committee, that the said David M'Cormick has sold and transferred his right and title to the said lot of land, with others, unto Josiah Durden, who is bound to make payments for the said lot to the state.

> > Whereupon:

Your committee recommend the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and he is hereby directed to discount with the said Josiah Durden, off the bonds given for said fraction, for the thirty four acres, according to the price of the ori-

The Senate took up the report, and disagreed to the same.

And the yeas and nays being re quired, are yeas 27—nays 3.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Lane, of Putnam, Messrs. Ball, Lane, of Franklin, Burnett. Lanier, Carter, M'Griff. Courvoisie d Pope, Dawson, Park, Davies. Rawles, Embre, Stewart, Fluellen. Spalding, Flournoy, Talbott. Gresham, Taliaferro. Henderson, Watts and Hardie, Walton. Hammond, Jack,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Carr, Scruggs. Powell, and

The Senate took up the several messages from the House of Representatives—and the following bills were read the first time, to wit:

A bill to enlarge the limits of the town of Elberton, and to extend the jurisdiction of the corporation thereof.

A bill for the relief of John Smith,

A bill to quiet the claim of Freeman Birdsong and Samuel Bell, to certain lands therein mentioned.

A bill to divorce Roderick Easley and Esther his wife.

They agreed to the amendment made by the House of Representatives, to the bill to repeal "an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at the Court-House of the respective counties, or within one mile thereof," passed 7th December, 1807, so far as respects the counties of Wayne and Tattnall.

Ordered, That the remainder of the messages do lie on the tables

A message from the House of Respresentatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have unanimously agreed to the address to the President of the United States.

And he withdrew.

Ordered to lie on the table.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to amend "an act to alleviate the condition of debtors, and to give them temporary relief"—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

The Senate took up the report; and on the question to amend the same by inserting the first Monday in November next, it was resolved in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 9—nays 22.

Those who voted in the affirmative are;

Messrs. Carr, Rawles,
Davies, Stewart,
Flournoy, Scruggs, and
Hammond, Talbott.
Lane, of Franklin,

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Ball, Lane, of Putnam Burnett, Lanier, Carter, M'Griff, Courvoisies. Powell, Dawson, Pope, Embre, Park, Fleuellen, Spalding, Gresham, Taliaferro. Henderson Watts and Hardie, Walton. Hogany

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed the bill from Senate, to incorporate the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society, with amendments.

And he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, and the amendments were agreed to.

The Senate called up the order of the day which was postponed yesterday, and resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to appropriate the funds heretofore set apart for the redemption of the public debt—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the bill with amendments.

The Senate took up the amendments. Which were read and agreed to.

The bill was taken up and read the third time.

And on the question, shall this bill mow pass? it was determined in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 17—nays 11.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Pope, Park, Courvoisie. Henderson, Rawles, Hardie, Stewart, Hammond, Scruggs, Spalding, Jack, f. Lane, of Franklin, and Talbott Walton. Lanier, 🐣 Powell,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messre. Ball, Burnett, Carr,
Dawson,
Embre,
Taliaferro, and
Watts.
Gresham,

Whereupon:

The bill passed under the title aforesaid.

The Senate, agreeably to the order of the day, resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to separate and divorce Robert Rudolph and Mary his wife—Mr. Burnett in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Burnett reported, that they had gone through the bill without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report. Which was agreed to.

The bill was taken up and read the third time.

And on the question, shall this bill now pass? it was determined in the negative, there not being two thirds who voted in favor of it.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Burnett, Lanier. Carr, Powell. Courvoisies. Pope, Dawson, Park, Gresham, Spalding, Henderson. Taliaferro. Hardie, Talbott, and Walton. Hogan, Lane, of Putnam.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Ball,
Carter,
Embre,
Fluellen,
Scruggs, and

Hammond, Watts, Lane, of Franklin,

Mr. Watts notified the Senate, that he will to morrow move for leave to introduce a bill to be entided an act to remove the courts and county business of the county of Telfair from the house of Jesse Byrd to the house of John Peterson.

Mr. Henderson, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to be entitled an act pointing out the duty of Sheriffs in selling lands under execution.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Park, from the special committee, reported a bill to be entitled an act to establish the site of public buildings in Jones county, and to appropriate the monies arising from the sale of lots in said county.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Lane, of Putnam, presented a petition from a majority of the Justices of the Inferior Court of Morgan county.

Which was received, read and referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Lane, of Putnam, Hogan and Carter, be that committee.

The Senate adjourned till half past 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Wednesday, Dec. 7, 1808.

On motion of Mr. Hardie, to reconsider the journal of yesterday, so far as respects the bill to divorce Robert Rudolph and Mary his wife. It was resolved in the affirmative. On motion of Mr. Fluellen,

Resolved, That Isaac Ball be, and he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Warren, in place of Henry Candler, resigned.

On motion of Mr. Carr,

Resolved, That the Senate will adjourn at the hour of 12 o'clock, in order that the Electors for President and Vice-President may have the Senate Chamber to hold their election therein.

Mr. Stewart, from the committee on enrolled bills, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, an act for the relief of John M'Connell and James Elmore.

Mr. Hammond, from the joint committee appointed, reported a bill to repeal an act to suspend for the time therein expressed, the operation of an act passed the 8th day of December, 1806, entitled "an act to extend the operation of the laws of this state over the persons resident in Wafford's settlement, and to organize the same," passed 5th December, 1807.

Which was received, and read the first time.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill from Senate, to amend the several acts regulating roads in this state, so far as respects the operation of said acts in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, Mintosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne, so far as respects the county of Wayne.

And

merly Jane Cason, any property that she may hereafter acquire, by deed, will or otherwise.

They have agreed to the resolution requiring his Excellency the Governor to renew his application to the government of North-Carolina, to co-operate in ascertaining the 35th degree of north latitude.

And,

They have agreed to: the report of the committee on finance.

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do He on the table.

On motion of Mr. Rawles,

Resolved, That Bridger Jones be, and he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Inferior Court of the county of Bulloch, in the room of Joseph Tanner, resigned.

Mr. Hammond, from the committee cappointed, reported a bill to repeal part of the 9th section of " an act to lay out and identify six new counties out of the counties of Baldwin and Wilkinson."

Which was received, and read the first time.

Mr. Park presented a petition relagive to opening the Oconee river.

Which was read, and referred to a special committee, to report by bill or · otherwise.

Ordered, That Messrs. Park, Lane, of Franklin and Gresham, be that committee.

deration of the minutes of yesterday, so the chair—and Mr. Walton reported profar as respects the passage of the bill to gress, and had leave to sit again.

A bill to secure to Jane Cone, for- divorce Robert Rudolph and Mary his wife.

And,

Resolved, That the minutes be rescinded.

And on the question, shall this bill now pass, it was determined in the affirm.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 25, nays 8.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Lane, of Putnam, Messrs. Brown. Lanier, Burnett, M'Griff, Carter, Powell, Carr, Dawson, Pope, Davies, Park, Fleuellen, Rawles. Flournoy, Spalding. -Gresham, Taliaferro. Henderson, Talbott. Watts and Hardie, Hogan, Walton. Jack,

Those who voted in the negative are, Lane, of Franklin, Messrs. Ball, Moore, Courvoisie, Embre, Stewart, and Hammond, Scruggs.

The honorable Sterling Hightower, a member elect from the county of Walton, attended, produced his credentials, and the usual oath being administered to him, took his seat.

The Senate again resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to amend " an act to alleviate the condition of debtors, and to give them temporary relief"—Mr. Wal-The Senate took up the re-consi-ton in the chair—Mr. President resumed

row morning half past 9 o'clock.

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Thurfday, Dec. 8, 1808.

Mr. Brown, from the committee ap pointed, reported a bill for the temporary relief of Cornelius Murphy.

Which was received and read the first time.

The Senate took up the message from the House of Representatives, containing the address of the Legislature of this state to the President of the United States Which being read was unanimously con curred in.

The Senate again resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to amend "an act to alleviate the condition of debtors and to give them temporary relief" -Mr. Walton in the chair-Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the said report do lie on the table.

The Senate having postponed further Legislative proceedings, the President took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President resumed the Senatorial chair,

And,

The Senate adjourned till half past g o'clock to-morrow morning,

Friday, Dec. 9, 1808.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt their clerk:

Mr President—The House of Representatives have passed a bill to alter the name of John Clifton to that of John Anderson Lea.

And.

A bill to alter and amend the several militia laws of this state, and to organize the cavairy.

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do lie on the table.

Mr. Taliaferro, from the committee appointed, reported on the petition of the inhabitants of Wilkinson county, as follows, to wit:

The committee to whom was referred the petition of sundry inhabitants of the county of Wilkinson, praying to be added to the county of Baldwin, report, that the prayer of the petitioners is reasonable and ought to be granted, and that leave be given to bring in a bill for that purpose.

The Senate took up the report.

Which was read and agreed to. And Ordered, That the said petition be referred to the committee who first had the same under consideration, to report by bill.

Mr. Lane, of Putnam, from the committee appointed, reported a bill for the relief of the Interior Court for the county of Morgan.

Which was received and read the

first time.

Mr. Moore, from the committee on enrollment, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker the following acts, to wit:

An act to incorporate the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society.

An act to authorize the commissioners of Louisville to lay out in lots and sell such part of the common of said town as they may think proper, and to appropriate the proceeds of such sales to the use of the Academy of Louisville.

An act to repeal an act, entitled "an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at the Court Houses of their respective counties or within one mile thereof."——Passed 7th December, 1807—so far as respects the counties of Wayne, Tattnall, Wilkinson and Laurens.

An act to make permanent the site of the public buildings for the county of Randolph at Monticello.

An act to secure to Jane Cone, formerly Jane Cason, any property which she may hereafter acquire, by deed, will or otherwise.

An act to alter and amend an act entitled "an act to appoint commissioners for the purpose of carrying into effect the building the Court House and Jail for the county of Wayne."

And,

An act to amend an act entitled "an act to amend the several acts regulating roads in this state, so far as respects the operation of said acts in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, M. Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne," so far as it respects the county of Wayne.

Which were severally presented to, and signed by the President.

Ordered, That the committee do carry the said acts to his Excellency the Governor, for his revision.

Mr Hammond introduced the following resolutions, to wit:

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be requested without delay, to cause to be laid before this Legislature, a statement of the situation of the Arsenal at Louisville, as well the condition of the arms, of the returns made by the officer of the guard, and the payments made thereon.

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby required without delay, to lay before this Legislature, the cause or causes which have induced him to disarm (at the present crisis) the company of Artillery of Jefferson county, who have, as must be well known to his Excellency, volunteered their services as a part of the quota of militia or volunteers required of this state, for the service of the United States, and have been, and still are under marching orders, and form the whole of that species of troops required from the second Brigade of the first Division of the Militia of this State.

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be required to lay before this Legislature without delay, the state of an Artillery Company said to have been organized in the town of Milledgeville; for the arming of which Company, it is said the Artillery Company of Jefferson county have been disarmed, together with the

date of the commissions and state of their uniform.

Which were severally read and ordered to lie on the table.

The Senate took up the report of the committee of the whole on the bill to be entitled an act to amend "an act to alleviate the condition of debtors and to give them temporary relief."—And,

On motion of Mr. Lanier to amend the report, by inserting the following in the first clause:

Upon giving up property to the amount of one half of the judgment or execution, as the case may be; which property shall be valued by three discreet persons, at and after such rate as should have been at the time of the debt being created, one of said persons to be nominated by the plaintiff, one other to be nominated by the defendant, the third person to be nominated by the Justice or Clerk of the Court in which the judgment was obtained, a majority of whom shall determine on the valuation of such property; which property, when valued may be received or refused by the plaintiff, at three fourths of the valuation thereof, on the defendant's complying with the terms of this act, for the balance or whole amount as the case may be.

It was resolved in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 14, nays 19.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball, Hammond.

S. Ball, Hammond,
Carr, Jack,
Courvoisie, Lanier,
Dawson, Rawles,
Embre, Stewart,
Fleurnoy, Scruggs.

Talbott, and Watts.

Those who voted in the negative are. Messrs. Brown, Lane, of Putnam. Burnett, Lane, of Franklin. M'Griff, Carter, Moore, Davies. Fleuellen. Powell, Gresham, Pope, Henderson. Spalding. Taliaferro, and Hardie Hogan, Walton. Hightower.

Mr. Hammond moved that the following amendment be agreed to, and inserted at the end of the first clause, to wit:

And upon paying one third part of the judgment and one third part of the cost.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 17—nays 13.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Carr. Jack. Courvoisie, Moore. Dawson, Pope. Davies, Rawles. Embre. Stewart, Fluellen. Scruggs, Flournoy, Talbott an@ Henderson, Watts. Hammond,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Ball, Hightower,

Brown, Lane, of Putname,
Burnett, M'Griff,
Carter, Powell,
Gresham, Spalding, and
Hardie, Walton.

He then moved that the bill be as mended to read:

And that one third only of the judgment and costs shall be levied for, provided they are not paid.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 14—nays 18.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Mésses. Carr, Lane, of Franklin, Courvoisie, Moore, Dawson, Pope, Davies, Rawles. Flournoy, Stewart, Hammond, Scruggs, and Jack, Talbott.

Those who voted in the negative are, Messes. Ball, Hogan, Brown, Hightower, Burnett, Laue, of Putnam, Carter. M'Griff, Embre, Powell, Fleuellen. Spalding, Gresham, Taliaferro, Henderson, Watts and Mardie, Walten.

He then moved that the following amendment be agreed to, in the same clause, to wit:

And that the property of the security or securities shall be bound from the time they enter such security, and shall be subject to the original execution.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required are yeas 13—nays 17.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Carr, Flournoy, Dawson. Henderson, Davies,

Hammond. Fleuellen, Jack,

Lane, of Franklin, Moore, Pope,	Rawles, Scruggs Talbott.	and
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Those who voted in	the negative are.
Messrs. Ball,	Hightower,
Brown,	Lane, of Putnam,
Burnett,	M'Griff,
Carter,	Powell,
Courvoisie,	Spalding,
Embre,	Taliaferro.
Gresham,	Watts and
Hardie,	Walton.
Hogan,	

Mr. Flournoy moved that the following clause be inserted preceding the last clause in said bill, to wit:

And be it further enacted, That whenever the plaintiff or plaintiffs in any case shall apprehend that the defendant or defendants are about to remove beyond the limits of the state or county, it shall be lawful upon making oath thereof, to issue and levy the execution on the property, both real and personal, which shall be sold as the law directs, unless the defendant or defendants shall give additional security to produce the property at the place and time of sales in the county, upon the first sale day after the determination of this act.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 12—nays 21.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball,

Hammend, Carr. Jack, Dawson, Lane, of Franklin, Davies, Lanier, Embre, Pope and Flourney, Rawles.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Brown, M'Griff. Moore, Burnett. Powell. Carter, Courvoisie, Stewart, Scruggs, Fleuellen, Gresham, Spalding, Taliaferro, Henderson, Hardie, Talbott, Watts and Hogan, Walton. Hightower, Lane of Putnam.

Mr. Carr moved that the following chause be inserted preceding the last clause in said bill, to wit:

And be it further enacted, That all the property both real and personal, of all such security, which shall be taken pursuant to the conditions of this act, shall be bound from the time of his entering such security, and that execution may go forth against both principal and security, or either of them, at the option of the plaintiff.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 11, nays 22.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Carr, Jack,
Dawson, Lane, of Franklin,
Davies, Pope,
Flournoy, Rawles and

Talbott.

Henderson, Hammond,

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Ball,

Brown,

Burnett,

Gresham,

Burnett, Greshan Carter, Hogan, Courvoisies Hardie, Hightower,
Lane, of Putnam,
Lanier,
M'Griff,
Moore,
Powell,
Stewart,
Scruggs,
Taliaferro,
Watts and
Walton.

Mr. Lanier moved that the following clause be inserted, to wit:

And be it further enacted, That the Treasurer shall not be allowed to issue execution against the purchasers of fractional surveys, for a sum larger than one half of the first instalments for which purchasers bonds are deposited.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was determined in the negative.

The report being amended was as greed to.

And,

On motion of Mr. Spalding,

The said bill was read the third time; and on the question, shall this bill now pass as amended, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 23, nays 10.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Ball, Lane of Putnams Brown, Burnett, Lanier. M'Griff, Carter, Moore, Courvoisie, Dawson, Pope, Scruggs, Embre, Fleuellen, Spalding, Gresham, Taliaferro, Watts and Henderson, Hardie, Walton. Hightower,

Those who voted in the negative are Messres Carr, Davies,

Flournoy, Hogan, Hammond, Lane, of Frankling. Powell. Rawles, Stewart and Talbott.

The Senate having postponed further legislative business, the President took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having returned to the Senatorial seat,

The Senate adjourned till to morrow morning half past 9 o'clock.

Saturday, Dec. 10, 1808.

A letter was received from Daniel Sturges, Esq. Surveyor-General.

Which was read, and referred to the

committee on finance.

A letter was received from David M'Coy.

Which was read, and referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Lane, of Putnam, presented a petition from John Whitehead.

Which was read, and referred to a special committee, to report by bill or otherwise.

Ordered, That Messrs. Lane, of Putnam, Carter and Gresham, be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Lane, of Putnam, Resolved, That Matthew Jones be, and he is hereby appointed Vendue Master for the town of Eatonton and the coun ty of Putham:

would on Monday next move for leave to introduce a bill, to give and endow the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society, with the property now claimed by and under the controll of the Trustces of Bethesda College,

Mr. Moore, from the committee on enrollment, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, an act to prevent any person or persons from placing obstructions in or over the rivers, creeks or water courses of Chatham and Bryan counties.

Which was presented to, and signed by the President.

Ordered, That the committee do carry the said act to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

Mr. Spalding presented a petitior from a number of the inhabitants of the county of Jones.

Which was read, and referred to ? select committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Spalding Carter and Pope, be that committee.

The committee appointed for tha purpose, reported a bill to incorporate; company for the purpose of opening the Oconee river, and to grant a lottery for that purpose.

Which was received, and read the first time.

The Senate having postponed fur ther legislative proceedings, the Presi dent took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having returned to the Senatorial Seat, the Senate adjourned til Mr. Courvoisie gave notice, that he! Monday morning half past 9 o'clock.

Monday, Dec. 12, 1808,

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have concurred in the resolution appointing George Ker a Notary Public for the county of Camden.

And,

They have passed the following resolutions, to wit:

A resolution appointing Hillary Pratt, a Justice of the Inferior Court of the county of Jones.

A resolution appointing William N. Harman, a commissioner of the town of Louisville.

A resolution appointing John Cook, a Justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Jones.

And,

A resolution appointing John H. Brewer, Wyley Thompson and Archelis Jarrett, commissioners of the Academy of Elbert county.

They have passed the following bids, to wit:

A bill to amend "an act to regulate and keep in repair the public roads and bridges in the counties of Burke, Jefferson, Richmond, Greene and Morgan," so far Morgan.

And,

A bill for the establishment and support of military schools in the several militia divisions in this state, to point out the mode | Court of Morgan county,

深色の名というこうこうこうにん (of distributing the public arms, and to designate the several places within each Major-General's command where the same shall be deposited.——And

> They have passed a bill from Senate, to continue in force for one year the sixteenth section of "an act to amend the several acts regulating roads in this state, so far as respects the operation of said acts in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, M'Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne.

> > And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do lie on the table.

The following bills were severally taken up and read the second time, to wit:

A bill pointing out the duty of Sheriffs in selling lands under execution.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to repeal "an act to suspend an act to extend the operation of the laws of this state over the persons resident in Wafford's settlement, and to organize the

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to remove the courts and county business of the county of Telfair.

Ordered for a committee of the whole,

A bill to repeal part of the 9th section of "an act to lay out and identify six new counties out of the counties of Baldwin and Wilkinson."

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to establish the site of public as respects the counties of Greene and buildings in Jones county, and to appropriate the money arising from the sale of lots in said county.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill for the relief of the Inferior

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to incorporate a company for the purpose of opening the Oconee river, and to grant a lottery for that purpose,

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to repeal "an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at or within one mile of the Court Houses of the respective counties in this state,"—so far as respects the county of Washington.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill for a temporary relief of Cornelius Murphy.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to establish the evidence of Wills, Deeds, and other written contracts.

Ordered for a committee of the whole, in June next.

A bill to amend the 15th section of the fourth article of the constitution.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to endow and invest the trusties of the University of Georgia, with certain lands in the 7th district Baldwin, and to authorize them to sell other lands which the University hold in Jackson county.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

Mr. Lane, of Putnam, from the committee appointed, reported a bill to establish a toll bridge at the plantation of John Whitehead, on little river, in Putnam county.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Hogan, from the committee appointed, reported a bill to amend an act to gone organize the counties lying between the ment. rivers Oconee and Ocmulgee, and to form a Judicial Circuit.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Courvoisie, agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to invest the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society with all the property, real and personal of the Orphan House, or Bethesda College, in the county of Chatham.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Spalding, from the committee appointed, reported a bill to attach part of the county of Jones to the county of Randolph.

Which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Lane, of Putnam, presented a letter from William Watson.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Moore, from the committee on enrollment, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, an act to divide the county of Laurens, and to form one other new county.

Which was presented to, and signed by the President.

Ordered, That the committee do carry the said act to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

The Senate again resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to add part of the county of Camden to the county of Wayne—Mr. Moore in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Moore reported, that they had gone through the same with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report.—Which was read and agreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time, and passed under the title aforesaid.

Mr. Moore, from the committee on enrollment, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, an act to continue in force for one year, the sixteenth section of " an act to amend the several actsregulating roads in this state, so far as respects the operation of said acts in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, M.Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne."

Which was presented to, and signed by the President.

Ordered, That the committee do carry the said act to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

The Senate again resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to extend the time for taking out grants of the late land lottery—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

The Senate took up the report.— Which was agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act supplemental to the judiciary law now of force in this state, and to render more easy the practice and proceedings in the Superior and Inferior Courts—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. and asked Walton reported progress, leave to sit again to morrow.

The Senate took up the report, which was read. being read,

s to-morrow" in said report, be striken tive,

out, and the words "November next," be inserted.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was determined in the affirma-

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 19, nays 14.

Those who voted in the affirmative are. Messrs. Ball, Lane, of Putnam. Brown, Lane, of Frankling. Courvoisie, M'Griff, Davies, Rawles, Embre, Stewart, Fleuellen, Spalding, Gresham, Taliaferro, Hogan, Watts and Hammond, Walton. Hightower,

Those who voted in the negative are. Messrs. Burnett, Lanier. Carr, Moore, Dawson. Powell, Flournoy, Pope, Henderson, Park, Hardie, Scruggs, and Jack, Talbott. Whereupon:

The said report was agreed to, as: amended.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to limit and define the periods within which grants for land, (other than that disposed of by the two late state land lotteries) shall be issued—Mr. Hardie in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair -and Mr. Hardie reported, that the further consideration of said bill be postponed until the first day of June next.

The Senate took up the report, which

And on the question to agree to the Mr. Hammond moved that the word same, it was determined in the affirmaquired, are yeas 21—nays 10.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball, Hightower,

Brown, Lane, of Putnam, Lane, of Franklin, Courvoisie, Dawson, Pope, Davies, Rawles, Embre, Stewart. Flournoy, Spalding, Gresham, Taliaferro, Henderson, Watts and Hogan, Walton. Hammond,

Those who voted in the negative are, Moore. Messrs, Burnett,

Powell. Carter, Park, Carr, Jack, Scruggs and Lanier, Talbett.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to authorize the commissioners of the different county Academies in this state, to receive the amount of one thousand pounds sterling, as appropriated for the promotion of learning, by an act of the General Assembly, passed the 20th day of December, 1793—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair -and Mr. Walton reported progress and asked leave to sit again to-morrow.

The Senate took up the report. Which was read and agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be rendering youd all grants or other proceedings founded on false or fraudulent returns made by persons not entitled to the Columbia county Academy, to estab-

And the yeas and nays being re-state, and to repeal an act passed at the last General Assembly on that subject— Mr. Lanier in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Lanier reported, that they had gone thro' the same with amendments.

The Senate took up the report; and the amendments were agreed to.

Ordered, That the said bill be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Gresham presented a petition from Rene Fitzpatrick.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

The Senate adjourned till 4 o'clock this evening.

The Senate met agreeably to adjournment, and having postponed further Legislative proceedings, the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamamation.

The President having resumed the Senatorial chair,

The Senate adjourned till half after 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

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Tuesday, Dec. 13, 1808,

A message from his Excellency the Governor, by Mr. Bozeman, his Secretary:

Mr. President—His Excellency the entitled an act to point out the mode of Government has assented to and signed the following acts, to wit:

An act to authorize the trustees of draws in the late land lotteries in this lish a lottery for the purpose of raising

two thousand dollars for the support of she may hereafter acquire by deed, with that institution.

An act to alter and change the name of Eliza Moriali Dixon, to that of Eliza Moriah Hughes.

An act to divide the county of Laurens, and to form one other new county.

An act to continue in force for one year, the sixteenth section of an act, entitled "an act to amend the several acts regulating roads in this state—so far as ted. respects the operation of said acts in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, M'Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne.

An act to incorporate the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society.

An act to make permanent the site of the public buildings for the county of Randolph, at Monticello.

An act to authorize the commissioners of Louisville to lay out in lots and sell such part of the common of said town as they may think proper, and to appropriate the proceeds of such sales to the use of the Academy of Louisville.

An act to amend an act entitled "an act to amend the several acts regulating roads in this state,—so far as respects the operation of said acts in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, M'Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne"—so far as it respects the county of Wayne.

An act to repeal "an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at the Court Houses of the respective counties or withcounties of Wayne, Tattnall, Wilkinson and Laurens.

or otherwise. And,

An act to alter and amend "an act to appoint commissioners for the purpose of carrying into effect the building the Court House and Jail for the county of Wayne.

And has requested me to return said acts to this branch of the Legislature, it being the branch in which they origina-

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the committee on enrollment do carry said acts to the Secretary of State, and see the great seal of the state affixed thereto.

Mr. Davies, from the committee on the state of the republic, reported on document No. 4,—referred to in the Goveernor's communication.

Which was read and ordered to lie' on the table.

The Senate took up the report of the committee on finance; which is as follows, to wit:

The committee on finance, to whom was referred sundry petitions and other documents relative to the funds of this State, beg leave to report,

On the petition of Matthew Rhan, praying an appropriation in his favor, on a warrant granted by his Excellency S. Elbert, beg leave to recommend him to the attention of a future Legislature.

On the petition of James Batting and in one mile thereof"—so far as respects the Mary his wife, praying for an appropriation in their favor, on account of services rendered in the revolutionary war by John An act to secure to Jane Cone, for- | Hardy, your committee beg leave to renerly Jane Cason, any property which port that they are sorry the funds of this

State does not enable them to pay all just p claims, under existing circumstances they, therefore, recommend a referrence of this petition to a future Legislature.

On the petition of Wilson Conner, your committee are of opinion, that the case does not require Legislature atten-

tion.

On the petition of John Steptoe, your committee are of opinion that it does

not require Legislative attention.

On the petition of William Sharp, stasting that he had been charged with illegal taxes in the county of Morgan, your comimittee are of opinion that an application to the Legislature is improper, and recommend to the only recourse pointed out by Maw, which is against the receiver of tax returns.

:Whereupon:

The same was agreed to, by striking out the report on the petition of Wilson *Conner, and inserting the following resolution in lieu thereof, to wit:

Resolved, That the collector of taxes who received or collected the taxes with the double tax, shall pay over to the petitioners, the sum or sums by him , sollected, above their general and county

And be it further resolved, That the collector shall be discharged from accounting with the Treasurer for a larger sum than the annual general taxes re--geive**d.**

The Senate proceeded to take up the several messages from the House of Representatives, and concurred in the following resolutions, to wit:

In the resolution appointing Hillary Pratt, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Jones county.

In the resolution appointing John Cook, a Justice of the Inferior Court of

Jones county.

In the resolution appointing John H. Brewer, Wyley Thompson and Ar, chilis Jarrett, commissioners of the Elbert county Academy.

And,

In the resolution appointing William N. Harman, a commissioner of the town of Louisville.

And,

The following bills from the House of Representatives, were severally read the first time, to wit:

A bill for the establishment and support of military schools, and to point out the mode of distributing the public arms.

A bill to amend " an act to regulate and keep in repair the public roads and bridges in the counties of Burke, Jefferson, Richmond, Greene and Morgan," so far as respects the counties of Greene and Morgan.

A bill to amend some parts and repeal other parts of "an act to point out the mode of punishing persons who have made fraudulent returns, &c."

A bill to alter the name of John Clifton to that of John Anderson Lea.

A bill to amend " an act to incorporate the town of St. Mary's."

A bill to carry into effect the first section of " an act respecting bastardy and other immoralities."

A bill to regulate the town of Darien in M'Intosh county.

river and Brier creek.

A bill to give further time to the purchasers of lots in the town of Milledgeville, so far as respects the improvement of said lots.

A bill to admit J. B. Barnes, R. T. Hanson, W. Gresham, P. J. Carnes, J. D. Mitchell, J. Gray, B. C. Yancy and J. G. Willingham, to plead and practice in the several courts of law in this state.

A bill to incorporate Christ's Church in the town of Frederica

A bill to keep open the main channel of Broad river.

A bill to extend the limits of the city of Savannah.

A bill to repeal "an act to compel clerks to keep their officees at the Court-Houses of the respective counties, or within one mile thereof," so far as respects the county of Warren.

A bill to authorize the Inferior Court of Franklin county, to levy and collect an extra tax, for the purpose of remunerating Wilson Strickland.

A bill to amend " an act more effectually to punish persons guilty of stealing horses, asses or mules."

A bill to make permanent the site of the town of Carnesville." the public buildings of the county of Putnam, and to make valid the proceedings of the commissioners of said county.

A bill supplemental to the tax laws of this state.

widow, and Preserved Alger, his adopted port of the poor.

A bill to amend the several militia, read the second time, to wit:

A bill to keep open Great Ogechee | laws of this state, and to organize the ca-

A bill to regulate the town of Jefferson, in the county of Camden.

A bill empowering Justices of the Peace, with three freeholders, to bind out to service, male free negroes and persons of color, &c.

A bill allowing further time to the Inferior Court of Elbert county, to let the building of the Jail of said county.

A bill for the better regulation of tavern and shop-keepers, and more effectue ally to prevent their trading with slaves.

A bill to divorce Jesse Coram and Patsey his wife.

A bill to prevent persons from holding the office of Sheriff & Tax Collector or Coroner, at one and the same time, &c.

A bill to divorce John Fitzpatrick and. Elizabeth his wife.

And,

A bill to regulate toll bridges, ferries and turnpike roads.

And,

They agreed to the amendments. made by the House of Representatives to the following bills, to wit:

A bill to amend " an act to regulate

A bill to incorporate the Thespian: Society and Library Company, of Au-

And,

A bill to authorize the Inferior Court: A bill to vest the real estate of James of M'Intosh county, to appropriate a cer-Alger, deceased, in Sarah Alger, his tain portion of the county tax to the sup-

The following bills were severally.

Esther his wife.

And on the question, shall this bill now pass to a third reading, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required are yeas 24—nays 10.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball,

Hightower, Brown, Jack, Lane, of Putnam, Burnett, Carter, Lanier. M'Griff. Carr, Courvoisie, Powell, Pope, Dawson, Davies, Park, Fleuellen, Rawles, Gresham, Spalding, Taliaferro, and Hardie, Talbott. Hogan,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messes Embre, Moore, Flournoy, Stewart, Henderson, Scruggs, Watts and: Hammond, Walten. Lane, of Franklin,

A bill for the relief of John Smith, R. H.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. A bill to enlarge the limits of the sown of Elberton, &c.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to quiet the claim of Freeman Birdsong and Samuel Bell.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. A bill to establish a toll bridge at John Whitehead's plantation, in Putnam county.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to amend " an act to organize the counties lying between Oconee Messes. Brown,

A bill to divorce Roderick Easley and | and Ocmulgee rivers and to form a judicial circuit.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to invest the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society, with all the property real and personal of the Orphan House or Bethesda College, in the county of Chatham.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. And—A bill to add part of Jones county to the county of Randolph.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. The Senate again resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to authorize the commissioners of the different county academies in this state who. have not heretofore received the amount of one thousand pounds sterling, as appropriated for the promotion of learning, by an act of the General Assembly, passed on the 20th day of December, 1793, to receive the same—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair —and Mr. Walton reported progress and asked leave to sit again in November next.

The Senate took up the report.

And on the question to agree to the same—The yeas and nays being required, are yeas 16—nays 16.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball, Hammond,

Carter, Lanier, Çarr, Moore, Courvoisie, Pope, Dawson, Rawles, Fleuellen. Stewart, Flournoy, Scruggs, and: Gresham, Walton.

Those who voted in the negative are, Burnett,

Bavies, M'Griff,
Embre, Powell,
Hogan, Park,
Hightower, Spalding,
Jack, Taliaferro,
Lant, of Putnam, Talbott, and
Lane, of Franklin, Watts.

There being an equal number of votes the President decided in the affirmative.

Whereupon:

The said report was agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to alter and amend "an act to repeal an ordinance passed at Augusta the twenty-sixth day of January, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-six, so far as respects fixing the seat of the University of this state," and "an act for the more full and complete establishment of a public seat of learning in this state," so far as respects the appointment of Trustees, passed at Savannah, the twenty-seventh day of January, one thousand seven hundred and eightyfive, and to appoint a board of Trustees, and to define the board of Visitors and to fix a permanent seat for the said University-Mr. Lanier in the chair-Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Lanier reported, that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report. Which was read and agreed to.

And on the question, Shall this bill now pass? it was determined in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 28—nays 6.

Those who yoted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball, Hogan, Brown, .Ilammond, Burnett, :Hightower. Carter, ďack, Carr, Lane, of Franklin. Courvoisie, Lanier, Dawson, M'Griff, Davies. Pope, Embre, Park, Fleuellen. Rawles. Flournoy, Scruggs, Gresham, Taliaferro, Talbott Henderson, auc Hardie, Watts.

Those who woted in the negative are,

Messrs. Lane, of Putnam,

Moore,

Powell,

Stewart,

Spalding, and
Walton.

The following bills were severally taken up, read the third time and passed under their respective titles, to wit:

A bill to be entitled "an act authorizing and requiring the conveyance of a lot on the common of Augusta, to certain Trustees and their successors, for the purpose of building a new church, and to incorporate the Trustees of said church.

A bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Edney Robertson.

A bill to be entitled an act to alter the name of Thomas Ryan, to that of Thomas Coram. And,

A bill to be entitled an act to alter and amend the tenth section of the third article of the constitution.

And on the question, shall this bill now pass? it was determined in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 25—nays 9.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Meesrs. Ball, Lane, of Franklin, Lonier, Courvoisie, M'Griff, Dawson, Davies, Moore. Embre, Powell, Fleuellen, Pope, Rawles, Gresham, Stewart, Henderson, Hardie, Scruggs. Taliaserro, Hammond, Watts and Hightower, Walton. Jack, Lane, of Putnam,

Those who voted in the negative are, Acsers. Brown, Hogan,

Park, Burnett, Carter, Spalding, and Talbott. :Carr, Flournoy,

The Senate adjourned till 4 o'clock this evening.

The Senate met and postponed further Legislative proceedings, and the President took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President resumed the Senatopial chair, and

The Senate adjourned till to-mor-#ow morning half past 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, Dec. 14,1808.

On motion of Mr. Davies,

To re-consider the minutes of yesterday, so far as relates to the resolution on the petition of John Steptoe—and that the report of the committee of finance thereon be disagreed to.

It was agreed to, and,

On motion of Mr. Davies,

Resolved, That the said John Steptoe be, and he is hereby exonerated from his double tax—and that the Collector for the county of Burke be, and he is hereby directed to pay the said John Steptoe, the full amount over and above his single tax for the year eighteen hundred and seven.

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Pope,

Resolved, That Thomas White and Adam Carson, be, and they are hereby appointed Justices of the Inferior Court of the county of Jones, in the places of James Jackson and John M'Kinzey, Esquires, who do not reside in the county.

Agreed to.

Agreeably to notice, Mr. Lane, of Franklin, reported a bill to point out the mode of electing Clerks of the Courts of Ordinary throughout this state.

Which was received and read the first time.

The following bills were severally read the third time and passed under their respective titles, to wit ;

A bill to authorize the trustees of the German Lutheran Congregation, at the town of Ebenezer, to sell the Glebe land, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

A bill to repeal " an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at the Court-Houses of the respective counties in this state, or within one mile thereof," so far as respects the county of Washington.

A bill to establish the site of public buildings in Jones county, and to appropriate the money arising from the sale of

lots in said county.

A bill to repeal a part of the ninth section of " an act to lay out and identify six new counties out of the counties of Baldwin and Wilkinson."

A bill to point out the mode of rendering valid all grants or other proceedings founded on false or fraudulent returns made by persons not entitled to draws in the late land lotteries, and to repeal an act passed at the last General Assembly on that subject.

A bill to repeal " an act to suspend for the time therein expressed, the opera tion of an act passed the 8th day of December, 1806, entitled an act to extend the operation of the laws of this state over the persons resident in Wafford's settlement, and to organize the same," passed 5th December, 1807.

A bill to establish a toll bridge at the plantation of John Whitehead, in Putnam county.

A bill pointing out the duty of Sheriffs in selling lands under execution.

A bill to extend the town of Greenesborough, and the corporate jurisdiction thereof."

And,

A bill to establish the site of public buildings in the county of Morgan.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to remove the courts and county business of the county of Telfair—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that amendments.

The Senate took up the report.— Which was read and agreed to,

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time:

and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to incorporate a company for the purpose of opening the Oconee river, and to grant a lottery for that purpose—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the same with amendments.

The Senate took up the report. Which was agreed to, with an amenda: ment.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into as committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act supplemental to the act of 1805, and the act of 1799, pointing out the mode of selecting Grand and Petit Jurors—Mr. Lanier in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Lanier reported, that they had gone through the same with amendments.

The Senate took up the report. Which was read, and agreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time. and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into as committee of the whole, on the bill for the: relief of the Inferior Court of Morgan: county...Mr. Walton in the chair...Mr. they had gone through the same with President resumed the chair-and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone; through the same without any amendament.

The Senate took up the report.——Which was read, and agreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill authorizing the appointment of County Treasurers throughout this state—Mr. Lane, of Putnam, in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Lane reported, that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report.——Which being read,

On motion of Mr. Lanier, to amend the same as follows, to wit:

"Except the counties of Tattnall, Scriven, Effingham, Bulloch, Lincoln, Telfair, Pulaski, Laurens, Franklin, Wilkinson, Wayne, Columbia, Hancock, Jackson and Warren;" it was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 12, nays 21.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Ball, Powell,
Carr, Rawles,
Embre, Scrugge,
Fleuellen, Spalding,
Hogan, Watts and
Lanier, Walton.

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Brown, Hardie,

Brown,
Burnett,
Burnett,
Carter,
Courvoisie,
Dawson,
Flournoy,
Gresham,
M'Griff,
Moore,

Pope, Taliaferro, and Park, Talbott.

Wheremoon:

The aid bill was read the third time; and on the question, shall this bill now pass, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 21—nays 10.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Prown, Jack, Lane, of Putnam, Burnett, 'Carter, Lane, of Franklin, Courvoisie; Moore, Dawson, M'Griff, Flournoy, Pope, Gresham, Park, Henderson, Stewart, Hardie, Taliaferro, and Hammond, Talbott. Hightower,

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Ball,
Carr,
Rawles,
Embre,
Hogan,
Vatts
And
Lanier,
Walton.

The Senate took up the bill to divorce Roderick Easley and Esther his wife.

Which was read the third time; and on the question, shall this bill now pass,

The yeas and nays being required, are yeas 20, nays 11.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Brown, Fleuellen, Burnett, Flournoy, Carr, Gresham, Hardie, Dayies, Hogan,

Hightower, Jack,
Lanier,
M'Griff,
Powell,

Pope, Park, Stewart, Spalding, and 'I albott.

Those who voted in the negative are, Messes. Ball, Moore,

Ball, Moore, Rawles, Courvoisie, Scruggs.
Headerson, Watts and Hammond, Walton.

There not being a constitutional majority, the bill did not pass.

The bill to be entitled an act to enlarge the limits of the town of Elberton, and to extend the jurisdiction of the incorporation thereof, was taken up, read the third time, and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to authorize J. M. L. Kirblay, to purchase and hold in his own right, real estate—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the bill, and made no amendment.

The Senate took up the report.—And the same was agreed to.

The said bill was read the third time, and passed under its title.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to organize the counties lying between the rivers Oconee and Ocmulgee, and to form a Judicial Circuit"—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President required the chair—and Mr. Walton re-

ported, that they had gone through the bill, and made an amendment,

The Senate took up the report.—And the amendment was agreed to.

The bill was read the third time, and passed under its title.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill entitled "an act for the temporary relief of Cornelius Murphy"—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the bill, and made an amendment.

The Senate took up the report.—And the amendment was agreed to.

The said bill was read the third time, and passed under its title.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to attach a part of Jones county to the county of Randolph—Mr. Henderson in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr Henderson reported, that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report.—And the same was agreed to.

The bill was read the third time, and passed under its title.

The Senate adjourned till five o'clock this evening.

The Senate met pursuant to adjourne ment.

Mr. Lane, of Putnam, from the committee to audit the accounts of attendant witnesses in the trial of the Impeachment, the State vs. Echols, Simms and Flournoy, made a further report.

Which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

The Senate having postponed further legislative proceedings, the President took the tribunal chair, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having resumed the Senatorial chair,

The Senate adjourned till to-mornow morning half past 9 o'clock.

Thursday, Dec. 15, 1808.

On motion of Mr. Taliaferro,

To re-consider the journal of yesterday, so far as respects the appointment of Thomas White and Adam Carson, Justices of the Inferior Court of Jones county.

It was determined in the affirmative. On motion of Mr. Spalding,

To re-consider the journal of yesterday, so far as respects the bill to divorce Roderick Easly and Esther his wife.

It was determined in the affirmative. Mr. Spalding presented a petition of Thaddeus Holt.

Which was read and referred to a select committee.

Ordered, that Messrs. Spalding, Carr and Lane, of Franklin, be that committee.

Mr. Moore, from the committee on enrollment reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, the following acts, to wit:

An act to alter and amend the 10th section of the third article of the constitu-

An act authorizing and requiring the conveyance of a lot on the common of Augusta, to certain trustees and their successors, for the purpose of building a new church, and to incorporate the trustees of said church.

An act to change the name of Edney Robertson.

An act to separate and divorce Robert Rudolph and Mary his wife. And,

An act to alter the name of Thomas Ryan, to that of Thomas Coram.

Which were presented to and signed by the President.

Ordered, that the committee do carry said acts to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

To take up sundry resolutions laid on the table several days ago, relative to public arms, &c.

It was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being re-

quired are yeas 15—nays 19.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messes. Carr,	Lane, of Putnam,
Courvoisie,	Lane, of Franklin,
Davies,	Moore,
Embre,	Powell,
Henderson,	Rawles,
Hammond,	Scruggs, and
Hightower,	Taliaferro.
Jack,	

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Ball,	Hardie,
Brown,	Hogan,
Burnett,	Lanier,
Carter,	M'Griff,
Dawson,	Pope,
Fleuellen,	Park,
Flournoy,	Stewart,
Gresham,	Spalding,

Vallott,
Watts and

Walton.

The following bills were severally read the second time, and ordered for a third reading, to wit:

A bill to repeal "an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at or within one mile of the Court Houses"—so far as respects Warren county.

A bill to point out the mode of electing clerks of the courts of ordinary.

A bill to regulate toll bridges, ferries and turnpike roads.

A bill to extend the limits of Savannah.

A bill to make permanent the public buildings of Putnam county.

A bill empowering Justices of the Peace, with three freeholders, to bind out to service free negroes.

A bill to divorce Jesse Coram and Patsey his wife.

A bill to prevent persons from holding the offices of Sheriff and Tax Collector, or Coroner, at the same time.

A bill to allow further time to the Inferior Court of Elbert county, to let the building the Jail.

A bill to amend "an act to regulate and keep in repair the public roads and bridges in the counties of Burke, Jefferson, Richmond, Greene and Morgan,"—so far as respects the counties of Morgan and Greene.

A bill to alter the name of John Clifton, to that of John Anderson Lea.

A bill to amend "an act to incorporate the town of St. Mary's."

A bill to regulate the town of Darien, in M'Intosh county.

A bill to give further time to the purchasers of lots in Milledgeville, so far as respects the improvement of said lots.

A bill to keep open the main chang

nel of Broad river. And,

A bill to incorporate Christ Church

in the town of Frederica.

The following bills were severally read the second time and ordered for a

read the second time, and ordered for a committee of the whole, to wit:

A bill for the establishment of Mili-

A bill for the establishment of Military Schools, and to point out the mode of distributing the public arms.

A bill to amend the several Militia. Laws of this state.

A bill to amend some parts and repeal other parts of an act to punish fraudulent drawers.

A bill to keep open Great Ogecheeriver and Brier Creek.

A bill to carry into effect the first section of an act respecting bastardy, &c.

A bill for the better regulation of tavern and shop-keepers.

A bill to authorize the Inferior Court of Franklin county, to levy an extra tax, for the purpose of remunerating Wilson Strickland.

A bill to divorce John Fitzpatrick & Elizabeth his wife.

A bill to regulate the town of Jefferson, in the county of Camden.

A bill supplemental to the Tax Laws.

A bill to amend the act more effectually to punish persons guilty of stealing horses, asses or mules. And,

A bill to vest the real estate of James Alger, deceased, in Sarah Alger, his widow, and Preserved Alger, his adopted sorg...

On motion of Mr. Carr,

Governor be, and he is hereby required to place immediately the bonds of Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, the late fraction selling com missioners, in the hands of the proper law officers to commence suits thereon.

On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

Resolved, That William D. Lane, Lewis Kenon, Henry Putnam, Richard Rispess, jun. and James B. Clopton, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners of the Academy of Putnam coun-

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill amendatory to the seventh section of the judiciary act, passed 16th February, 1799 -Mr. Walton in the chair-Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report. Which being read, was agreed to.

Where upon:

The said bill was read the third time, and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to establish a terry in the county of Effings ham—Mr. Walton in the chair---Mr. President resumed the chair-and Mr. Walson reported, that he was requested to report the further consideration of said bill be postponed till the first Monday in November next.

Which was read, and agreed to.

The Senate took up the re-consi-Resolved, That his Excellency the deration of the minutes on the bill to divorce Roderick Easley and Esther his wife.

Whereupon:

The said bill was again read the third time,

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 19—nays 14.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Brown, Jack, Burnett. Lanier, Carr, M'Griff, Dawson, Powell, Davies, Pope. Fleuellen, Park. Gresham. Spalding, Hardie, Taliaferro, and Hightower. Talbott. Hogan,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messes. Ball, Lane, of Franklin, Courvoisie, Moore, Embre, Rawles, Flourney, Stewart. Henderson. Scruggs, Hammond, Watts and Lane, of Putnam. Walton.

There not being a constitutional majority, the said bill was lost.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerks;

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed the following bills from Senate, to wit:

A bill to appropriate the funds heretofore set apart for the redemption of the public debt...

A bill to amend " an act to author-The Senate took up the report.—ize Ebenezer Jenckes to erect a turnpike Igate on the road leading from Joshua Vioger's, in the county of Effingham, to Savannah, and for other purposes there-in mentioned."

And,

A bill to be entitled an act to amend an act to alleviate the condition of debtors, and to give them temporary relief," with amendments.

And,

They have passed the following bills from the House of Representatives, to wit:

A bill to regulate costs in criminal cases, so far as respects malicious prosecutions.

A bill to keep open and prevent obstructions in Savannah river, so far as respects the counties of Richmond, Columbia and Lincoln.

A bill to cede jurisdiction overlands acquired by the United States.

A bill to authorize the Inferior Court of Baldwin county, to levy an extra tax, for the purpose of building a Court-House and Jail.

A bill to amend the third section of an act to establish the town of Wrights-borough, in Columbia county," &c.

A bill to establish a lottery for the benefit of the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society.

A bill to make permanent the seat of the public buildings, in the county of Wilkinson.

A bill to establish a toll bridge on the Appalachee river.

A bill to amend "an act to protect religious societies in their religious duties."

And,

A bill to authorize the Inferior Court of Elbert county, to appropriate a certain part of the county tax towards the support of the poor.

And,

They have passed the following resolutions, to wit:

A resolution authorizing his Excellency the travernor, to pay out of the contingent fund, the several printers employed to print the laws and journals of the present session, on their complying with their contract.

A resolution appointing Henry Fulgham, William A. Harper, James T. Thomas, Samuel Jones and Edmund Hogan, Justices of the Inferior Court of Pulaski county.

A resolution appointing Arthur Fort, Stephen Johnston, William Lord, John Hays and William Bevin, commissioners of the Wilkinson county Academy.

A resolution appointing Benjaming King, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Franklin county, in the room of Samuel Shannon, resigned.

A resolution appointing a committee of conference on their part, to join such as may be appointed on the part of Senate, to re-consider a resolution relative to the removal of John Bolton from office, and the appointment of Francis Doyle.

A resolution appointing John Thomas, County Surveyor of Laurens county.

They have passed a resolution on the memorial of John Clark and Thomas Culbreath.

They have concurred in the report of the committee on the state of the re-

"public, on the memorial of Charles Tiot. | priate money for the political year 1809. with an amendment.

And,

Walker.

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do lie on the table.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to finvest the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society, with all the property real and personal, of the Orphan House for Bethesda College, in the county of Chatham—Mr. Walton in the chair— Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the same, with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report. And the amendment was agreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third stime, and passed under the title of " an ract to authorize the President of the trustees of the Bethesda College, the President of the Union Society, the President of the Board of Managers of the Savannah Poor House and Hospital Society, the Chairman of the Commissioners of Moore and Dawson, be that committee. the Chatham Academy, and the Mayor of the city of Savannah, to dispose of the property of Bethesda College, or Orphan House estate, for the uses there an mentioned."

The Senate adjourned till 4 o'elock this evening.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Re-

And he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, A resolution on the petition of Isaac and the said bill was read the first time.

> The Senate having postponed further legislative proceedings, the Prestdent took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having resumed the Senatorial chair,

The Senate adjourned till to-morrow morning half past 9 o'clock.

Friday, Dec. 16, 1808.

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Mr. Flournoy presented a petition from William Stephens, Esq.

Which being read, was referred to the committee on finance.

On motion of Mr. Walton,

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to adjust the accounts of the members of Senate, and its officers, the present session.

Ordered, That Messrs. Walton,

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved, That William Wright, and William Barron, be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of the Court House and Jail of Jefferson county.

Mr. Spalding, from the committee appointed, reported on the petition of Col. Thaddeus Holt, as follows, to wit:

The committee to whom was referred the memorial of Col. Thaddeus Holt, presentatives have passed a bill to appro- claiming payment from the State of Georgia, for the detention of Fort Wilkinson, after having purchased and paid for the name to the State, against the conditions of sale, by the troops of the United States; and free having taken the whole matter. of the memorial into their serious consid-

eration, they report:—

That Col. Thaddeus Holt, be referred to the government of the United States for remuneration, for the detention of his property; as it appears to your committee he has a just and equitable claim against the General Government, but not against the State of Georgia.

The Senate took up the report.-Which was read and agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to alter and amend the several militia laws of this state, and to organize the cavalry—Mr. Moore in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair and Mr. Moore reported, that they had gone thro' the same with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report.— Which was read and the amendment disagreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time and passed.

The Senate took up the bill to point out the mode of electing clerks of the Courts of Ordinary, throughout this State.

And.

On motion.

That the said bill do lie on the table. It was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required are yeas 14—nays 17.

Those who voted in the affirmative area

Messrs. Biown, Pope, Park, Burnett. Stewart. Carr, D'awson, Scruggs, Spalding, Flournoy, Talbett and Gresham, Walton. Hardie,

Those who voted in the negative are, Mcssrs. Carter, Lane, of Frankling

Courvoisie, Davies, Henderson, Hogan, Hammond, Hightower, Jack,

Lanier, M'Griff. Moore. Powell, Rawles. Taliaferro, and Watts.

Lane, of Putnam,

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time: and passed.

Mr. Moore, from the committee on enrollment, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker the following acts. to wit:

An act to amend "an act to regulate the town of Carnesville."

An act to authorize the Justices of the Inferior Court of the county of M'Ihtosh, to appropriate a certain portion of the county tax to the support of the poor.

An act to amend "an act to authorize Ebenezer Jenckes to erect a turnpike gate on the road leading from Joshua Loper's, in the county of Effingham, to Savannah, and for other purposes therein mentioned." And.

An act for incorporating the Thespian Society, and Library Company of Augusta.

Which were severally presented to and signed by the President.

Ordered, That the committee do

carry the said acts to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

Resolved, That the Adjutant General be, and he is hereby required to keep his office at the seat of government, that he may be at hand to receive and make all necessary communications from and to the Executive Department, and to perform othor official duty.

And be it further resolved, That the room in the State House, adjoining the office of the Surveyor General, be set apart and appropriated for the office of the Adjutant General.

On motion of Mr. Park,

Resolved, That Joseph Ryley, Tax Collector of Greene county, be indulged for settlement with the Treasurer until the first day of April next, and that the Treasurer be, and he is hereby directed not to issue execution against said Joseph Ryley before the first day of April next.

The following bills were severally taken up, read the third time, and passed under their respective titles, to wit:

A bill to make permanent the site of the public buildings for the county of Putnam, in the town of Eatonton, and to establish and confirm the lines of said county as they now are, and to make valid the proceedings of the commissioners for said county.

And on the question, shall this bill now pass, it was determined in the affirmative.

ed, are yeas 23—nays 4.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball,

Hightower, Brown, Jack, Lane, of Putnam, Burnett, Lane, of Franklin, Carter, Courvoisie, Lanier, Davies. M'Griff. Dawson, Moore. Embre, Stewart, Flournoy, Taliaferro, Henderson, Talbott and Watts. Hogan, Hammond,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Carr, Powell, and Gresham, Pope.

The bill to divorce Jesse Coram and Patsey his wife, and for protecting each of them in their respective estates.

And on the question, shall this bill now pass, it was determined in the atfirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required are yeas 24—nays 2.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball,

Jack, Brown, Lane, of Putnam, Burnett Lanier, Carr, M'Griff, Moore, Dawson, Powell, Davies, Fleuellen, Pope, Flournoy, Stewart, Gresham, Spalding, Taliaferro, Henderson, Hightower, Talbott and Walton. Hogan,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Carter, and Courvoisie.

A bill to be entitled an act to keep And the yeas and nays being requir- open the main channel of Broad river, from the confluence of the same with the

chavannah river, to the mouth of Blue-fartizans or farmers. stone creek.

A bili to repeal " an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at or within one mile of the Court-Houses of the several counties in this state," so far as respects the county of Warren.

A bill to regulate the town of Darien, in the county of M. Intosh.

A bill to incorporate the Episcopal Church in the town of Frederica, called Christ Church.

A bill to give further time to the purchasers of lots in the town of Mil ledgeville, so far as respects the improvement of said lots, agreeable to an act passed the 12th day of December, 1804.

A bill to alter the name of John Clifton, to that of John Anderson Lea.

A bill to amend " an act to keep in repair the public roads and bridges in the counties of Burke, Jefferson, Richmond, Greene and Morgan," so far as respects the counties of Greene and Morgan.

A bill to allow further time to the Justices of the Inferior Court of Libert county, to let the building of the Jail of said county.

A bill to extend the limits of the city of Savannah.

A bill to regulate toll bridges, ferries and turnpike roads.

A bill to amend " an act to incorporate the town of St. Mary."

And,

A bill empowering the Justices of And the amendment was agreed to. the Peace, with three freeholders in their several districts, to bind out to service male free negroes and persons of color, | time, and passed. minors above the age of eight years, to

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill for establishing a ferry over the river Alatamaha, at Fort Barrington—Mr. Park in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Park reported, that they had gone through the same with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report. And the amendment was agreed to.

Whereupen:

The said bill was read the third time, and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act supplemental to the tax laws of this state--Mr. Dawson in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair —and Mr. Dawson reported, that they had gone thro' the same, with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report. And the amendment was agreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time, and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to regulate the town of Jefferson, in the county of Camden—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair —and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the same, with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third

The bill to appropriate money for

the political year 1809, was read the se-1 the petition of Isaac Walker, Esq. cond time.

Ordered for a committee of the whole, :D-morrow.

The Senate took up the message from the House of Representatives, and the following bills were severally read the of Franklin county. first time, to wit:

A bill to cede jurisdiction over lands acquired by the United States.

A bill to keep open and prevent ob-Estructions in Savannah river, so far as respects the counties of Richmond, Co-Aumbia and Lincoln.

A bill to regulate courts in criminal cases, so far as respects malicious prose-Cutions.

A bill to amend the third section of an act to establish the town of Wrightsborough, in Columbia county."

A bill to establish a toll bridge on the Appalachee river.

A bill to establish a lottery for the benefit of the Poor House and Hospital Society of Savannah.

A bill to authorize the Inferior Court of Baldwin county, to levy an extra tax For the purpose of building a Court-House | tives. and Jail, &c.

on their religious duties.

A bill to authorize the Justices of the Inferior Court of Elbert county, to appropriate a certain part of the county tax for the support of the Poor of said county.

And,

A bill to make permanent the site of the public buildings in the county of Wil-And aginson.

They concurred in the resolution on dered to lie on the table,

In the resolution appointing John Thomas, County Surveyor, of Laurens county.

In the resolution appointing Benjamin King, a Justice of the Inferior Court,

In the resolution appointing Arthur Fort, Stephen Johnston, William Lord, John Hays and William Biven, commissioners of the Wilkinson County Academy.

In the resolution authorizing his Excellency the Governor to pay out of the contingent fund the several printers employed to print the laws and journals of the present session, on their complying with their contract.

In the resolution appointing Henry Fulgham, William A. Harper, James T. Thomas, Samuel Jones and Edmund Hogan, Justices of the Inferior Court of Pulaski county. And

They have concurred in the report of the joint committee on the State of the Republic, on the petition of Charles Tiot. as amended in the House of Representa-

Mr. Carr, from the committee on fi-A bill to protect religious societies | nance, reported on the petition of Jesse Ellis—on the memorial of David M'Cord, -on the memorial of John Clark, Attorney of Jonathan Coit—on the memorial of Jett Thomas and John Scott—and, on that part of his Excellency the Governor's communication, relative to sending an agent for obtaining arms, ammunition, &c. for the state of Georgia.

Which, said report, was read and or-

The Senate having postponed further Legislative proceedings, the President took the tribunal seat, and the High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The President having returned to the Senatorial chair,

The Senate adjourned till to-morrow morning half past 9 o'clock.

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Saturday, Dec. 17, 1808.

On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

Resolved, That both branches of the General Assembly will convene at four o'clock this evening, and proceed to the election of a Brigadier General and four Colonels, in pursuance of the militia law passed the present session.

On motion,

Messrs. Spalding, Hardie, Lane, of Franklin, and Courvoisie, had leave of absence after to-day, from their further attendance during the present session.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed the following bills, to wit:

A bill to add part of Camden county to the county of Wayne.

A bill to amend "an act to repeal an ordinance passed at Augusta the 26th day of January, 1786, so far as respects fixing the seat of the University of this State,"—and "an act for the more full and complete establishment of a public seat of learning in this State, so far as respects the appointment of Trustees,

passed at Savannah the 27th day of January, 1785"—and to appoint a board of Trustees, and to define the board of Visitors, and to fix a permanent seat for the University.

They have passed a bill to change the name of Levinia, Leonidas, Alfred, Ladoiska, Camillus, and Crassus Hicks, to that of Few.

They have passed a resolution appointing Jonas Dawson, a Justice of the Inferior Court of Walton county.

They have agreed to the committee of finance, on the petition of Samuel Tinsley—on the petition of Laban Beckcom—on the petition of J. M. C. Montgomery—on the petition of David Taylor, for the heirs of David B. Butler—on the communication of the commissioners of Louisaville.

Ordered to lie on the table. On motion of Mr. Walton,

Resolved, That it is the sense of this. Legislature, that the Federal Circuit Court for the district of Georgia, ought to be held at the seat of government, and not to alternate: and that a certified copy, or copies of this resolution be transmitted immediately, by his Excellency the Governor, to the Senators and Representatives of this State, to the Congress of the United States.

And on the question to agree to the same, it was determined in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 18—nays 15.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,
Messrs. Ball, Gresham,

Carr, Dawson, Fleuellen, Henderson, Hammond, Hightower, fack,
Lane, of Putnam,
Lane, of Franklin,
Moore,
Pope,

Park, Taliaferro, Talbott and Walton.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Brown,
Burnett,
Garter,
Courvoisie,
Embre,
Hardie,
Hogan,
Lanier,
M'Griff,
Stewart,
Stewart,
Scruggs,
Apalding, and
Watts.

The report of the committee of Finance, on the petition of the Artillery of Jefferson county, was taken up and read, and is as follows:

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor, be, and he is hereby required to return to the Jefferson county Company of Artillery, the piece of Ordinance which has heretofore been in their possession.

Mr. Flournoy moved, that the same do lie on the table.

On the question, it was determined in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 22, nays 4.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball, Lane, of Putnam,

Lane, of Franklin, Brown; Burnett, M'Griff, Powell, Carter, Moore, Dawson, Pope, Fleuellen, Rawles; Flournov. Stewart, Gresham, Watts and Hogan, Hightower, Walton. Jack,

Those who voted in the negative arc,

Messrs. Carr,

Embre,

Hammond, and
Scruggs.

On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

The Senate took up the resolution on the petition of Joseph Hutchinson, in behalf of the heirs of James Hutchinson, deceased.

And the same being read, was concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Whereas under a contract for printing the Laws and Journals of the present Legislature, D. L. Ryan has lodged his bond in the Executive Office, for the performance of his contract for printing the Laws—and that Day & Wheeler have lodged their bonds in the Executive Office, for the performance of their contract for printing the Journals of Senate—and Mrs. Hillhouse has by her agent deposited her bond in the Executive Office, for the performance of her contract for printing the Journals of the House of Representatives:

Be it therefore resolved, That the Secretary of State be required without delay to furnish D. L. Ryan, with correct copies of the Laws passed at the present session—and that the Secretary of the Senate furnish Day, & Wheeler, with correct copies of the Senate—and that the Clerk of the House of Representatives furnish Mrs. Hillhouse with correct copies of the journal of the House of Representatives—and that his Excellency the Governor be requested to distribute the said Laws and Journals, as early as possible after they

may be deposited in the Executive Office. | the belief that the exertions of the under-

The Senate took up the reports of the committee on finance, to wit:

The committee on finance, to whom was referred sundry memorials and documents exhibiting claims against the state,

beg leave to report,

On the petition of Jesse Ellis, praying for Legislative interference in his be half, on account of his being security for James Bynum, as Tax Collector for Hancock county, for the year 1796, your committee is of opinion that Legislative inter ference ought not to be extended in tayor of the memorialist.

On the memorial of David M'Cord, your committee recommend the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of four hun-Gred Gollars be given him, in addition to what he has already received, for his services in examining and re-surveying the fractional surveys in the seventh district of Baldwin county.

On the memorial of John Clark, at terney for Jonathan Coit, your committee is of opinion that it is improper to grant

the prayer of the petitioner.

On the memorial of Jett Thomas and John Scott, rendering an account for the building of the State House, your committee report, That they do not feel themthe justice or fairness of the charges conthe difficulties under which the underta-

takers have been meritorious and praiscworthy, it appears just and proper that they should have an appropriation to meet the exigencies arising from the occasion, until a final arrangement and settlement can be made—your committee, therefore, recommend the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the commissionere of Milledgeville be authorized and directed to employ suitable persons to appraise and value the State House, agreeable to the original contract with the undertakers,

Resolved, That the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars be appropriated to the undertakers of said building, to be disbursed under the direction of the commissioners of the town of Milledgeville.

On that part of his Excellency's communication relating to sending a special agent to attend the obtaining of arms, amunition, &c. for this state, it appears to your committee that his Excellency did, on the 19th day of January, 1808, dispatch William Robertson, Esq. to the city of Washington: there to wait the instructions and carry into effect such orders as he might receive from the honorable John Milledge, and William H. Crawford, who were by his excellency appointed commissioners on the part of this State, to contract for arms, ammunition. &c.--that selves competent to offer any opinion of Mr. Robertson remained at the said city of Washington, until the thirteenth day of cained in said account, but that viewing? April, following -- and was from thence. by the honorable John Milledge, and Wilkers have labored in carrying on a work liam H. Crawford, sent on to the city of Phiof such magnitude in this newly settled ladelphia, with instructions to receive, and country, where provisions and laborers have shipped for the port of Savannah, a were scarce and dear; and impressed with quantity of arms, cartouch boxes, &c.

them to Savannah, on the 20th of May last your committee therefore recommend the tollowing resolution:

Resolved, That the Treasurer be, and The is hereby instructed & required to write off the bonds of the said William Robertson, in the Treasury, that now are, or may Thereafter be due, the sum of One Thousand Dollars, as a compensation for his Bervices, througout his attendance on the above business.

On the memorial of Daniel Sturges, wour committee are of opinion, that the etition, so far as respects the book C, as transcribed by him, is reasonable, and **ought** to be granted; and therefore recommend the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of four nundred and fifty dollars be appropriated in his favor, for renewing and transcribing the book C, now in his office.

On the petition of Thomas Cumming, praying the renewal of an audited certificate—your committee is of opinion, that the law allowing time for the holders of such papers is considered to have been of sufficient notoriety to give every holder an opportunity to renew their certificates agreeably to law; and that his to the said reports, as follow: prayer ought not to be granted.

On the Treasurer's and Comptroller General's statement of taxes in arrears this state——it appears there has not been Receiver's books or Collecsor's bonds transmitted to the Comptrolter General's office, from the following counties, viz:

Which he performed, and came by sea with the years 1803, 1806 and 1807-Fromthe county of Effingham, 1806—From the county of Bulloch, 1807—From the county of Glynn, 1807 - From the county of Lincoln, 1807—From the county of M'Intosh, 1800, 1802 and 1807--From the county of Scriven, 1807—From the county of Montgomery, 1800, 1801, 1802, 1803, 1804, 1805 and 1805—From the county of Tattnall, 1805, 1806 & 1807 -From the county of Wilkinson, 1807.

> Your committee therefore recommend the following resolution:

> Resolved, That the Justices of the Inferior Courts for the counties aforesaid, be directed to shew cause, on the first day of the meeting of the next General Assembly, why they should not be removed from office; for not having complied with the law in such cases; and that the Treasurer be directed to issue executions immediately against all defaulting Tax Collectors and their securities; and that the Comptroller General be dia rected to publish a correct statement of the different defaulters, with the several sums due, and who were their securities.

> > And the same being read,

Resolved, That the Senate do agree

On the petition of Jesse Ellis.

On that part of his Excellency the Governor's communication, relative to sending a special agent to attend to the obtaining of arms for the use of this state.

On the memorial of Daniel Sturges. And,

On the petition of Thomas Cum-From the county of Camden, for ming, administrator of William Poe.

Ana,

On the memorianch Jonathan Coit. On the memorial of David M'Cord.

The Senate amended the report by triking out "four hundred," and inserting " five hundred and twelve dollars, twelve and a half cents."

And the yeas and nays being requird, are as follow:

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

wissrs, Ball. Brown. Lane, of Putnam, Carr, M'Griff, Dawson. Pope, Davies, Rawles. Flournoy, Stewart, Henderson, Spalding, and Hogan, Taliaferro. Hightower,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Courvoisie, Moore, Embre, Powell. Fleuellen, Park, Gresham, Scruggs, Hammond, Talbott and Lane, of Franklin, Walton.

Lanier,

On the memorial of Jett Thomas and John Scott.

The Senate amended the report by striking out "thirty thousand," and inserting " twenty nine thousand, nine hundred and ninety-nine dollars, and ninety-nine cents."

And the yeas and nays being required are yeas 21—nays 12.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball, Hogan, Burnett, Hightower,

Carter. Jack, Lane, of Putnam, Ccurveisie, Lanier, Feurcy, Hardie,

M'Griff.

Moores Powell, Pope, Park, Stewart. ipsiding. Talbott, Watts and Walton.

Those who voted in the negative area Messrs. Brown, Gresham. Carr. Henderson, Dawson, Hammond. Davies, Lane, of Franklin. Embre, Rawles, and. Fleuellen, Taliaferro.

The Senate resolved itself into committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to extend the time for taking out grants—Mr. Jack in the chair—. Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Jack reported, that they had gone through the bill without any amendment,

The Senate took up the report.

And,

On motion,

Resolved, That the report be amended to read—strike out " 25th December." and insert "25th September."

And on the question to agree, it was determined in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being require ed, are yeas 17—nays 13.

Those who voted in the affirmative are: Messrs. Brown, Lane, of Putnant

Carr, M'Griff, Courvoisie, Moore, Embre, Powell, Davies. Rawles, Flourney, Taliaferro, Hammond, Talbott and Hightower, Watts. Jack,

Those who voted in the negative ares Messrs. Ball, Gresham, Burnett. Henderson, Hogan Carter

Lane, of Franklin. Lanier, Pope, Park,

Stewart, Spalding and Walton.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time, and passed under the title thereof, as amended.

A message from his Excellency the Covernor, by his Secretary, Mr. Boze-

Mr. President—His Excellency the Governor has signed several resolutions, and has directed me to return them to this branch of the Legislature, from whence they originated.

The President of Senate signed a warrant on the Treasury for the pay of sundry witnesses who attended the trial of the Impeachment against Echols, Simms and Flournoy.

On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

Resolved, That the Senate will adjourn on Tuesday next, and that they will receive no new matter in the mean time.

The Senate took up the bill to alleviate the condition of debtors, as amended by the House of Representatives.— And the amendments being read, were agreed to, except the following amendment to the caption of said bill:

Strike out " to amend an act," and Insert " to repeal an act."

The Senate disagree; and request a committee of conference; and have appointed on their part Messrs. Lanier, Jack, Gresham, Taliaferro and Moore.

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President-The House of Representatives have passed the following bills from Senate:

A bill to repeal " an act to compel clerks to keep their offices at or within one mile of the Court-Houses in the respective counties, &c." so far as respects the county of Washington.

A bill to repeal a part of the 9th section of " the act to lay out and identify six new counties, out of the counties of Baldwin and Wilkinson."

A bill to remove the courts, elections and county business of the county of Telfair.

A bill to establish the site of public buildings in Jones county, and to appropriate the money arising from the sale of lots in said county.

A bill to establish a toll bridge at the plantation of John Whitehead, in Putnam county.

A bill to authorize the trustees of the German Lutheran Congregation, at the town of Ebenezer, to sell the Glebe land.

A bill to establish the site of the public buildings in the county of Morgan.

A bill to repeal the act to suspend for the time therin expressed, the operation of an act passed the 8th day of December, 1806, so far as respecs Wafford's settlement.

A bill to extend the town of Greenesborough, and the corporate jurisdiction thereof.

A bill to amend " an act to organ. presentatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk: lize the counties lying between the rivers Oconee and Ocmulgee, and to form at Judicial Circuit."

A bill for the temporary relief of Cornelius Murphy.

And,

A bill to incorporate a company for the purpose of opening the river Oconee, and to grant a lottery for that purpose, with amendments.

And he withdrew.

Resolved, That the Secretary carry all matter which has been acted on this day, which the House of Representafives is to act on, to that branch for concurrence.

The following bills were taken up, and severally read the second time:

A bill to make permanent the seat of the public buildings in the county of Wilkinson.

A bill to authorize the Justices of the Inferior Court of the county of Elbert, to appropriate a certain part of the county tax, for the support of the poor of said county.

And,

A bill to authorize the Justices of the Inferior Court of Baldwin county, to levy an extra tax, for the purpose of building a Court-House and Jail, &c.

Ordered, That the said bills be en

grossed for a third reading.

Mr. Carr laid on the table a resolu tion for having the minutes of the High Court of Impeachment recorded as an appendix to the journal of Senate.

Ordered to lie on the table.

Dan.

Mr. President-His Excellency the Governor has approved of a resolution appointing this day at 4 o'clock for the election of a Brigadier General and tour Colonels, pursuant to the militia law passed at the present session.

And he withdrew.

Mr. Moore, from the committee of enrollment, reported sundry acts as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker.

Whereupon:

The President signed the said acts, And,

Ordered, That the committee carry them to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt, their clerk;

Mr. President—The House of Representatives are in readiness to receive the Senate in the Representative Chamber, in order to proceed to the election of a Brigadier General and four Colonels. in pursuance of the militia law passed this session.

And he withdrew.

The Senate repaired to the Representative room, and being seated, the Legislature proceeded by joint ballot to the choice of a Brigadier General of Cavalry; and counting out the votes, it appeared that Col. Daniel Stewart, of the county of Liberty, was duly elected.

They proceeded to the choice of a Colonel of Cavalry for each of the militia Divisions of this state; and on counting the votes, it appeared that Jacob Robin-A message from his Excellency the I son. Esq. was elected for the first Divi-Governor, by his Secretary, Mr. Boze-1 sion—Hugh Blair, Esq. for the second Division—Abednego Franklin, Esq. for the third Division—and Felix H. Gilbert, Esq. for the fourth Division.

The Senate returned to their chamber, and adjourned till Monday morning hall past 9 o'clock.

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Monday, Dec. 19, 1808.

Mr. Lanier moved to re-consider the minutes of yesterday, so far as relates to the report of the committee of finance so far as respects the appropriation in fawor of Jett Thomas and John Scott.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Davies moved that the sum of 29,999, 99 cents, to the said Jett Thomas and John Scott, be striken out, and that the sum of 20,000 be inserted in lieu chereof.

Mr. Powell moved that 30,000 dol-Rars be inserted as an amendment to Mr. Davies' motion.

Ordered that it lie on the table.

Mr. Park read a petition from Thomas Richardson.

Which was ordered to lie on the table. On motion of Mr. Scruggs,

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby authorized and requested to pay to Dennis L. Ryan, out of the contingent fund, the sum of one hundred and forty four dollars, for printsession, and 150 copies of the testimony delivered in the case of the state of Georgia us. Echols, Simms and Flournoy.

> Ordered to lie on the table. On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Georgia, in General Assembly met, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be, and they are hereby respectfully requested to use their most earnest endeavors to bring about an explanation and adjustment of those difficulties, so far as to embrace within the territorial boundary and jurisdictional limits of this state, all the lands lying below the head branches, or sources of the different streams of the Oconee river, by a line to be drawn from the point of demarkation on the top of the Currohee Mountain—running thence in such direction with the ridge or course of the high lands terminating the head waters of said Oconee river—round to the head of the most Southern stream thereof, in the Cherokee lands, according to the true construction of the treaties of Augusta.

And whereas it is a matter of great importance to the people of this State, as well as the people living in the Mississippi Territory, to have a good road cut out from one country to the other:

Resolved, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be, and they are hereby respectfully requested to make use of the best means in their power to procure a road, at least twenty feet wide. to be cut out from the seat of government of this state, the best and most direct course ing the journal of Senate of the present to fort St. Stevens, on the Tom or Don Bigby, and from thence to the town of Natchez, on the Mississippi. The expense of cutting said road as far as the boundary line of Georgia, will be paid by Ithis State.

Resolved, That authenticated copies of the foregoing resolutions be immediately forwarded to our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

Ordered to lie on the table.

The bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Inferior Court of Baldwin counbuilding the Court House and Jail, was taken up and read the third time and passed.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—the House of Representatives have concurred in the resolution requiring the Adjutant-General to keep his office at the seat of government.

In the resolution appointing William Wright and William Barron, commissioners of the Court House and Jail for the county of Jefferson.

In the resolution of Willson Conner. In the resolution requiring the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Senate, and the Clerk of the House of Representatives, to furnish the printers with the laws and journals of each branch of the

In the resolution on the memorial of Joseph Ryley.

In the reports of the committee on finance, except David M'Cord's petition, on which the House of Representatives do disagree to the amendment of Senate, and still adhere to their original report.

And he withdrew.

present Legislature.

The Senate took up the message, and Resolved, That the Senate do recede from their amendment to the petition of David M'Cord, and concur with the House of Representatives in said report.

The Senate resolved itself into si committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to authorize the Inferior Court of Franklin county, to levy an extra tax, for the purpose of remunerating Willson Strickland—Mr. Hammond in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair ty to levy an extra tax, for the purpose of —and Mr. Hammond reported, that they had gone through the bill without any amendment.

> On motion of Mr. Carr, that the report be amended to read:—

That the committee report progress, and beg leave to sit again in Not vember next; and in the mean time that the citizens of the county of Franklin be notified of their present application, in order that they may instruct their Representatives and Senator in that respect.

On the question to agree, it was determined in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 15, nays 13.

Those who voted in the affirmative are Messrs. Ball, Moore,

Carter, Pope, Embre, Scruggs, Flournoy. Taliaferro. Talbott, Gresham. Hammond, Watts and Walten. Jack, Lane, of Franklin,

Those who voted in the negative are Messes. Burnett, Lanier,

M'Griff, Dawson. Fleuellen. Powell, He derson, Park, Hogan, Rawles, and Hightower, Stewart. Lane, of Putnam.

The President signed a warrant en

for his amount as Clerk to the high Court of Impeachment, to take down the evidence of witnesses.

The bill to be entitled an act to au thorize the Justices of the Inferior Court of Elbert county, to appropriate a certain part of the county tax for the support of the poor of said county, was taken up, and read the third time and passed under its title.

The bill to be entitled an act for the relief of John Smith, R. H. was taken up and read the third time.

Resolved, That this bill do pass under its title.

And,

The bill to be entitled an act to make permanent the site of the public buildings of the county of Wilkinson, was taken up and read the third time.

Resolved. That this bill do pass under its title.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act for the establishment and support of Military Schools in the several Militia Divisions of this State, to point out the mode of distributing the public arms, and to designate the several places with: in each Major General's command where the same shall be deposited—Mr. Lanier in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Lanier reported, that they had gone through the bill without any amendment.

Mr. Hammond moved that the report be amended, by inserting in the bill the following clause, as an amendment:

... And be it further enacted, That the

The Treasury in favor of John Hammill, Officer of the Arsenal Guard be, and he is hereby authorized and required to employ a guard of twelve men, at the rates of fifteen dollars per month each, until the arms shall be distributed as pointed out in the terms of this act; and his Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby requested to pay said guard out of the contingent fund; and that the said guard be under the same regulations as are pointed out by law for the government of militia when in actual service.

> And on the question to agree, it was determined in the negative.

> And the yeas and nays being res quired are yeas 12—nays 15.

> Those who voted in the affirmative are Messrs. Ball, Hightower, Carr.

Lanier, Embre, Moore, Flournoy, Rawles, Henderson, Scruggs, and Hammond, Watts.

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Brown, M'Griff,

Burnett. Powell, Carter, Pope, Dawson, Park, Fleuellen, Stewart, Gresham, Taliaferro, and Jack, Walton. Lane, of Franklin,

The amendment being lost,

The said bill was read the 3d time. And on the question, Shall this bill now pass? It was determined in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being require ed, are yeas 13—nays 12.

Those who voted in the affirmative are-

Mesers. Brown. "Tocre, Carter. Powell, Dawson, Pope, Gresham, Park, Stewart, and Hogan, Talbott. Jack, Lane, of Putnam,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messre. Burnett, Hammond, Carr, Hightower, Embre, Lane, of Franklin, Rawles, Fieuellen. Flourney, Watts and Henderson, Walton.

Mr. Moore, from the committee of enrolled bills, reported as duly enrolled sundry acts which have been signed by the Speaker.

Which were severally signed by the President. And.

Ordered, That the committee do carry the said several acts to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives do disagree to the amendment of the Senate to the bill to extend the time of taking out grants, and do adhere to their original clause.

In the resolution requiring the Federal Court to set at the seat of government.

In the resolution, That the proper law officers be directed to put in suit the bonds of Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms the Fractional Surveys.

They have agreed to the final report, of the committee of finance. And,

They have passed the bill pointing | Which was agreed to. out the duty of Sheruffs, in selling lands

under execution, with amendments.

They have passed the bill to point out the mode of rendering void all grants or other proceedings founded on false or fraudulent returns made by persons not entitled to draws in the late land lotteries of this State, &c.

And he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message. And the amendments to the bill to be entitled an act pointing out the duty of Sheriffs in selling lands under execution. were agreed to, except the last amendment and the caption; which the Senate disagreed to.

They agree to all the amendments made by the House of Representatives. to the bill to point out the mode of rendering void all grants or other proceedings founded on false or fraudulent returns made by persons not entitled to draws in the late land lotteries in this state, &c.

They recede from their amendment to the bill extending the time of taking out grants, and concur with the House of Representatives, in the 25th December, 1809.

The Senate took up the bill to appropriate money for the political year 1809—and resolved themselves into a committee of the whole thereon-Mr. Moore in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Moore reportand Francis Flournoy, given for selling ed, that they had made considerable progress therein, and requested leave to six again to morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

The Senate took up the report.

The Senate resolved itself into a

entitled an act to keep open Great Ogechee river and Brier creek—Mr. Moore in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Moore reported, that they had gone through the said bill without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report.-And the same was agreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time, and passed under its title.

The Senate adjourned till to-morhow morning 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, Dec. 20, 1808.

Mr. Moore, from the committee on enrollment, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, several acts.

Which were signed by the President.

Ordered, That the committee do carry the said acts to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

A message from his Excellency the Covernor, by his Secretary, Mr. Bozeman:

Mr. President—His Excellency the Covernor has assented to, and signed an act to add part of Camden county to the county of Wayne.

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the committee of enrollment do carry the said act to the office of the Secretary of State, and have the amendment was agreed to. the Great Seal affixed to the same.

The Senate resolved itself into a led, are yeas 15, nays 10.

committee of the whole, on the bill to be committee of the whole, on the bill appropriating monies for the political year 1809—Mr. Moore in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Moore reported, that they had gone through the bill with sundry amendments.

> The Senate took up the report. And the amendments were severally read.

On motion of Mr. Henderson,

That the amendment to strike our to the Adjutant General 1200 dollars, and insert 1460 dollars, be disagreed to: it was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are,

Messrs. Carr,	Pope.	
Fleuellen,	Park,	
Gresham,	Taliaferro,	and
Henderson,	Walton.	
Hammond,		

Those who voted in the negative are; M'Griff, Messrs. Brown,

Moore, Burnett. Powell, Carter, Flournov, Rawles, Hightower. Stewart, Jack, Talbott and Lane, of Putnam, Watts. Lanier.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

That the report be amended, to strike out 30,000 dollars to Jett Thomas and John Scott, and insert 20,000.

Mr. Powell moved that the amendment of Mr. Hammond be amended, to strike out 20,000 dollars, and insert 29,9.99 dollars 99 cents.

On the question, the amendment to

And the yeas and nays being requir-

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messes. Burnett,

Moore,

Romall

Carter,
Flourney,
Hogan,
Hightower,
Jick,

Powell,
Pope,
Park,
Stewart,
Talbott,

, and

Lane, of Putnam, M'Griff, Walton.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Brown,
Carr,
Dawson,
Fleuellen,
Gresham,

Henderson,
Hammond,
Lanier,
Rawles, and
Taliaferro.

The amendment to the amendment being carried:

On motion of Mr. Jack,

Resolved, That the item allowing to Jett Thomas and John Scott, the sum of 29,999 dollars 99 cents, be amended, so far as to strike out the following words:

" To be disbursed under the direction of the commissioners of Milledgeville."

Which was agreed to.

On the question, shall that amendment to the amendment be agreed to; it was determined in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 14—nays 10.

Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Thesers. Burnett,
Carter,
Flournoy,
Hightower,
Jack,
Lone, of Putnam,
M'Griff,

Moore,
P well,
Pope,
Park,
Stewart.
Talbott and
Walton.

Those who voted in the negative are,

Mrssr. Brown,
Carr. Fleuellen,

Gresham, Henderson, Hammond, Capier, Rawles and Taliaferro.

The amendments, agreeably to the report of the committee of the whole, being agreed to, the said bill was read the third time, and passed as amended.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to vest the real estate of James Alger, late of Chatham county, deceased, in Sarah Alger his widow, and Preserved Alger, his adopted son—Mr. Walton in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair—and Mr. Walton reported, that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report.——Which was read and agreed to.

Whereupon:

The said bill was read the third time; and passed under its title.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk?

Mr. President—The House of Representatives agree to some and disagree to others of the amendments made to the bill appropriating monies for the political year 1809.

The Senate took up the message, and the several amendments made by Senate, and disagreed to by the House of Representatives, were adhered to. And,

Resolved, That a committee of comference be requested on the subject matter of disagreement between the two Branches, and that Messrs Flournoy, Jack, Hammond, Taliaferro and Park, be the committee of conference on the part of Senate.

The bill to cede jurisdiction to the

United States, over certain lots of land, Governor, by Mr. Bozeman, his secretary. for the purpose of building forts or fortipassed.

better regulation of taverns and shoptheir trading with slaves, was read the third time and passed.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Re presentatives have passed a resolution authorizing his Excellency the Governor to pay out of the contingent fund two commissioners of Milledgeville.

And he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, and the same being read was concurred

Mr. Moore from the committee on enrolled bills, reported several acts as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker were severally presented and signed by the President.

Ordered. That the committee on ensollment do carry the said bills to his Excellency the Governor, for his revision:

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Repretion, as disagreed to in Senate:

And he withdrew.

Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. President—His Excellency the fications, was read the third time and Governor has assented to and signed an act to alleviate the condition of debtors, The bill to be entitled an act for the and to repeal "an act to alleviate the condition of debtors and to afford them keepers, and more effectually to prevent temporary relief"-passed the 23d day of May, 1808.

Ordered, That the committee of enrollment do carry the said act to the office of the Secretary of State, and see the great seal affixed thereto.

The Senate took up the report of the joint committee on the State of the Republic, as agreed to by the House of Rehundred and ninety one dollars to the presentatives, on the subject of the resurvev of the fractions of the 7th district of Baldwin county. And the same being, read, is as follows, viz:

> The committee on the State of the Republic beg leave to make a further report on document No. 4, referred to in the Governor's communication.

Your committee, from all the papers of the House of Representatives, which that have been reported to them—as well as from all the information they could obtain from other quarters upon the subject, are fully of opinion, that Benajah Smith, Esq. Surveyor of the 7th district of Baldwin, intended no fraud upon the State, nor has the State yet sustained any injury from errors of his surveys, but, that such errors arose from the local situation of the sentatives recede from their amendments district, and the state of the waters of the proposed to the bill to point out the duty I river, at the time of his being engaged in of sheriffs in selling lands under execu-the survey. But as it has been necessary to have a re-survey of that district,

Be it resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of A message from his Excellency the Georgia in General Assembly met, and by

the authority of the same, That the afore-) the committee of conference, on the bill said Benajah Smith, Surveyor of the 7th district of Baldwin county, pay into the Treasury of the State the sum that may be allowed to David M'Cord, for the resurveying, within ninety days after it is ascertained what sum the said M'Cord may be allowed; and on failure thereof, chat the bond of the said Benajah Smith, now in the Executive Office, be put in suit.

Mr. Hammond moved, that the resolution be divided, and that the preamble or the resolution be disagreed to, for that they clashed.

The Senate divided the resolution, and the preamble was agreed to.

And on the question to disagree to the resolution, it was determined in the negative.

And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 9—nays 16.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Brown, Moore.

Fieuellen. Pope, Watts and Hammond, Hightower, Walton Lane, of Putnam,

Those who voted in the negative are,

Messrs. Ball, Jack, Burnett. Lanier, Carter, M'Griff, Embre, Powell, Flourney, Park, Gresham, Rawles. Taliaferre, and Henderson, klogan, Taibott.

Whereupon:

The report was again read and agreed to.

The Senate took up the report of and Flournoy.

to appropriate monies for the political year 1809—Which is as follows, viz:

The committee of conference, on the subject matter of disagreement between the two Branches of the General Assembly, submit the following report:

That in the appropriation to the Adjutant General, the Senate recede and concur with the House of Representatives.

That in the appropriation to Dennis L. Ryan, it being for printing the testamony and other proceedings of the High Court of Impeachment, in the trial of Echols, Simms and Flournoy—that in the appropriation of the late President of Senate—the Senate recede and concur with the House of Representatives.

To Jett Thomas and John Scott, the sum of 29,999 dollars, 99 cents, on account of what hath heretofore and may hereafter be done in building the State House, they to be accountable on final settlement—the House of Representatives recede and concur with Senate.

That in the appropriation of Peter Pharr, the House of Representatives recede and concur with Senate—it being for the duty of winding up the clock, keeping clean the steps and stair case, the entry between the Senate and Representative chambers and gallery.

That in the appropriation to Thomas H. Kenan, the House of Representatives recede and concur with Senate.

It being his duty to record in a separate book, the whole proceedings of the High Court of Impeachment, and the evidence in the trial of Echols, Simms

States' quota of militia called for by the General Government, the House of Representatives recede, and concur with Senate.

The purpose of this appropriation is to furnish rations when called out to Be mustered and reviewed.

That in the appropriation to John H. Mann, the House of Representatives secede, and concur with Senate.

It being for his extra duty rendered to the Senate and High Court of Immeachment.

That in the appropriation to William Robertson, the House of Representawes recede, and concur with Senate.

It being for extra services performed in the High Court of Impeachment.

And the same being read was agreed to, except the item relative to the Adjuant General.—Which the Senate do disagree to, and request a second com mittee of conference thereon, and have added Messrs. Carter and Embre to the first committee of conference on their list a guard of twelve men, at the rate of

The Senate called up the resolution | relative to recording the High Court of Impeachment; which is as follows:

Whereas by a resolution of Senate, passed on the 10th day of November last, the minutes of the High Court of Impeachment are to be kept separate and distinct from the Senate journal:

Therefore be it resolved, That the proceedings of said Court of Impeachment, together with the evidence taken in actual service. by the Clerk for that purpose appointed, be recorded by the Secretary of Senate.

That in the appropriation for the las an appendix to the journal of Senate.

And be it further resolved, That Messrs. Taliaferro, M'Griff and Lane, of Putnam, be a committee to examine the minutes when so recorded, and the journal of Senate, which has not heretofore been examined by the committee appointed for that purpose.

And,

That they also be a committee on the part of Senate, to see the Seal of the State affixed to the several acts and resolutions which may not be returned to the branches of the General Assembly wherein they originated.

And,

That they be allowed the sum of fifteen dollars each, for attending to the duties assigned them, to be paid out of the contingent fund, by his Excellency the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved, That the commanding officer of the Arsenal guard, be, and he is hereby authorized and required to enfifteen dollars each per month, until the arms shall be actually distributed.

And,

That his Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby authorized and required, to pay the said guard out of the contingent fund monthly.

And,

That the said guard be under the same regulations as pointed out by law for the government of the militia while

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

presentatives do adhere to their disagreement to the amendment on the subject of the salary of the Adjutant General; and agreed to a second committee of conference on the said subject matter of disagreement, to join the committee appointed by Senate.

And he withdrew.

The second committee of conference on the subject matter of disagreement between the two branches, report as follows, viz:

The committee of conference appointed on the subject matter of disagreement between the two branches, relative to the sum to be allowed the Adjutant General—report,

That the Senate recede, and concur with the House of Representatives.

The Senate took up the report. Which being read,

On the question to agree to the same, it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being requirred, are yeas 12, nays 8.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Ball, Powell,

Brown, Pope, Embre, Taliaferro, Fleuellen, Talbott, Henderson, Watts and Walton. Hammond,

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Carter, Jack,

Flournoy, Lane, of Putnam, Hogan, M'Griff, Hightower, Moore.

The bill to be entitled an act to a-

Mr. President—The House of Re-1 the 13th day of December, 1792, was taken up and read the third time.

And,

On the question, shall this bill now pass, it was determined in the affirmative.

And the yeas and nays being required are yeas 21—nays 6.

Those who voted in the affirmative are

Messrs. Ball, Lanter, Brown, M'Griff. Flournoy, Moore, Gresham, Pope, Henderson, Stewart, Scruggs, Hogan, Hammond, Taliaferro. Hightower. Talbott, Watts, Jack, ang Lane, of Putnam, Walton. Lane, of Franklin,

and :

Those who voted in the negative are: Messrs. Carr, Powell,

Park. Dawson, Fleuellen, Rawlesa

Mr. Hammond called up the resolution, that the Messenger of the Executive take charge of the State-House in the recess of the Legislature.—And the same being read was amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That at the adjournment of the Legislature, the Senate and Representative Chambers be closed by the Door-Keeper of the Senate, and remain under his care until the Legislature may again convene, and not to be used for holding courts, preaching, dancing, of any other purpose.

And,

That his Excellency the Governor mend " an act to protect religious socie- be, and he is hereby requested to pay to ties in their religious worship," passed the said Door-Keeper, out of the contingent fund, forty dollars per year, to be temporary relief," passed the 23d of paid quarter yearly, for his service and at- | May, 1808. tendance to the House.

Provided, That the Secretary of row morning 9 o'clock. the Senate and Clerk of the House of Representatives, and their assistants, shall at all proper times have leave to pass back and forward to their offices, for dispatch of business. And it shall be the duty of the door-keeper to have the rooms of the State House scoured out, and the walls' and ceiling of the rooms kept clean, and so forth.

Mr. Flournoy's resolution of this day, on the subject of lines being run; agreeably to the Cherokee treaties made at Augusta, were called up, read and said bill to his Excellency the Governor agreed to.

The Senate took up the bill to be entitled an act to cede jurisdiction over titled an act to divorce John Fitzpatrick lands acquired by the United States.—— And the same was read the second time.,

Now.

And.

A bill to be entitled an act to estabfish a toll bridge on the Appalachee river. -Which was read the second time.

Ordered for a third reading.

Mr. Flournoy called up the report of the committee of conference on the bill alleviating debtors.—And the same being read was agreed to, and is as follows:

That the caption of said bill be amended to read:

A bill to be entitled an act to alleviate the condition of debtors, and to repeal an act entitled " an act to alleviate the condition of debtors, and afford them presentatives have concurred in the reso-

The Senate adjourned till to-mor-

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Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1808.

Mr. Moore, from the committee of enrollment, reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, An act to appropriate monies for the political year 1809. Which was signed by the President of Senate.

Ordered; That the committee carry for his revision.

The Senate took up the bill to be enand Elizabeth his wife.

And on the question, Shall this bill Ordered for a third reading to-mor- now pass? it was resolved in the affirmative.

> And the yeas and nays being required, are yeas 13—nays 5.

> Those who voted in the affirmative are,

Messrs. Carter. Moore. Flournoy. Pope, Gresham, Park, Hightower. Talbott, Lanier, Taliaferro, and M'Griff, Walton.

Those who voted in the negative are, Messrs. Ball, Hammond, and Embre, Watts.

Henderson,

A message from the House of Repres sentatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President-The House of Re-

charge of the Senate and Representative found duly enrolled and signed by the rooms.

And he withdrew.

The Senate took up the resolution from the House of Representatives, appointing a joint committee to wait on his Excellency the Governor, to inform him that both branches of the General Assembly are now ready to adjourn, sine die and added a committee on their part, consisting of Messrs. Hammond and Flournoy.

On motion of Mr. Flourney,

Resolved, That the Governor be authorized to draw the sum of two hundred dollars, out of the contingent fund, in favor of Samuel Tinsley, for his services as clerk to the commissioners of without a day. the town of Milledgeville, agreeably to a concurred resolution of both branches of the Legislature.

Mr. Hammond, from the committee | sheet of the journal of Senate. appointed to wait on his Excellency the Governor, reported, that they have performed that duty, and received for anawer from his Excellency, that he has nothing futher to communicate.

Mr. Moore, from the committee on

lution, desiring the door-keeper to take enrolled bills, reported, that they had Speaker, an act to divorce John Fitzpatrick and Elizabeth his wife. — Which was signed by the President.

Ordered, That the committee of enrollment do carry said act to his Excellency the Governor for his revision.

On motion of Mr. Park,

Resolved unanimously, That the steady attention of the President of Senate, to the several duties confided to him. deserves the highest respect.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Holt, their clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives are now ready to adjourn

And he withdrew.

Whereupon:

The President signed the rough

And,

Adjourned the Senate without a dap HENRY MITCHELL President of Senate.

Attest,

WILL. ROBERTSON, Secretary.

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APPENDIX.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HIGH COURT OF IMPEACHMENT:

State of Georgia,

Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms & Francis Flournoy.

Saturday, Nov. 12, 1808. on the articles of impeachment.

The High Court being opened by proclamation: Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, being severally called, answered and attended at the Bar of Senate:

Ordered, That the Secretary inform the House of Representatives, that the High Court of Impeachment is now sitting.

The managers attended and took their seats—and,

Mr. Fitch, of counsel for the accused, took the seat assigned for their counsel.

The managers, by Mr. Carnes, their chairman, after having a list of the witnesses called on behalf of the State, informed the court that they would be ready at any time when this court would assign | - and on motion - and after hearing ara day for the commencement of the trial gument—ordered, that the pleas of not

Mr. Fitch being asked, whether the accused would be ready for trial by Wednesday next, answered, that the leading counsel for them was still absent, and they, not having summoned witnesses, they could not consent at this time to any particular day for the trial.

Mr. Carnes stated, that at the last sessions of this court, an order was made that the accused should in person plead guilty, or not guilty, and they having severally plead not guilty to the several articles of impeachment, exhibited against them by the honorable the House of Representatives, and that the said pleas of not guilty, were not then recorded by the clerk as the same ought to have been done

of the articles of impeachment, nunc proteins.

The court thereupon ordered, that the Secretary do record on the back of the

impeachment, the following plea:

The several defendants in this case, having been arraigned, and pleaded not guilty at the last sessions of this court, and the opinion of this court having been this day taken on the propriety of recording the said pleas, Nunc Pro Tunc.—I do hereby, by order of the said court, that to the within articles, the said Obadiah Ech ols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, severally pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Hutchinson, one of the managers, read the articles of impeachment, which were exhibited against Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms, and Francis

Flournoy.

The managers on the part of the House of Representatives having with-drawn.

It having been made known to the court, that the persons have pleaded not guilty, and that they now wish to rely upon a plea to the jurisdiction of this honorable court, which plea is acknowledged to be filed, but (not) signed by counsel.

It is ordered by the court, that the parties may withdraw the plea of not guilty, strike out the name of their attorney, and sign the same in their own proper persons; which plea the court will in time consider.

The same being read was agreed to, and ordered the secretary to furnish the managers with a copy.

The court then adjourned-

Monday, Nov. 14, 1808.

The High Court of Impeachmentopened by proclamation.

Whereupon:

The honorable Mr. Courvoisie, Senator from the county of Chatham, came forward, and was sworn.

Ordered, That the Secretary informathe House of Representatives, that the High Court of Impeachment is now sitting.

Messrs. Carnes, Blair, Hutchinson, Taliaferro and Payne, managers from the House of Representatives, attended and took their seats—also Elijah Clark, Esq. Solicitor for the Ocmulgee District, took his seat with the managers.

John M. Dooley, Seaborn Jones and Thomas Fitch, Esquires, were severally called, who attended and took the seat assigned them.

On motion of Mr. Carnes, on the

part of the managers,

Ordered, That the following order, be agreed to:

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Echols, Simms & Flournoy.

This court having allowed the accused to file a plea to the jurisdiction of this court:

On motion of Mr. Carnes, on the part of the managers,

Ordered, That the said managers be allowed to plead Ore Tenus to the plea of the accused.

The counsel for the prisoners then

moved for a postponement of argument, as to the merits of the plea to the juris diction of the court, till Wednesday next; on the question, it was over ruled by the eourt.

On motion of the managers,

Ordered, That the defendants do proceed to maintain and support their plea to the jurisdiction of the court.

Whereupon:

Solemn argument had on this pointthe court over raled the plea, adjudging that they had jurisdiction of the matter.

It is ordered, that the defendants do plead in chief to the articles of impeachment preferred against them, on Wednesday next, on or before the hour of ten o'clock.

The High Court adjourned till Wednesday next, twelve o'clock.

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The High Court of Impeachment was opened by proclamation.

The managers on the part of the House of Representatives took their seats -as also the counsel for the accused.

Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, by their attornies, having filed their answer and plea to the articles of impeachment—the same was . read.

Mr. Carnes on part of the managers, presented the following order entered into by the House of Representatives, viz: In the House of Representatives, Wednesday the 16th November, 1808.

" It being made known to this House that the engrossed copy of the articles of impeachment which have been preferred by the House of Representatives, against Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, has not been signed by the Speaker.

" It is therefore ordered, that the managers do apply to the honorable the High Court of Impeachment, for leave for the Speaker of this House to sign the same, and that when obtained, the same shall be signed accordingly.

BENJ. WHITAKER, " Signed, Speaker."

" A true copy, HINES HOLT, Clerk." " Attest,

Mr. Carnes moved the following:

On motion of the managers formed on the foregoing resolution from the House of Representatives—

It is ordered, That the articles of impeachment filed in this court, be delivered to them for the purpose of having the same signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The court decided in the negative.

Those whose opinions were in the affirmative, are

Messrs. Brown, Carr, Courvoisie, Davies, Fleuellen, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hammond, Jack, Lane, of Putnam, Moore, Pope, Park, Rawles-15.

Those in the negative are,

Meffes. Ball, Burnett, Carter, Embre, Flournoy, Hogan, Lane, of Franklin, M'Griff, Powell, Sewart, Scruggs, Spalding, Taliaferro, Taibott, Watts and Walton-16.

The High Court adjourned till twelve o'clock to-morrow.

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Thurfday, Nov. 17, 1808.

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The managers on the part of the House of Representatives took their seats -the counsel for the accused also took their seats.

Mr. Carnes rose in his place, and on the part of the managers, and in obedience to a resolution of the House of Representatives, exhibited and read the following additional articles of impeachment against Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, to wit:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Thursday, November 17, 1808.

Additional articles of impeachment against Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flourney, as commissioners for selling and disposing of the late frac tional surveys, exhibited by the honorable the House of Representatives of the State of Georgia, on behalf of themselves, and all the citizens of the said state, whose sole power it is to impeach and to make the same to the honorable the Senate, whose sole power it is to try the truth thereof—to wit:

Article 1st. That the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, regardless of the important duties confided to them as commissioners aforesaid, the sacred oath by them taken,

dred and seven, and the twenty-sixth day of Nebruary, eighteen hundred and eight, at the town of Milledgeville, fraudulently, corruptly and for the purpose of unrighteous gain to themselves, or some one or more of them, receive the sum of forty dollars, or other large sum or sums of money, from some one or more of the attendant citizens, particularly one Joshua Hagerthy, on some one day during the sales of the fractional surveys, as a consideration to them, or one or more of them, to insure or engage a fraction or fractions then and there sold to the said Joshua Hagerthy, or some one of the attendant citizens, at a particular price, to wit: the sum of twenty nine dollars, or join other sum, whereby in consequence of such corrupt and fraudulent conduct, on the part of the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, or some one or more of them, the state sustained a loss of forty dollars, or other large sums of money, and many of the attendant citizens deprived of a fair opportunity to bid for a fraction or fractions then and there sold, and the state thereby deprived of the highest and fairest price which might have been given for the same.

Article 2d. That the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, contrary to the faith and obligation upon them imposed as commissioners aforesaid, did not pay over to the Treasurer of the State of Georgia, within the time required by law, the monies by them pursuant to the law in such cases made received on grants in lieu of office fees, and provided, did at the sales of the fracilibut for the base purpose of individual zions aforesaid, on some one day between emolument and unrighteous gain, the

said sum of money did wantenly, illegal-perity of society, and instrumentally dely and corruptly retain and keep in their own hands.

Article 3d. That they the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, in further prosecution of their pase, wicked and corrupt designs, and the more securely and effectually to accomplish their evil and abominable frauds, peculations and designs, did, contrary to immemorial custom and usage heretofore had and pursued, hold, expose and conduct the aforesaid sales of fractional surveys at a place unknown as a place of public sale, in the town of Milledgeville, and contrary to express, or at least implied will of the legislature— They the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, did remove from the State House, the only legal and proper place of sales.

Article 4th. That they the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, commissioners as aforesaid, regardless of the high, sacred and important trust to them committed, and the several oaths by them taken, as well as unmindful of the duties and obligation of good citizens, are guilty of divers and manifold peculations, frauds, corruptions and briberies during the said sales of fractional surveys—to wit: From the first day of December, 1807, to the twenty-sixth day of February, 1808; which said disgraceful proceedings, actings and doings are derogatory to that honor, punctuality and faith which ought to characterize all public agents, subver- to morrow. sive of the good order, morals and pros-

grading the honor and dignity of this state.

Signed by order, and in behalf of the House of Representatives.

(Signed)

BENJ. WHITAKER, Speaker of the House of Representative. HINES HOLT, Clerk. Attest.

On motion of Mr. Carnes, on the part of the managers,

It is Ordered, That the defendants do answer the additional articles now preferred against them, on or before the hour of 12 o'clock to-morrow.

On the decision of the court, it was determined in the affirmative, without a dissenting voice.

On motion of the managers,

It is Ordered, That this cause be set down for trial to morrow at 12 o'clock.

The decision of the court being taken, it was determined in the affirma-

Those who decided in the affirmative are. Messers. Ball, Brown, Carter, Courvoisie, Davis, Embre, Fluellen, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Lane, of Putnam, Lane, of Franklin, M'Griff, Moore, Pope, Park, Rawles, Talbott and Watts-Yeas 21.

Those who decided in the negative are, Messrs. Carr, Flournoy, Jack, Powell, Stewart, Scruggs, Taliaferro and Walton-Nays 8.

The court adjourned till 12 o'clock

Friday, Nov. 18, 1808.

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The State of Georgia, } IMPEACHMENT. Echols, Simms & Flournoy.

The managers took their seats, together with the Attorney General and Solicitor General for the Ocmulgee Circuit. The counsel for the accused also cook their sears.

The following rule was read as an additional rule to govern this court. Additional Rule to be observed on the trial of Echols, Simms & Flournoy.

Rule fourteenth—When any motion shall be made either on the part of the managers, or the counsel for the accused, the opposite party shall be at liberty to answer by one counsel only, and argument shall cease when the person making the motion shall be heard in reply; except when new matter is advanced, and then the other side may answer the new matter by one counsel only, and then argument shall cease.

7 Additional Arti-The State of Georgia, cles of Impeach-Echols, Simms & Flournoy. J ment.

The counsel for respondents give notice, that a plea is prepared which requires verification on oath; and Mr. Jones moved that the usual oath in such cases be now administered to said respondents, to enable them to put in the same, for the consideration of the court.

rals it was stated to be the usual practice ty. Nor does it appear from the journals in the Superior Jourts to verify dilatory of the honorable the Senate, that the same pleas in open court, but that the Judicia- were ever received, or read and sanction-

ry Act authorized such verifications to bemade before a Justice of the Peace or of: the Interior Court.

The opinion of the court on the most tion being called by year and nays, are as follow:

Messers. Ball, Brown, Courvoisie, Flournoy, Gresham, Hammond, Jack, Park, Stewa art, Scruggs, Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbotte

Watts and Walton. Yeas 15.
Messes. Burnett, Carter, Carr, Dawson, Davies, Embre, Fleuelien, Henderson, Hurdie, Lane, of Putnam, Lane, of Frankling M'Goff, Moore, Powell, Pope and Rawless —Nays 16.

The following plea to the additional articles, was by Mr. Fitch, in his place read, delivered at the Secretary's table. and by him filed and read, and is as tollows:

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And these respondents in their own proper persons, come and defend the wrong and injury, when, &c. and say that they are not bound in law, nor is either of them, to make answer to the additional articles of impeachment preferred against them before the High Court of Impeachment.

Because they say that it does not appear from the journals of the honorable the Senate, that the said additional articles of impeachment were ever preferred, made known or presented to the Senate, sitting By the Attorney and Solicitor Gene- in their deliberative and legislative capaci-

ed by them while sitting and acting in the capacity of legislators. Nor does it appear from the journals of the Senate, or the records of the Senate, sitting as a High Court of Impeachment, that the honorable members were ever sworn to try the respondents on these additional articles of Im peachment, as the constitution directs—or that the honorable the Senate have formed any new rules or adopted the old ones for the further regulation of this honorable And these things they are ready to verify. Wherefore, for the causes above stated, these respondents pray judgment whether they shall be held to make further answer to the said additional articles of impeachment, &c

OBADIAH ECHOLS.
REDDICK SIMMS.
FRANCIS FLOURNOY.

GEORGIA, Baldwin county.

Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, being duly sworn, say that the facts stated above, as far as they come to their knowledge, are just and true.

OBADIAH ECHOLS, REDDICK SIMMS, FRANCIS FLOURNOY.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 18th November, 1808.

Z. LAMAR, J. I. C.

On motion of the managers,

That the plea offered by the accused be over ruled, and that they be directed to plead in chief to the additional Articles of impeachment.

The Court divided the motion and

decided as to over ruling the plea.

Mr. Flournoy alone dissented for cause which the court would not hear.

The plea was over ruled accordingly. On motion of the Managers,

It is ordered, That the defendants answer over forthwith to the additional articles of impeachment.

The counsel for the accused consented, and delivered to the Secretary the following answer, which was by him filed and read, and is as follows:

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Echols, Simms & Flournoy. Additional Articles of Impeachment.

And now at this day, come the respondents, by their attornies, and defend the wrong and injury, when, &c. &c. (by protestation, reserving the right and power now, and at any time hereafter, of pleading or objecting to the want of form, or to the want of matters of substance, as well in the original as the said original articles preferred against them,) say, as to the charges set forth in the first additional article of impeachment, they are not, nor is either of them guilty thereof, in manner and form as set forth and declared in and by the said article—and this, as before, they pray may be enquired of by this Honorable Court, according to the Constitution and Laws of this State.

And as to the second additional article of impeachment, these respondents aver, and are ready to verify that they have not corruptly or fraudulently detained any part of the public money arising from the sales as specified in said articles, but they say that they have paid over to the Freasurer all monies by them received as commissioners aforesaid, except the money which the State stipulated in the

commissioners, that they should have and be allowed for their services as commissioners aforesaid, as will appear by a statement in the Treasurer's Cffice-and this they are ready to verify, and pray judg ment of this Honorable Court, whether according to the laws, customs or immemorial usages of this State, they had not a right so to do-and whether they shall be compelled to make any further or other enswer thereunto.

And as to the third additional article of impeachment, the respondents (protesting that there is no place established by immemorial custom or usage, for the sale of public property in the town of Milledge. ville, nor any such place established by the express or implied will of the Legisla ture, for the public sale of fractional surveys,) say, that the said article and the matters therein contained are not sufficient in law to charge these respondents with any supposed crime or misdemeanor, to which, said article they have no necessity nor are they bound by the Constitution and Laws of this State, to make any manner of answer thereunto-and this they are ready to verify—wherefore, for the defect of the said article in this behalf they pray judgment, and that the same may be quashed—and for couse of demurrer these respondents do set forth the following:

That by the Constitution and Laws of the State no citizen or other person is bound to answer any charge either civil or criminal, unless the same is fully, plainly and distinctly set forth against him in every particular.

regulating their conduct and duty as vegue and general tenor, is too uncertain In its nature to put it in the power of these respondents to know to what point or points to bring forward evidence in their desence.

> 3d. That the said article is vague, uncertain, indefinite and informal.

> Whereupon: and for divers other good causes, these respondents do demur unto the same, and pray judgment wheth. er this Honorable Court will take further cognizance of the said article, &c.

> > JONES, Respondents DOOLY, Attornies. ·FI ΓCH,

On motion of the managers,

It is Ordered, Th t the defendants amend their answer by striking out that part of it which is termed a demurrer, and that they be compelled to answer in chief to the third additional article.

On motion of the counsel for the accused—that the order be amended by inserting: And that they be allowed until 11 o'clock to-morrow morning to make and file the same.

Which was agreed to.

The court adjourned till 12 o'clock to-morrow.

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Saturday, Nov. 19, 1808.

The State of Georgia, IMPEACHMENT. Echols, Simms & Flournoy.

The managers on the part of the House of Representatives, the Attorney 2d. That the said charge, from its | and Solicitor General took their seate.

. took their seats.

The counsel for the accused having filed at 11 o'clock this day, the answer to the third additional article of impeachment, the same was read, and is as follows:

Educe of Representatives, and State of Georgia,

Additional Articles of Impeach-

Echols, Simms and Flournoy. ment.

And these respondents, saving and reserving to themselves all necessary ex ceptions to the manifold errors & incertain. ties in the charges and proceedings against them for answer to the first member of the third additional article of impeachment, say, that true it is, the sales of the fractions were adjourned from the State-House, to the house of Augustin Harris, in the town of Milledgeville, but they say, that they had a right, and were prohibited by no known law of the state from so doing; and that there is no parsicular place of making sales of fractional surveys, of immemorial usage in the said town of Milledgeville. And these res pondents further say, that true it is, the said sales were commenced, and some progress made therein by them at the State-House aforesaid, but from the unfinished situation of the public building at that time, they could not procure, nor was there furnished them any apartment therein, where their books and papers could be kept, with either convenience or safety; and moreover, that owing to the cold, damp and inclement season of the year, two of these respondents, to wit, sented the following affidavit, which was said Echols and Flournoy, became in sworn to in open court.

The counsel for the accused also disposed, and were disabled from paying necessary attention to said sales; that in consequence thereof, and not for the corrupt causes alledged against them, they did by due and public notice remove said sales to the house of Augustin Harris.

> And as to the last member of the third article which relates to divers and manifold peculations, frauds, corruptions and briberies said to have been committed by them, these respondents (protesting against the dangerous tendency of said charge) say, they are not, nor is either of them, guilty thereof in manner and form as set forth and alledged against them, and these things they are ready to verify, &c. and pray the said several matters be enquired of agreeably to the constitution and laws of the state, &c.

DOOLY, Counsel for Respondents. JONES, J

The witnesses on the part of the state were severally called, and 29 an-

The witnesses on the part of the prosecution were also called, to the number of 23, and two answered.

Whereupon:

Mr. Jones prayed indulgence until Monday next.

On motion of the managers,

It is Ordered, That the defendants shew cause, upon oath, why they wish a postponement of this trial until Monday next.

The court decided in the affirmative. The counsel for the accused preThe State of Georgia, VS.
Echols, Simms & Flourney.

Obadish Echols one of the respondents, being daly sworn, maketh oath and saith, that he is not ready to proceed to trial in the above case—that Archibald Martin Nathan Melvin, William Carr, R. Terrell, James Hambieron, Richard Fretwell, Oliver Pigginbottom and John Huzzy, are material and necessary witnesses for him and the other respondents in the above case, and without the benefit of their testimony, he cannot safely proceed to trial. That during the pendency of the plea to the jurisdiction of the Senate, and until issue joined and a day assigned for trial, the respondents were addised by their counsel that said respondents need not put themselves to the unnecessary expense of taking out subpænas, and having them served.— That finding however, that the managers of the House of Representatives, at several meetings of this honorable court during the present week, asserted that they would insist on an immediate trial of said impeachment, and the articles made in addition thereto; these respondents did on Tuesday or Wednesday last, apply for subpænus for the witnesses as above, and after signing the same the President of this High Court did d liver, or cause to be delivered, the said subpants to W., D. Martin, appointed to serve the same. That on the second day following, finding that the said W D. Martin was still in town, the d ponent urged him to im mediate execution of said precepts, when he replied, that he was instructed by some one or more of the managers of the im-

peachment, not to proceed on said service, until subscens for the state witnesses should be delivered to him, or words to that effect. That said witnesses do not attend—that all due diligence has been used by the deponent to procure their attendance by Monday next; before which time, from a calculation of the distance that many of mem lives from hence, he was advised, and did verily believe, they could not be subported and have time toattend. Beside waich, the additional articles never came to the knowledge of these respondents before the afternoon of Thursday last; and many of said witnesses are equally material to enable these respondents to defend themselves against the charges, or some of them contained therein. And knowing that the form of the subpathas requires the attendance of the witnesses, on a certain day specified therein, this deponent had reason to fear that if, after the late period when the additional articles came to his knowledge, he should subpana his witnesses to appear before Monday next, many of them could not possibly attend by the time, and consequently would no ? attend at all.

OBADIAH ECHOLS,

Sworn in open Court, 19th Nov. 1808. Wm. Robertson, Society of Senate, and Cak. H. C. Impeachment.

Which being read, on the question, whether the shewing is sufficient cause of postponement—the court decided by year and nays.

Those who determined in the affirms ative, are

Mestrs, Ball, Brown, Burnett, Carter, Carry

Bawson, Davies, Embre, Flanellen, Flournoy, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hammond, Jack, Lane of Putnam, M'Griff, M me, Stellart, 3 ruggs, Spalding, Taliafeiro, Talbott, Watts and Walton—Yeas, 25.

Those in the negative, are Mess. Courvoisie, Lane of Franklin, Powell, Park and Rawles—Nays, 5.

The counsel for the accused made the following motion:—

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On motion of respondents counsel,

It is Ordered, That said respondents be allowed to sever in their trial and defence.

On motion of Mr. Flournoy,

The court adjourned till 5 o'clock this evening, to take the same under consideration.

The court met agreeably to adjournment—and on the question to agree to the motion under consideration.

The court decided in the negative by yeas and nays...

Mr. Flournoy in the affirmative.

And in the negative,

M: ff: s. Ball, Brown, Burnett, Carter, Carr, Courvoisi , Divies, Embre, Fleueilen, Gresham, Henderson, (Herd, †) Ha amond, Jack, Lane of Putnam, Lane of Franklin, M'Griff, Powell, Park, (Randolph, *) Stewart, Ecruggs, Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbott, Watts and Walton.

The court adjourned till Monday morning 10 o'clock.

b'clock, and adjourned.

Supposed (Hardie +) -and (Rawles *) -D. G. W.

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Monday, Nov. 21, 1803.

The State of Georgia, IMPEACHMENT. VS. Echols, Simms & Flournoy.

The list of the memoers of Senate

being called,

Col. Flournoy produced the following anonimous letter, his reply, and the answer thereto, viz:

S13-In the important trial now pending before you and others, I know it is in my power to elucidate several cases. Also to make some remarks, and state several facts, which will come before the court as they really are. God only knows how they will be colored. I hope this will not be thought premature, as the writer has no design further than impartial justice. If you think proper to receive previous light on the subject, signify the same by the bearer, and you shall receive it this evening.

Yours, &c.

I have received a note signed "M." without a date. The writer must be very inconsiderate, or a scoundrel.

THO. FLOURIJOY.

Sunday, 20th November, 1808. (ANSWER.)

Dr. Sir-I dropt a line this evening directed to you, without mature consideration, but after a moment's reflection I was extremely sorry for it. The object I had in view was highly important The High Court having met at 5 to me, and at that time I did not think it improper to communicate to any one or

viole of my judges, but soon saw the imposity, toerciore with numble submission. Lask your judgen, as lar. Farmer tells me you took it as an insult, and imposit the same to ignorance, as I do as min you, it was not with the view of rempering with you. I conclude with saying, I am only sorry for the insult, and he po you will forgive me.

With perfect respect, I remain your most obedient hamble servant,

flighed, Chablah Echols. 20th Nov 1808.

N. B. I some you will not think hard of Mr. Funder, as he know nothing of the case.

O. E.

Mr. Flourney stated that from the foregoing letters, it was not only defined and an insult to the court, of which he was a member, and therefore, Obadish Echois ought to be considered in contempt of this court, and ought not to be at large in his bail.

On motion of Mr. Carr,

The honorable Thomas Flournoy having laid before this court, a letter from Obadiah Echels, one of the prisoners impeached for high orlines and misdememors, signed M. without date, the answer of the honorable member thereto, and the reply of the said Echels—it is ordered, that the said letters be filed, and that the said Obadiah Echels be comanitted to jail for a contempt of this court in the person of the honorable Thomas Flourney.

The messenger of the Senate intormed the court that there is no public ail in this county. Whereupon:

On motion of Mr Carr,

It is ordered by the court, that Col. Thadeus Holt be directed to furnish a sufficient guard for the securing of the said Obadiah Echols, until discharged.

On motion,

It is ordered, That the 6th rule established by this court, be relaxed so far as to allow either of the managers, or the attorney or solicitor-general, to open the prosecution and examine the testimony.

Agreed to by the court.

The witnesses on the part of the

state were severally called.

The witnesses on the part of the accused were also called.

Mr. Jones presented the following affidavit from Reddick Simms, one of the respondents, shewing cause for a continuance.

Which was read, and is in the words following:

The State of Georgia,

VS.

IMPEACHMENT

Echols, Simms & Flournoy.

Reddick Simms, one of said respondents, being duly sworn, maketh oath and saith, that he is not ready to proceed to trial in the above case. That Oliver Higginbotham, John Huzzy, Richard Fretwell, Edward Moore, Francis Powell, Richmond Terrell, William Cain, James Hamilton, Thomas Napier and Robert Johnson, and sundry other persons for whom they have taken out subpomas, are necessary witnesses for him and the other respondents on the trial of said impeachment, and without the her-

tiefit of their testimony, but more particularly those above named, he cannot safely proceed to trial. That some of said witnesses were duly subpensed to instant, and subpostas for the others were taken out on Tuesday or Wednesday last, and immediately put into the hands of the proper officer appointed or design nated by the President, or by the court, to serve the same, returnable on this day. That the deponent requested said officer to lose no time in serving said subpanas, and finding a day or two after he was still in town, spoke to him again on the subject to know why he had not gone on said serving; to which he replied, he had been requested by some of the managers on the part of the prosecution, to remain until the subpænas for the states' witnesses should be delivered to him, and which he was instructed first to serve; or in words to that effect. That the witmesses before named, and many others he believes to be material, do not attend, to enable the respondents to defend them selves, as well against the original articles, as against the additional articles, which were not preferred against them until Thursday last. That these respondents, since knowing it was necessary, have used all due diligence in their power to enforce the attendance of said witnesses. That those before named do not attend that he expects they will be able to obtain their attendance and benefit of their testimony at next term, and he desires to street no unnecessary delay.

REDDICK SIMMS.

|Sworn in open court, 21st Nov. 1883.

William Robertson, Secretary of Senate, and clerk of the H. C. of Impeachment.

said witnesses were duly subpensed to Mr. Jones having presented the foreattend this honorable court as of the 18th going affidavit, moved that the cause be instant, and subpense for the others were communed accordingly.

The courr decided unanimously in

the negative.

The Solicitor General for the Ocmulgee Circuit, in a concise, but appropriate and impressive speech, then preceeded to open the case, and read the original and additional articles of impeachment.

William Watson, the first witness on the part of the state, was called—and appearing at the table of the Secretary to be sworn,

Mr. Jones moved the following:

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The counsel for respondents move, that William Watson, offered as a witness on the part of the state, be sworn, whether he expects to gain or lose by the event of the cause.

The court decided in the negative by yeas and nays

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Flourney, Powell, Stewart, Scruggs and Walton.—Ayes 5.

Those in the negative are,

Moffrs. Ball, Brown, Burnett, Carten Carr, Courvoise, Dawson, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Grosham, Henderson, Hardie, Hammond, Jack, Lane, of Putnam, Lane, of Franklin, McGriff, Moore, Pope, Park, Rawles, Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbott and Watts.—Nays 26.

Mr. Jones then moved, that the de-

fendant's counsel be allowed to prove the interest of William Watson, offered as an evidence, to shew his incompetency as an evidence.

The court decided in the negative by yeas and mays.

Those who decided in the affirmative are.

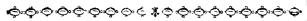
M sfrs. Flournov, Gresham, Powell, Stewart, Scruzgs and Walton.

The se in the negative are,

Meffrs. Batl, Brown, Burnett, Carter, Carr, Courvoilie, Dawion, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Henderfon, Hardte, Hammond, Jak, Lace, of Putnam, Lane, of Franklin, M'Griff, Moore, Pope, Park, Rawles, Spalding, Tahaferro, Talbott and Watts.

The witness being sworn, deposed in substance as follows.

(see Appendix.)



Tuesday, Nov. 22, 1808.

The managers on the part of the House of Representatives attended.

The counsel on the part of the accused also attended.

Augustin Smith Clayton Esq agreeably to resolution and appointment of the President of Senate, attended for the purpose of taking the merits of the several depositions of witnesses.

Mr. Jones, of the counsel for respondents, presented the following affidavit of Obadiah Echols, tending to purge himself of the contempt offered to this honorable court, to wit

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Echols, Simms & Flournoy.

Obadiah Echols, one of said respondents, being duly sworn maketh oath and saith that in the note directed by him to Col. T. Flournoy, one of the members of this honorable court, he had no corrupt or improper design nor the smallest intention to injure the f. elings of Col. Flournoy; but that it was the result of inconsideration and want of knowledge of judicial proceedings; and done without advice and due deliberation. That he is truly sorry for and is now sensible of the impropriety thereof; and he intended no contempt to this honorable court or to any member thereof.

OBADIAH ECHOLS,

Sworn in open court, 22d Nov. 1808.

William Robertson, Secretary of Senate, and Clerk High Court of Impeachment.

Mr. Jones then moved that the same be accepted—the guard discharged, and the prisoner be enlarged, on renewing the recognizance by which he stands bound to appear in this honorable court.

Decided in the affirmative by the court.

The Solicitor General of the Ocmulgee district proceeded on the prosecution—and was himself sworn, the substance of which is as follows:

(See Appendix.)

Daniel Wadsworth sworn—the substance of which is as follows:

(See Appendix.)

John Mamews sworn—the substance of which is as follows:

(See Appendix.)

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(See Appendix.) **♦**♦♦♦♦♦\$

Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1808.

State of Georgia,

IMPEACHMENT.

Echols, Simms & Flournoy,

The managers on the part of the House of Representatives; the state's counsel and the counsel for the accused, attended and took their seats.

The Solicitor General for the Ocmulgee district continued the prosecution.

The following persons were severally sworn in behalf of the state, viz:

Thomas Cargil—(See Appendix.) Bolling Hall—(See Appendix.) John Jarrison-(See Appendix.)

Col. Thaddeus Holt-(See Appendix.) William Broadnax—(See Appendix.)

The court, agreeably to decision yesterday, ordered the secretary to recognize Obadiah Echols, himself in the sum of ten thousand dollars, and two securities in the sum of five thousand dollars each.

Whereupon, the managers moved that the securities of the said Echols justify before signing the recognizance; which was done accordingly, & recognizance bond by them severally acknowledged & signed in open court; and the guard discharged.

Thursday, Nov. 24, 1808.

State of Georgia,

IMPEACHMENT.

Echols, Simms & Flournoy,

The managers, the state's counsel,

And Thomas Napier sworn—sub-land the counsel for the accused, attended and took their seats.

The solicitor general for the Ocmulgee district, continued the prosecution.

First witness sworn on behalf of the state,

Augustin Harris, Esq. - (See Appendix.)

2d. Barnes Hollaway, - (See Appendix.)

3d. Joshua Hagarthy, - (See Appendix.)

4th. Gen. John Scott, - (See Appendix.)

5th. Abner M'Gee, - (See Appendix.)

6th. Charles Gachet, (See Appendix.) 7th. Abraham Borland, - (See Appendix.)

8th. Martin Kendrick, - (See Appendix.)

9th. Hugh Hall,—(See Appendix.)

Friday, Nov. 25, 1808.

The managers, state's counsel, and counsel for the accused, attended and took their

The solicitors continued the prosecution,

First witness on the part of the accused. Jeremiah Thrower sworn, - (See Appendix.)

2d. Noah Byas, on part of accused sworn-

(See Appendix.)

3d. Meriman Pounds, on the part of the

state sworn,—(See Appendix.)

4th. Robert Johnston,- (See Appendix.) 5th. Richard Fretwell, -- (See Appendix.) 6th. John Hill Bryan, Esq .-- (See Appendix.) 7th. Dr. Tho's Winkfield, - (See Appendix.) 8th. Thomas H. Kennon, -- (See Appendix.)

By the Court,

It is Ordered, That each and every witness subpænaed on the part of the state, be discharged from further attendance on this court, after having undergone an examination, except William Watson and Joshua Hagarthy.

Adjourned till to-morrow morning 100'clock.

Saturday, Nov. 26, 1808.

The State of Georgia,

IMPEACHMENT.

Table, Simus & Fourney,

John M. Pooly, high laving flated upon cath to the court, that I must Haguitay, a witness in the irrocach mencof E not, timms and Eliminary, lavabuled and concled him the day from elyefterday:—This day come the faid policy lightly, voturiably before the court, and having namely begged pardon for the fame,—It is Ordered, That he be discharged.

The managers, counfel for the flare, and sounfel for the a culed, having taken their leats, |

The foliator-general for the Ocmug e

23119 continued the profecution.

First witness twom on the part of the accord. Darius Charlem,—(See Appenaix.)

ad. George W. M. fore, on the part of the flate,—(New Appendix.)

Adjourned till to-neorrow ten o'clock.

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Monday, Nov. 28.

The managers, state's countel, and counfel for the accused, attended and took their seats.

The folicitor-general for the Ocmulgee circuit continued the protention.

The following witness s sworn on the part of the state, viz:

19. John W Devereux Ffq.—(see appendix)

nd. Gabriel A. Gunn,—(tee appendix)

3d. Thomas M. unzer, - (fee appendix)

4th. Jacob Loughthilder, - (see appendix)

5th. Elijah Cornwall,—(fee appendix)

oth. Richard Castlebury, - (see appendix)

7th. Joseph Stovall,-(see appendix)

8th. Job Springer, - (see appendix,)

9th. Joel Langham, (see appendix)
10th. After Backton, (see appendix)

The court a journed till 10 o'clock tos morrow morning.

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Tuesday, Nov. 29.

The State of Georgia,
VS.
Echols, Simms & Fournoy,

Mr. Spalding,

Ordered, That the clerk of the court of impeachment, be directed to furnish Dennis L. Ryan (the printer of the journal) with the testimony in the trial of E. hols, Simms and Flournoy—The court decided by year and nays,

Those who decided in the affirmative are, M ffrs. Both, Bown, Burnett, Carter, Courvoille, Ent., Henderson, Hardie, Hammond, Jack, Lancier Potnam, Lane of Franklin, Lanter, M'Griff, Moore Park, Rawles, Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbott, Watts and Walton.

Those in the negative are,

Meffrs. Carr, Fleuellen, Flournoy, Pow-

ell, Pope, Stewart and Scruggs.

The managers, state's counsel, and the counsel for the accused, attended and took their seats.

The folicitor-general for the Ocmulgee circuit continued the projecution.

The following witnesses on the part of the state were severally sworn.

ist. Wil'ian Hammitt,-(see appendix)

2d. Col. Joseph Phillips, - (lee appendix)

3d. James A'lten, Efq.—(fee appendix)

4th. Francis Povell, - (ie. acpendix)

5th. Thomas Layd, - (ter appendix)

6th. George R. Clayton,—(f e appendix.)
Adjourned till 10 0'clock to-morrow mornings

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Wednesday, Nov 30.

The State of Georgia, VS. :

Echols, Simms & Flournoy.

IMPEACHMENT.

The managers, flate's counfel, and the counsel on the part of the accused, having taken

their leats, The folicitor-general of the Ocmulgee

district, continued the prosecution.

The first witness sworn on the part of the Mate. Charles Stewart, - fee appendix)

On motion of the managers,

Stating that they are in possession of a copy of a paper figned by O. Echols, R. Simms and Francis Flournoy, purporting to be an agreement between them, for the purchase of certain fractions therein described; and stating that they had given notice in writing to respondents counsel to produce the original paper, which they have refused to do; ---- A hereupon:

Ordered, That the managers be allowed to produce in evidence, the copy offered, or to give parole evidence of the contents of the original agreement, upon proof that the paper

now offered is a true copy.

The court, without a diffenting voice, terminated in the affirmative.

The managers then produced Edmund B. Jenkins and Hiram Storrs, Esquires, who were severally sworn in proof of the paper, by them proposed: -- (for whose affidavits, see appendix.)

Thursday, Dec. 1, 1808.

The State of Georgia, VS.

**Echols, Simms & Flournoy, IMPEACHMENT.

The managers, state's counsel, and the counsel for the accused, took their geats.

The counsel Ar the respondents object to the introduction of books at evidence against them in this court, which have been ledged in the treasur; office, and do now appertain to the came; and do insist on the managers being conpelled to get extracts from said biolis, as well that the respondents may be apprized of the parts intended to be brought against them, as because such entracas are better evidence than the books from which they may be taken.

The court decided in the negative.

Whereupon:

On motion of the managers,

Ordered, I hat they have leave to use the whole or any part of the books in their possession (which two several books were filed by the commissioners, or some one of them, in the treasury office of this state, as evidence on the trial of the impeachment against Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy.

The court decided by yeas and nays in the affirmative.

Those who decided in the affirmative are,

Mellrs. Ball, Brown, Carter, Courvoisie, Dawlon, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Jack, Lane, of Putnam, Lane, of Franklin, Lanier, M, Griff, Powell, Pope, Park, Rawles, Stewart, Scruggs, Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbott and Watts.

Those who decided in the negative are, Meffis. Carr, Flournoy, Moore and Walton.

The Solicitor General then observed to the President, " that believing that they had virtually and substantially established the wuth of the charges comained in the articles of impeachment, and anxious } to bring this tedious prosecution to a close; he was authorized to state on the part of the managers, that they now close with their testimony; reserving to themselves the liberty however, of introducing at any stage of the prosecution, previous to the commencement of the argument, any explanatory or rebutting testimony; or the testimony of those persons who have been subparaed, but who have not yet appeared."

The court observed that this might extend to pre-judging after preliminaries.

The counsel for the respondents moved, that the prosecuting counsel close their evidence, except rebutting evidence, before they are called upon to proceed in their desence.

The court decided in the negative, by yeas and nays.

Those who decided in the affirmative are, Meffrs. Ball, Flournoy, Hardie, Lanier, M'Griff, Stewart, Scruggs and Walton.

Those who decided in the negative are,

Messrs. Brown, Carter, Carr, Courvoisie, Dawson, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Gresham, Hinderson, Hammond, Jack, Lane of Potnam, Lane of Franklin, Moore, Powell, Pope, Park, Rawles, Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbott and Watts.

Mr. Jones, of counsel for the respondents, in his place, read the following affidavit, made by Obadiah Echoly, viz:

The State of Georgia, IMPEACHMENT. Behols, Simms and Flourney

Obadiah Echols, one of the faid respondents, 25 ! William Cain, are material and necessary I that all due diligence hath been used by these

witnesses for these respondents in said case, and without the benefit of whose testimony they cannot, with any hope of justice, proceed with the trial, by entering on their defence---that upwards of fourteen days ago, and as foon as they were advised it to be neversary, subpoenaswere taken out for faid witnesses, and put into the hands of the proper officer, delignated by the rules of this honorable court, to ferve the fame, and this deponent requested him to lose no time in executing the fame. But to the great dilappointment and extreme regret of the deponent he saw said officer in town on the second day thereafter, and upon enquiring into his delay, he gave as a reason, that one of the managers of the honorable the House of Reprefentatives had directed him not to proceed until he shou d be furnished with subpossas for the state's witnesses---and he further added, he was instructed first to serve the subject on the witnesses for the state. And the deponent further faith that the faid officer -- (viz: Wm. D. Martin) did then shortly after leave town--having first, without the privity or confent of this deponent, or as he believes with the affent or privity of either of the other respondents, given up to Mr. Williams, the messenger of the honorable the Senate, most or all the subpoenas which had been taken out by the refpondents--- and they were then, as he hath understood and believes, put into the hands of a certain Mr. Casey---who has returned without having served or endeavored to serve several of faid subpoenas. The deponent further faith that Edward Moore, one of the before-named witnesses did attend some days ago, but resused to remain, having as he faid, and as deponent verily believes, been told by one or more of the managers on the part of the House of Reprefentatives he might go home; and finding being duly fworn, maketh oath and faith, that that faid witness could not be detained, the dethey are not ready to proceed in their defence | ponent earneflly entreated him to return here in the above case---that Edward Moore, James | again, and which he promised to do by a day Hamilton, Abel Hagarthy, Richmond Terrill | which is now past. The deponent also faith

respondents to procure the attendance and continuance here of these said witnesses—out the said before named witnesses do not attend; that they are material and necessary witnesses for the respondents, without whose testimony they cannot safely enter on their defence; they expect to be able to procure their attendance by the next term of this honorable court, and he desires to effect no unnecessary delay. The deponent surther saith, that James Orrick is also a material witness for these respondents; and hath been duly subpænaed to attend, and does dot attend.

OBADIAH ECHOLS.

Sworn in open court, 1st Dec. 1808.

WILL. ROBERTSON, Secretary of Senate, and Clerk H. C. Impeachment.

Mr. Jones, for reasons stated in the foregoing affidavit, moved that the trial be postponed until the next term.

The court without a dissenting voice

determined in the negative.

The court having determined that the respondents do proceed; the following witnesses were called on the part of the respondents, and were sworn at the Secretary's table: I, John Huzzy; 2, Oliver Higginbotham; 3, Benjamin Hill; 4, Samuel Williams; 5, John Freeman, Esq.; 6, Charles Abercrombie, Esq.

Friday, Dec. 2, 1808.

The State of Georgia, VS. Echols, Simms and Flournoy,

The managers, state's counsel, and the counsel for respondents present.

Mr. Blair, one of the managers, laid on the Secretary's table, the following affidavit made by W. D. Martin, viz:

About sixteen or seventeen days passed Obadian Echols put some subpoenas in my hands, in order to sum non several persons to attend his present trial, about twenty-four or forty-eight hours, I am not positive which, I met with said Echols in the State House, when he, the said Echols, asked me whether I had served his precepts; I told him I had not; he then asked me when I expected to do it; I told him; as soon as I had received the subpoenas on behalf of the state, which I expected to day, and that a part of the managers—to wit: Mr. Pain and Mr. Blair, had gave it me as their opinion, that it would be a better way, that I should get all the subpoenas before I set out on the service of any; we then parted without an urgent argument used by said Echols, for a speedy service of his precepts. But after receiving the subpoenas on behalf of the state, I discovered the bounds so extensive, it would not be in my power to travel and return in due time, I therefore thought proper to deposit the subpoenas which I had received of said Echols, with the messenger of Senate, with a request to return them to said Echols on sight. And not exceeding one hour before, an affidavit was on the day last past presented to the honorable the High Court of Impeachment, praying a postponement of trial, he, the said Echols, asked me whether or not the managers, or a part of them had not directed me not to serve his subpoenas; I told him I had not said any such thing.

W. D. MARTIN.

GEORGIA, Baldwin county.

William D. Martin came personally

before me, and being duly sworn saith, Franklin, Lanier, M'Griff, Powell, Pope, That the facis stated in the within wri. Pak, Rawles, Scruggs, Spalding, Taliaferro, ting are true.

Sworn to and subscribed this 2d December, 1805

J. W. DEVEREUX, J. P.

Which was ordered to be filed.

The following witnesses were severally sworn on the part of the respondents: tst. William Freeman.

ad. Col. John M'Kenzie.

The counsel for respondents object to the examination of any witnesses in behalf of the State, until the examination of witnesses on the part of the respondents is finished.

The court decided in the negative, by yeas and nays.

Those who decided in the assirmative are, Messes. C rr, Dawson, Fieuellen, Moore, Stewart and Scruggs.

Those who decided in the negative are, Meffrs. Ball, Brown, Burnett, Carter, Courvoisie, Divies, Embre, Flournoy, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Jack, Lane, of Putnam, Lane, of Franklin, Lanier, M'G. Iff, Powell, Pope, Park, Rawles, Spalding, Taliaterro, Talbott, Watts and Walton.

The managers then moved that they be now permitted to introduce William Shaw, William Randle and William D. Martin, material witnesses on the part of the House of Representatives, vs. Echols, Simms and Flournoy.

The court decided in the affirmative by yeas and nays.

Those who determined in the affirma-

five are,

Messrs. Ball, Brown, Burnett, Carter, Courvoifie, Dawson, Davies, Embre, Fleuelden, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Jack, Lane, of Putnam, Lane, of l

Taibott and Watts.

Those who voted in the negative are, Melirs. Carr, Flournoy, Moore, Stewart and Walton.

> 34 witness sworn on the part of the state, William Randle.

4th. William Shaw.

The following papers being substantiated by Mr. shaw, were, by Mr. Dooly read in his place, and delivered at the secretary s table; which are as follow:

Milledgeville, 30 h January, 1808.

Articles of agreement made and concluded this day, by and between James Taylor of the county of Greene, and William Shaw of the county of Clarke, of the one part—and Obadiah Echols of the county of Olerke, of the other part-

WITNESSETH,—That whereas the aforesaid James Taylor and William Shaw, has been some time attendant on the fractional sales in Milledgeville, and now are necessarily compelled home, before they have purchused what they intended in the eighteenth district Baldwin county, to wit: Nos. 179, 180, 181, and fraction C. they hereby tolerate, authorize & request the said Obadiah Echols, to run the said four fractions, containing seventy seven acres, for them, to two thousand dollars: and should said Echols get them for one dollar, said Taylor and Shaw promises any how to account to him the sum of sixteen hundred and forty dollars -- account to the state, and pay him the balance agreeable to the state instalments. And also, fraction No. 178, containing one bundred and ninety-five acres—to run it to twelve hundred dollars-but to account to him the soum of eight hundred and sixty dollars, let it cost him as little as it may.

And Obadiah Echols, for his part, does agree to attend to said business, and in their behalf, and agreeably to their direction.

To the true and faithful performance of the above contract, we the parties bind ourselves, each to the other, in the sum of ten thousand dollars.

> Given under our hands and seals, this, the day and date as above.

> > JAMES TAYLOR, (Seal.) WM. SHAW, (Seal.) OBADIAH ECHOLS, (Seal.)

To the gentlemen commissioners of the fractional sales.

Should Obadiah Echols bid off frac-• cons No. 181, 180, 179, 178, or fraction C. in the 18th Baldwin, it will be for own use—therefore please to enter it to our names,—put Taylor principal—and suffer him as our attorney to execute the bonds in our names and stead—and it shall be as good as if we were personally present, hereby ratifying whatsoever our said attorney may do, we sign our names and affix our seals.

> JAS: TAYLOR, (Seal.) WM. SHAW, (Seal.)

Entered béfore assigned.

5th witness sworn on part of the state. William D. Martin.

The court adjourned till to-morrow mornang to o'clock.

Saturday, Dec. 3, 1808.

The State of Goorgia, VS.

IMPEACHMENT. Echols, Simms & Flournoy,

The managers on the part of the House 8th instant,

of Representatives, the state's counsel, and the counsel for the accused present.

Witnesses sworn on the part of the accufed.

Ist. Nathan Melvin-(see appendix.)

2d. Noah Doddridge—(ib.)

3d. Col. Joseph Carter-(ib.) 4th. Gen. Patrick Jack—(ib.)

5th. James Bozeman, E(q.-(ib.)

The counsel for respondents move, that certified copies of accounts rendered to the Executive Department in April last, for their services, be now read.

The court decided in the affirmative by

yeas and nays.

Those who decided in the affirmative are. Meffrs. Brown, Burnett, Courvoisie, Dawa fon, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Flournoy, Gresham, Hardie, Hogan, Jack, Lane, of Franklin, Lanier, M'Griff, Pope, Park, Rawles, Scruggs, Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbott, Watts and Walton.

Those who decided in the negative are, Meffrs. Ball, Carter, Carr, Henderson, Hammond and Powell.

The respondents counsel moved, that they be allowed now to read an official certificate from the Executive office, shewing for what fums warrants had been drawn in favor of the former commissioners of fractional fur-

The court decided in the negative without a diffenting voice.

The counsel for the respondents then closed the evidence on their part, referving to themselves the right to introduce further evidence, and to examine witnesses to rebut at any time previous to going into argument.

The court adjourned till Thursday the

Thursday, Dec. 8, 1808.

The State of Georgia,

/ ≻IMPEACHMENT.

Echols, Simms & Flournoy,

The court present as on Saturday last.

The respondents counsel moved that they be allowed to introduce, and offer in evidence certified copies of the accounts rendered to the Executive Department by the commissioners of the first sales of fractional surveys, and for which warrants were issued in their favor.

On the question to agree to the same, it was determined in the negative.

Mr. Stewart decided in the affirmative.

Messes. Ball, Brown, Burnett, Carter, Carr, Courvoisie, Dawson, Davies, Embre, Fleuelien, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Lane of Putnam, Lane of Franklin, Lanier, M'Griff, Moore, Powell, Pope, Rawles, Scruggs, Spalding, Taliaserro, Talbott, Watts and Walton, decided in the negative.

Thomas Napier re-examined,—(see ap-

pendix.)

The Attorney General opened the pleadings.

John M. Dooly, Esq. replied on the part

of the accused.

The court adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Friday, Dec. 9, 1808.

State of Georgia,

VS.

Echols, Simms & Flourney,

The managers of the manager

The managers, state's counsel, and the yeas and nays. counsel for the accused, present.

Those will be a counsely present.

Mr. Blair, on the part of the profecutions: continued the pleadings.

Thomas Fitch, Eiq. replied on the part of the accused.

The court adjourned till to-morrow, 10: o'clock,

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Saturday, Dec. 10, 1808.

The managers, state's counsel, and the counsel for the accused, present.

The folicitor general for the Ocmulgee district, continued the pleadings on the part of the state.

Seaborn Jones, Esq. on the part of the act cused replied, and

Thomas Pettes Carnes, Esq. on the part of the House of Representatives, and the states concluded.

The court adjourned till Monday morning 10 o'clock.

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Monday, Dec. 12.

State of Georgia,
VS.

Obadiah Echols, Reddick
Simms & Francis Flour-

By Mr. Spalding,

It is Ordered, That in taking the question as to the guilt or acquital of Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms, and Francis Flournoy, the question shall be taken first as to Obadiah Echols, second as to Reddick Simms, and lastly as to Francis Flournoy, upon each article of the impeachment.

The court decided in the affirmative by

Those who decided in the affirmative are,

Flournoy, Gresham, Henderson, Hogan, Jack, Lane of Putnam, Lane of Franklin, Lanier, Moore, Powell, Pack, Rawles, Stewart, Scruggs, Spalding, Taliaferro, Taloott and Walton.

Those who decided in the negative are, Messrs. Ball, Brown, Carter, Carr, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Hardie, Hammond, M'Griff, Pope and Watts.

The court then proceeded to pass sentence of guilty or not guilty, on the several articles of impeachment against Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy.

Article 1. That the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, in virtue of an election or appointment of the Legislature of the State of Georgia, held and made on the fifth day of December, in the year eighteen hundred and fix; after having severally entered into bond, and taken the oath prescribed by law, did take upon themselves the duty required of them; and on the first day of December, eighteen hundred and seven, they, the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, did proceed to fell and dispose of the said fractions; and the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flourmoy, under the appearance, semblance and pretence of doing their duty faithfully, in the manner required of them by law, and their facred oath, duly administered, did, on the twentyninth day of December, in the year eighteen hundred and feven, corruptly, and for the lake of gain to themselves, covenant and agree to, and with a certain William Watson, who attended the fales for the purpose of becoming a bona fide purchaser of the said fractions or some of them; that they, the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, or some Park, Rawles, Scruggs, Spalding, Taliaferro. one or more of them, would, by their influence | Talbott, Watts and Walton .- 30. among the attendant citizens, filence all opposi-! tion and competition in the bids which might be offered; which covenant, agreement and understanding, was carried into effect and the | President declared Reddick Simms guilty of Rate was thereby, on account of the corrupt I the first article of impeachment

Messirs. Burnett, Courvoisie, Dawson, agreement as aforesaid, on the part of the com missioners, or some one of them deprived of the best price which could have been had for the

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Obadiah Echols guilty or not guilty of the first article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: Those re-

folved guilty are,

Meffrs. Ball, guilty, Brown, guilty, Burnett, guilty, Carter, guilty, Carr, guilty, Courvoisie, guilty, Dawson, guilty, Davis, guilty, Embre, guilty, Fleuellen, guilty, Flournoy, guilty, Gresham, guilty, Hardie, guilty, Hogan, guilty, Hammond, guilty, Jack, guilty, Lane of Putnam, guilly, Lane of Franklin, guilty, M'Griff, guilty, Moore, guilty, Powell, guilty, Pope, guilty, Park, guilty, Rawles, guilty, Stewart, guilty, Scruggs, guilty, Spalding, guilty, Taliaferro, guilty, Talbott, guilty, Watts, guilty, Walton, guilty.—31.

The court being unanimous, the President declared Obadiah Echols guilty of the

the first article of the impeachment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Mr. Simms guilty or not guilty of the first article of impeachment?

And the fame question being asked each member of the court in his place: Those who

faid guilty are,

Messes. Ball, Brown, Carr, Courvoisse, Dawfor, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Flournoy, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Jack, Lane of Putnam, Lane of Franklin, Lavier, M'Griff, Moore, Powell, Pope,

Those who said not guilty are,

Messrs. Burnett, Carter and Stewart. - 3. There being a constitutional majority, the By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Mr. Flourney guiller or not grafty of the fall tracke of impeacament:

And the fame question octog asked each monder of the court in his place: Those who 1 diguilty are,

Meifis. Bill, Brown Career, Carr, Embre, be welled, Dardie, Elemmond, Lanier and 1 Ells -- 10.

The le who fild not guilty are,

Mehrs. Enrant, Courville, Dawson, Thaties, Flournoy, Greffiem, Henderfon, Ho-130, Jak, Lancel Punim. Lancel Franklin, MG: E, Moore, Powell, Pepe, Park, Rawles, Physical Scruggs, Spalding, Pallaferro, Tal. testi, Walton .- 23.

 V^{\prime} bereugion the Prefident declared that the court had not found Francis Flouinov gulity of the off armor of impeachment.

Article al. That they the faid Obadiah Jahois, Reddick Staims and Francis Flourner recarded of the nuportant trust confided no them as commissioners after faid, and the fa cred oath by them to lea, pulluant to the law in fach cases made and provided, did, at the take. I the fractions, which the town of Mil-Jodgeville, in the month of Dr ember left path, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight huntried and fever, or fome one day between the field day of Dele vier, eighteen hundred and Given, and the awanty finth day of February, in the year eighteen hundred and eight, as aforefail, use and exirt the influence which they, as commissioners aforefaid had in this particular, for the corrupt and illegal purpose of preventing and hinde ing certain persons, and parsoularly one William Watfon, from bidding for certain fractions, by them the faid commilioners, on some one day between the first dav of December, eighteen hundred and seven, and the twenty-fifth day of February, eighteen hundred and eight, as aforesaid, exposed to publie fale, in the said tewn of Milledgeville, there- voisie, Dawion, Davies, Embie, Fleuellen, by for the illegal and unrighteous purpole of Flourney, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Ho-

enabling them, the faid Obadiah Echols, Redclick Simms and Francis Flournoy, or some one or more of them, to purchase some one of the faid fractions at a price far below its eftimated value, and at a price far lefs than would have been given by certain persons, and particularly the faid William Wation, if they the tail Obadiah Lehole, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, had not used their influence for fuch idegal and unrighteous purpofes; whereby they, or some one or more of them, were enabled to re-fell fuch fraction to individuals who were disposed to purchase the same at a price beyond the fun for which they had been publiely fold by the fail commissioners; and thereby making to memfelves the faid Obadiah Echots, Reddick Simms & Flournoy, great gams and most, to the great and serious dam. age and injury of the stace of Georgia and the sold begin in reof, contrary to the trust and Tary repoted in the fam Ohadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, and in vialation of the laured oath by them taken as afore-

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Mr. Echols guilty or not guilty of the ad article of impea hment?

Ard the same question being asked each member of the court in his place, they unantmoufity faid guilty.

Whereupon the President declared that the court had pronounced him guilty on that article.

By the President:

Mr. Bill, is Mr. Simms guilty or age guilty, of the faid fecond article of the impeach-

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: Those who faid guilty are,

Mcffrs. Ball, Brown, Carter, Carr, Course

of Franklin, Lanier, M'Griff, Moore, Powell, Pope, Park, Raules, Scruges, Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbott, Watts and Walton .- 31.

Those who said not guilty are, Meffrs. Burnett and Stewart. - 2.

Whereupon the President declared that the court had found him guilty of faid article.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Mr. Flournoy guilty or not guilty of the faid 2d article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: These who said guilty are,

Messrs. Pall, Brown, Carter, Carr, Embre, Fleuellen, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hammond, Lane of Franklin, Linier, Moore, Pope, Park, Rawles, Talbott and Watts.—18.

Those who said not guilty are,

Messes. Burnett, Courvoisie, Dawson, Davies, Flournoy, Hogan, Jack, Lane of Putnam, M'Griff, Powell, Stewart, Scruggs, Spalding, Taliaferro and Walton .- 15.

There not being a constitutional majority, the President pronounced that the court had not found Francis Flournoy guilty of the faid

2d article of impeachment.

That the faid Obadiah Ech-Article 3d. ols, one of the faid commissioners, regardless of the faid oath which he had taken, and the interest of the state, during the time of selling the faid fractional surveys, did, corruptly and with an intent of promoting his own individual interest, and the interest of his associate commissioners, solicit a person who attended the fales for the purpose of becoming a purchaser, not to interfere in the purchase of the fractions which were to be fold in the forenoon of that day; alledging that he the faid Echols wished to purchase those fractions, as they adjoined a square of land which had been drawn by his (said Echols) father; by which said corrupt and dishonest infinuations the said I said 3d article.

gan, Hammond, Jack, Lane of Putnam, Lane | Echols filenced all opposition and became the purchaser of the two structions as afere said, for a fum far below their value, and below the fum or price which some of the attendant citizers would willingly have given, by which corrupt and difgraceful conduct on the part of the faid Quadian Echols, the State of Georgia, and the good people thereof, have been greatly injured and damnified. Which conduct on the part of the faid Obadiah Echole, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, is alledged and avered to be an high crime and misdemeanor on the part of the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy.

By the Prelident:

Mr. Ball, is Obadiah Echelo guilty or not guilty of the foregoing 3d article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked early member of the court in his place: They unantmorfly faid guilty.

The President pronounced that the court had found O. Echols guilty of the faid third article.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Reddick Simms guilty or not guilty of the faid 3d article?

And the fame question being asked each member in his place: Those who said guilty

Mess. Ball, Henderson, Pope and Park. -- 4.

Those who said not guilty are,

Messes. Brown, Burnett, Carter, Carr, Courvoille, Dawfon, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Flournoy, Gresham, Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Jack, Late of Putta o, Lane of Franklin, Lanier, M'Gr ff, Moore, Powell, Rawles, Stewart, Sruggs, Spalding, Taliaterro, Talbott, Watts and Walton .- 29.

The Prefident pronounced that the court had not found Reddick Simms guilty of the

By the Pressions:

Mr. Ball, is Francis Flournoy guilty or not guilty of the faid 3d article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: Those who raid guilty are,

Meffis. Pepe and Park.—2.

The remainder of the court decided not guilty.-31.

The Prefident pronounced that the court had not found Francis Flournoy guilty of the daid 3d article.

Article 4. That the faid Obadiah Echols, imoufly faid not guilty. Reddick Summs and Francis Flournoy, regardless of the important duty consided to them, had not found Reddick Simms guilty of the as commissioners aforesaid, and the sacred oath by them taken, purluant to the law in fuch cutes made and provided, did, at the fales of the fractions aforefaid, on some one day between the 2st day of December, 1807, and the 26th ber of the court in his place—is Mr. Flournoy day of February, 1808, as aforefaid, at the town of Milledgeville, aforesaid, fraudulently and corruptly, and for the purpose of unright- court said not guilty. eaus gain to themselves, or iome one or more of them, charge in the book or books by them Rept for the purpole of entering and charging the amount for which the faid findions were fold, some one of the said fractions to some one person or other, and particularly to one Freeman, at a fum or pri e less than such fraction had a tually been hid of by the person purchasing fuch fraction at the public fales.

By the Prefilent:

Mr. Ball, is Obadiah Echologuilty or not guilty of the loregoing 4th article of impeachment?

And the fame quedion being asked each member of the court in his place. Those who faid sailty are,

Meffer, ball Frown, Corter Es Dawk n-g. Those who said not guilty are,

M. ffrs. Phynest. Carr, Courvoille, Davies, Mehre, Pionellyn, I'm rioy, Guibra, Him

derson. Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Jacky Lane of Putnam, Lane of Franklin, Lanier, M'Griff, Moore, Powell, Pope, Park, Rawles, Stewart, Scruggs, Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbott, Watts and Walton.—29.

The Prefident pronounced that the court had not found Ovadiah Echols guilty of the aforelaid 4th article.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Reddick Simms guilty or notguilty of the 4th article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place : They unana

The President pronounced that the court faid 4th article.

By the President:

The fame question being asked each mema guilty or not guilty of the said 4th article: Mr. Dawson said guilty; and the remainder of the

The President pronounced that the courter had not found Francis Flournoy guilty of the faid 4th article.

Article 5th. That the faid Obadiah Eche ols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flourney, in further profecution of their nefarious, deceitful and poculating defigns, in order to defraud the state, and thereby to injure the good people thereof, and promote their individual interest at the expense of the reputation and dignity of the frace, did fell and diffoole of the number two hundred and forty-feven, in the tenth district of Bildwin county, at two feveral times, and the same was entered in the books of the said commissioners for a tun far less than the sum for which the fame was fold.

By the Prefident:

Mr. Dall, is Obadiah Echols guilty or not guilty of the 5th article of impendiment ?

member of the court in his place: Taole who Maid guilty are,

Meffrs. Bab, Brown, Carter & Da vfon--4

Those who said not guilty are

Messrs. Burnett, Carr, Courvoisse, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Fournoy, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Jack, Lane of Putnam, Lane of Franklin, Lanier, M'Griff, Moore, Powell, Pope, Park, Rawles, Stewart, Scruggs, Spalding, Talbott, Watts & Walton.—28.

The President pronounced that the court had not found Obadiah Echols guilty of the 5th article.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Reddick Simms guilty or not guilty of the 5th article of impeachment?

And the fame question being asked each member of the court in his place: They unanimoufly faid not guilty.

The President then pronounced that the court had not found Reddick Simms guilty of the faid 5th article of impeaclment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Francis Flourney guilty or not guilty of the said 5th article of impeachment?

And the fame question being asked each member in his place: Mr. Dawfon faid guilty; and the remainder of the court said not guilty.

The President then pronounced Francis Flournoy not guilty of the faid 5th article of impeachment.

Article 6th. That the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddi. k Simms and Francis Flournoy, in further profecution of their base, fraudulent and corrupt designs, and for their own private interest, leaving entirely out of view the interest of the state; which by every lawful means In their power they and each of them ought to | Watts. - 24.

And the same question being asked each shave promoted to the best of their power and al thry, did take and receive and apply to their individual use and benefit, or to the individual uie, oenefit and emolument of one or more of them, the fum of three thousand five hundred and ewenty five dollars, over and above the furns for which bonds were given by individual purchasers to the state. Which sum of three thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars, the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy obtained by their corrupt management, infinuations, filencing, threatening and persuasion exercised by them, or some one or more of them the said commissioners, during the time of the sales.

By the Prefident:

Mr. Bali, is Obadiah Echols guilty or not guilty on the foregoing 6th article?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: Those

wno faid guilty are,

M. ffrs. Ball, Brown, Carter, Carr, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Gresham, Henderfon, Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Lane of Putnam, Lanier, M'Griff, Moore, Powell, Pope, Park, Rawles, Stewart, Scruggs, Taliaferro, Talbott and Watts.—25.

Those who said not guilty are,

Messrs. Burnett, Dawson, Flournoy, Jack, Lane of Franklin, Spalding and Walton.—7.

The Prefident pronounced that the court had declared O. Echols guilty of the faid 6th article.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Reddick Simms guilty or not guilty of the faid 6th article?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: Those who

faid guilty are,

Meffirs. Ball, Brown, Carter, Carr, Davies, Embre, Fieuellen, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hammond, Lane of Putnam, Lanier, M'Griff, Moore, Powell, Pope, Park, Rawles, Stewart, Scruggs, Taliaferro, Talbett and Those who faid not quilty are,

Medrs. Burnett, Dankon, Frommoy, Hogan, Jack, Line of Franklin, Spalding and Walton.—3.

The Prescent pronounced that the court had found Reddick Sinims guilty of the taid 6th article of impeachment.

By the Prefident:

Mr. Ball, is Francis Flournoy guilty or not gauty of the faid 6th article of impeachment?

And the fame question being asked each member of the court in his place: Those who

faid grains are,

voisie, Davies, Embre, Fleueilen, Greiham, Hende Lie, Hudie, Hammond, Lane of Pursann, I. m.r., M'G: If, More, Powell, Pope, Park, Rames, Stewart, Scrugge, Tahaferre, Talbott and Warrs.—24.

Those who sad not guilty are,

Maffrs. Burnett, Dawfort, Frournoy, Hogan, Jack, Lane of Franklin, Spalding and Walton.—3.

The P evident pronounced that the court had found Evancis Flournoy guilty of the faid 6th article of impeachment.

Article 7th. That they the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, or one or more of them, do now corruptly, illegally and without any just cause, retain and keep in their own hands, as appears by a statement in the treasury office of this state, a balance of two thousand three hundred dollars, 55 and 34 cents, or some other large sum; being part of cash payments made by purchasers in preference to giving bends, and part cash received by them on account of the sum required by law to be paid by surchasers of the fractional surveys, on receiving their grants for the fractions by them purchased.

By the President &

Mr. Ball, is Obadiah Echols guilty or nor guilty of the foregoing 7th article?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: They unanimously said that he was guilty.

The President pronounced that the court had found O which Echols guilty of the faid 7 h article of impeachment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Readick Summs guilty or not guilty of the said 7th article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: They unanismoulsy declared him guilty.

The President pionounced that the court had found Reddick Simins guilty of the said 7th artestle of impeachment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Frances Flournoy guilty or not guilty of the said 7th article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: They unanimously and guilty.

The President then pronounced that the court had declared Francis Flourney guilty of the said 7th article of impeachment.

Article 8. That they the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, by the proceedings and conduct set forth in the foregoing articles, contrary to the high and important trust confided to them as commissioners aforested, and the sacred oath by them respectively taken, have for the sake of lucre and gain, and their own personal aggrandizement, been disgracefully instrumental in establishing a precedent subversive of the good faith which ought to be found in the actings and doings of all personate whom the great concerns of this state, and the good citizens thereof, may be hereafter comfided.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, E Obadiah Echols guilty or not guilty of the said 8th article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: They unanimously said guilty.

The President prenennced Chadiah Echolo

guilty of the said 8th article of impeachment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Reddick Simms guilty or not guilty of the said 8th article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: They unani-

mously said guilty.

The President pronounced that the court had Eeclared Reddick Simms guilty of the atoresaid 38th article of impeachment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Francis Flourney guilty or not guilty of the said 8th article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: They unanimously said guilty.

The President pronounced that the court had declared Francis Flournoy guilty of the aforesaid Ath article.

1st. Additional Article. That the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flourboy, regardless of the important duties confided them as commissioners aforesaid, the sacred coath by them taken, pursuant to the law in such case made and provided, did, at the sales of the fractions aforesaid, on some one dry between the 4st day of December, 1807, and the 26th day of February, 1808, at the town of Milledgeville, fraudulently, corruptly, and for the purpose of unrighteous gain to themselves, or some one or more of them, receive the sum of forty dollars, or other large sum or sums of money, from some one or more of the attendant citizens, particularly | bott and Watts. - 22. one Joshua Hagarthy, on some one day during the sales of the fractional surveys, as a consideration to them or some one or more of them, to insure or engage a fraction or fractions, then & there sold to the said Joshua Hagarthy, or some one of the attendant citizens, and particular price, to wit:-The sum of seventy-nine dollars, or some other sum; whereby, in consequence of such corrupt and fraudulent conduct on the part of the said Obadiah Echols, Leddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, or some one or more of them, the state emstained a loss of forty dollars, or other large sums of money; and many of the attendant citizens deprived of a fair opportunity to bid for a

state thereby deprived of the Digitert and fairest price which might have been given for the same.

By the President:

Mr. Bell, is Obadiah Echols guilty or not guilty of the first additional article of impeach-

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: They unarimously said guilty.

The President pronounced that the court had declared Obadiah Echols guilty of the 1st addition. al article of impeachment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Reddick Simms guilty or not guilty of the said 1st additional article of impeach-

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: I hey unanimously said guilty.

The President pronounced that the court had declared Reddick Simms guilty of the said 1st additional article of impeachment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Francis Flourney guilty or not guilty of the 1st additional article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: Those who said guilty are,

Messrs. Ball, Carr, Courvoisie, Davies, Embre, Fluellen, Flournoy, Gresham, Henderson, Hammond, Jack, Lane of Putnam, Lane of Franklin, Lanier, M'Gr.ff, Pope, Park, Taliaserro, Tal-

Those who said not guilty are,

Messrs. Brown, Burnett, Carter, Dawson, Hogan, Powell, Rawles, Stewart, Scruggs, Spalding, Walton.—11.

The President having said not guilty, there was not a constitutional majority of guilty.

Whereupon the President propounced that the court had not found Francis Fleuinoy guilty of the aforesaid 1st additional article.

2d additional article. That the said Obadian Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournov, contrary to the faith and obligation upon them imposed as commissioners aforesaid, did not pay over to the treasurer of the state of Georgia, with-Exection or fractions then and there sold, and the im the time required by law, the monies by them

received on grants, in the of office fees, but for the ! Francis Flournoy, commissioners as aforesaid, rebase purpose of individual emclament, and un-Tighteons gain, the said sum of money did wan-Tinh, illeg Ilv and corruptly retain and keep in theli own hands.

By the President:

Mir. Boll, is Ocadiah Echols guilty or not guilty of the 2d additional article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: I hey unanimously

the President pronounced Obadiah Echois guilty of the said 2d additional article of impeachment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Raddick Simms guilty or not guilty of the said 2d additional article of impeach-

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: They unanimously said guilty.

The President pronounced Reddick Simms guilty of the said 2d additional article of impeachment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Francis Flournoy guilty or not guilty of the said 2d article of impeachment?

And the same question being a ked each member in his place: They unanimously said

The President pronounced that the court had declared Francis Flournov guilty of the said 2d j additional article of impeachment.

3d additional article. That they the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis! Flournoy, in fur ther prosecution of their base, wicked and corrupt designs, and the more securely and effectually to accomplish their evil and abominable frauds, peculanues and designs did, contrary to the immemorial custom and usage heretofore had and pursued, hold, expose and conduct the aforesaid sales of fractional surveys, at a place unknown as a place of public sale, in the town of Milledgeville, and contrary to the express, or at least implied, will of the Legislature—they, the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Hammond, Powell, Spalding and Wolton .- 8. Flourney, did remove from the State House-the only legal and proper place of sales. That they, the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and additional articles

gardless of the high, sacred and important trust to them committed and the several eaths by them taken, as well as unmindful of the duties and obligations of good citizes, are guilt, of divers and manifold peculations, frauds, corruptions and bris beries, during the said sales of 'racional surveys, to wit: From the 1st day of December, 1807, to the 26th day of February, 1808. Which said disgraceful proceedings, acungs and doings, are deregatory to the henor, punctuality and faith which ought to characterize all public agents --- subversive of the good order, morals and propriety of society and instrumentally degrading the honor and dignity of this state.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Obediah Echols guilty or not guilty of the foregoing third additional article of

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: Those who said guilty are,

Messrs. Ball, Brown, Carr, Courvoisie, Dawson, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Jack, Lane of Franklin, Lanier, M'Griff, Moore, Pope, Park, Rawles, Sti wart, Scruggs, Taliaferro, Talbott and Watts.

Those who said not guilty are.

Messrs. Burnett, Carter, Flournoy, Hogan, Hammond, Powell, Spalding and Walton.—8.

The President provounced that the court had declared Obadiah Echols guilty of the said 3d. additional article of impeachment.

By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Reddick Simms guilty or not guilty of the said 3d additional article of impeachment?

Those who said guilty are,

Messrs. Ball, Brown, Carr, Courvoisies Dawson, Davies, Fmbre, Fleuellen, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Jack, Lane of Franklin, Lanier, M'Griff, Moore, Pope, Park, Rawles. Stewart, Scruggs, Tal'aferro, Talbott & Watts.

Those who said not guilty are,

Mesers. Burnett, Carter, Flournoy, Hogans

The President pronounced that the court had declared Reddick Simms guilty of the said 3de By the President:

Mr. Ball, is Francis Flournoy guilty or not zuilty of the said 3d additional article of impeachment?

And the same question being asked each member of the court in his place: Those who

said guilty are,

Messrs. Ball, Brown, Carr, Courvoisie Dawson, Davies, Embre, Fleuellen, Gresham Henderson, Hardie, Jack, Lane of Franklin, Lanier, M'Griff, Moore, Pope, Park, Rawles, Stewart, Scruggs, Taliaferro, Talbott and Watts.

Those who said not guilty are,

Messrs. Burnett, Carter, Flournoy, Hogan, Hammond, Powell, Spalding and Walton.—8.

The President pronounced that the court had found Francis Flournoy guilty of the said 3d additional article of impeachment.

The court adjourned till to-merrow morning

10 o'clock.

Tuefday, Dec. 13, 1808.

The court met and adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Wednefday, Dec. 14, 1808.

State of Georgia,
VS.
Obadiah Echols, Reddick
Simms & Francis Flournoy.

Mr. Fitch, on the part of the accused, made the following motion in arrest of Judgment, viz:

The State of Georgia, and House of Representatives,

IMPEACH MENT.

Echols, Simms & Flournoy,

The respondents counsel now move and

arrest of judgment in this case, upon the following grounds, viz:

nft. That the original articles of impeachment are not figned by the Speaker of the House of Representatives which preserved them.

2d. That the additional articles were prefented to the honorable High Court of Impeachment after proclamation was made that the court was fitting, and never were prefented to the Senate, or received by them, when fitting in their deliberative or Legislative capacity, as the constitution requires.

3d. That the answers or pleas of the refpondents, as well to the original as additional articles must be taken to be true and conclusive, as the House of Representatives, who alone possessed the power and reserved the right of replying, have not made any reply to the answers or pleas.

4th. For that the honorable John E. Dawfon, a member of this honorable court, was one
of the members of the House of Representatives who preserved the original articles, and
thereby has acted as indictor and trier in the
same case or accusation.

5th. That the House of Representatives did not attend when the several answers were filed, or during the examination of the witnesses, or while the evidence was given in to the court.

oth. That in the third additional article, several distinct matters are set forth, alledging sacts in their nature and consequences materially different, and are so blended, so various and general, that it was and is impossible for the court to do ample and equal justice to each or any of the respondents.

JONES, DOOLY, Respondent's Counsel.

13th Dec. 1808.

Which was delivered in at the Secretary's table and read.

Mr. Spalding-

It is the opinion of the court, that no moz

tion for arrest of judgment is, at this stage of stended the fales for the purpose of becoming a the proceedings admissiole. Agreed to-and the arrest of judges ent over-ruled accordingly.

Mr. Carnes, on the part of the managers, being required to flate whether any thing resurined to be affered in this case, flated that a regular and conflictional conviction having taken place against the defendants, Echols, Simms and Plournoy, the managers required, in the name of the House of Representatives, and of all the good citizens of this State, that the fentence of this honorable court be now perhalications conremplated by the conditution.

By the court:

Whereas Opadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, late con millioners of freational lates, have been impeached by the honorable the House of Representatives of the State of Ceorgia, before the Serate of the faid State, for high crimes and misdemeanors in and by the feveral articles as follows:

Article 1. That the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, in virtue of an election or appointment of the Legislature of the State of Georgin, held and made on the fifth day of December, in the year eighteen hundred and fix; after having feverally entered into bond, and taken the oath preferibed by law, did take upon themselves the and with a certain William Waston, who as-

bona fide purchaser of the said fractions or some of them; that they, the find Obadian Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, or fome one or more of them, would, by their influence among the attendant citizens, filence all opposition and competition in the bids which might be offered: which covenant, agreement and understanding, was carried into effect, and the state was thereby, on account of the corrupt agreement as aforefaid, on the part of the commissioners, or some one of them, deprived of the best price which could have been had for the fame.

Article 2d. That they the said Obadiah Echots, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, regardless of the important trust confided to them as commissioners aforesaid, and the sacred oath by them taken, pursuant to the law in fuch cases made and provided, did, at the fales of the fractions, held in the town of Milledgeville, in the month of D-cember last past, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and feven, or some one day between the first day of December, eighteen hundred and feven, and the twenty fixth day of February. in the year eighteen hundred and eight, as aforefaid, use and exert the influence which they, as commissioners aforesaid had in this particular, for the corrupt and illegal purpose duty required of them; and on the first day of of preventing and hindering certain persons December, eighteen hundred and feven, they and particularly one William Witson, from the faid Oladiah Echols, Reddick Simms, bid ling for certain fractions, by them the faid and Francis Flourno, did proceed to fell and commissioners, on some one day between the dispose of the said fractions; and the said Oba- instit day of December, eighteen hundred and diah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flour- seven, and the twenty-sisth day of February, noy, under the appearance, semblance and pre-jeighteen hundred and eight, as aforesaid, excence of doing their duty faithfully, in the man- posed to public sale, in the said town of Milner required of them by law, and their facred ledgeville, thereby for the illegal and unrightoath, duly administered, did, on the twenty- eous purpose of enabling them, the said Obamint day of December, in the year eighteen I diah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis hundred and seven, corruptly, and for the take | Fiournoy, or some one or more of them, to of gain to themselves, covenant and agree to, | purchase some one of the said stassions at a price

far below its estimated value, and at a price far land damnified. Which conduct on the part of less than would have been given by certain persons, and particularly the said William Watfon, if they the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, had not used their influence for fuch illegal and unrighteous purposes; whereby they, or some one or more of them, were enabled to re-fell fuch fraction sto individuals who were disposed to purchase the fame at a price beyond the fum for which they had been publicly fold by the faid commissioners; and thereby making to themselves the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, great gains and profit, to the great and ferious damage and injury of the state of Georgia and the good people thereof, contrary to the trust and duty reposed in the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, and in violation of the facted oath by them taken as aforefaid.

Article 3d. That the faid Obadiah Echols, one of the faid commissioners, regardless of the said oath which he had taken, and the interest of the state, during the time of selling the faid fractional furveys, did, corruptly and with an intent of promoting his own individual interest, and the interest of his associate commissioners, solicit a person who attended the sales for the purpose of becoming a purchaser, not to interfere in the purchase of the fractions which were to be fold in the forenoon of that day; alledging that he the faid Echols wished to purchase those fractions, as they adjoined a square of land which had been drawn by his (said Echols) father; by which said corrupt and dishonest infinuations the said Echols silenced all opposition and became the purchaser of the two fractions as aforesaid, for a sum far below their value, and below the sum or price which some of the attendant citizens would willingly have given, by which corrupt and differential conduct on the part of the faid Obadiah Echols, the State of Georgia, and the Echols, Reddi k Simms and Francis Flournoy,

the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flourn by, is alledged and averred to be an high crime and mildemeanor on the part of the faid Obadian Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy.

Article 4th. That the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, regardless of the important duty confided to them as commissioners aforefaid, and the facred oath by them taken, purfuent to the law in such cases made and provided, did, at the sales of the fractions aforefaid, on some one day between the 21st day of December, 1807, and the 26th day of February, 1808, as aforefaid, at the town of Milledgeville, aforefaid, fraudulently and corruptly, and for the purpole of unrighteous gain to themselves, or some one or more of them, charge in the book or books by them kept for the purpose of entering and charging the amount for which the said fractions were fold, some one of the said fractions to some one person or other, and particularly to one Freeman, at a sum or price less than such fraction had actually been bid off by the perfou purchasing such fraction at the public sales.

Article 5th. That the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, in further profecution of their nefarious, deceitful and peculating designs, in order to defraud the state, and thereby to injure the good people thereof, and promote their individual interest at the expense of the reputation and dignity of the state, did sell and dispose of the number two hundred and forty-seven, in the tenth district of Baldwin county, at two feveral times, and the same was entered in the books of the said commissioners for a sum far less than the sum for which the same was fold.

Article 6th. That the faid Obadiah good people thereof, have been greatly injured in further profecution of their base, fraudulens

and corrupt defigne, and for their own private; inter. It, leaving estirely out of view the interest of the state; which by every lawful means in their power they and each of them ought to have promoted to the best of their power and ability, did take and receive and apply to their of them, the fum of three thousard five hundrid and twenty-five dollars, over and above the fums for which bonds were given by individual purchasers to the state. Which sum of three thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars, the faid Obadiah Echols, Reddick I Simms and Francis Flournoy obtained by their corrupt management, infinuations, filencing, threatening and perfualion exercised by them, or some one or more of them the said commissioners, during the time of the sales.

Article 7th. That they the faid Obadiah I Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, or one or more of them, do row corruptly, illegally and without any just cause, retain and keep in their own hands, as appears by a statement in the treasury office of this state, a balance of two thousand three hundred dollars, 55; and 3-4 cents, or fome other large fum; being, part of cash payments made by purchasers in preference to giving bonds, and part call received by them on account of the fun required by law to be paid by furchasers of the fractional furveys, on receiving their grants for the fractions by them purch ad.

Article 3. That they the said Obadiah Echels, Reddick Summs and Francis Flournoy, by the proceed 13: and could t set forth in the foregoing articles, contrary to the high and important trust confided to them as commissioners aforesaid, and the sacred oath by them respectively taken, have for the sake of lucre and gain, and their own personal aggrandicament, been disgracefully instrumental in establishing a precedeat subversive of the good faith which ought to be found in the actings and doing; of all persons to whom the great concerns of this state, and the good citizens thereof, may be hereafter confided.

1st Additional Article. That the said Obake diah Echols, Reddick Simms and Frencis Flournoy, regariless of the important duties confided to them as commissioners aforesaid, the sacred oath by them taken, pursuant to the law in such case made and provided, d'd, at the sales of the fractions aforesaid, on some one day between the individual use and benefit, or to the individual | 1st day of D. cember, 1807, and the 26th day of un, benefit and emotument of one or more, February, 1803 at the town of Milledgeville, fraudulently, corruptly, and for the purpose of unrighteous gain to the meelves, or some one or more of them, receive the sum of forty dollars or other large sum or sums of money, from some one or more of the attendant citizens, particularly one Joshua Hagarthy, on some one day during the sales of the tractional surveys, as a consideration to them, or some one or more of them, to insure or engage a fraction or fractions, then & there sold to the said Joshua Hagarthy, or some one of the attendant citizens, at a particular price, to wit:---The sum of seventy-nine dollars, or some other sum; whereby, in consequence of such corrupt and fraudulent conduct on the part of the said Chadian Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flourney, or some one or more of them, the state sust fined a loss of forty dollars, or other large sums of money; and many of the attendant citizens deprived of a fair opportunity to bid for a fraction or fractions then and there sold, and the state thereby deprived of the highest and fairest price which might have been given for the same.

> 2d additional article. That the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Prencis Flournoy, contrary to the faith and obligation upon them imposed as commissioners aforesaid, did not pay over to the treasurer of the state of Georgia, within the time required by law, the monies by them received on grants, in neu of office fees, but for the base purpose of individual emclument, and unrighteous gain, the said sum of money did wantonly, illegally and corruptly retain and keep in their own hands.

3d additional article. That they the said Obedish Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, in further prosecution of their base, wicked and corrupt designs, and the more securely and effectually to accomplish their evil and abominable frauds, peculations and designs, did, contrary to the immemorial custom and usage heretofore had and pursued, hold, expose and conduct the aforesaid cales of fractional surveys, at a place un-

shown as a place of public sale, in the town of Milledgeville, and contrary to the express, or at least implied, will of the Legislature—they, the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, did remove from the State House---the only legal and proper place of sales. That they, the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, commissioners as aforesaid, regardless of the high, sacred and important trust to them committed, and the several oaths by them taken, as well as unmindful of the duties and obligations of good citizens, are guilty of divers and manifold peculations, frauds, corruptions and briberies, during the said sales of fracional surveys, to wit: From the 1st day of December, 1807, to the 26th day of February, 1808. Which said disgraceful proceedings, actings and doings, are derogatory to that honor, punctuality and faith which ought to characterize all public agents---subversive of the good order, morals and propriety of society and instrumentally degrading the honor and dignity of this state.

And whereas the Senate having heard the evidence in support of faid articles, and the argument of counsel for and against the said respondents, after taking the premises into consideration, have found that the said Obadiah Echols is guilty upon the first, second, third, fixth, feventh and eighth of the original articles; and upon the first, second and third of the additional articles; and have found him not guilty on the fourth and fifth of the original articles.

And have found Reddick Simms, one other of the respondents guilty on the first, fecond, fixth, seventh and eighth of the original articles; and on the first, second and third of the additional articles; and have found him not guilty on the third, fourth and fifth of the original articles.

And have found Francis Flournoy, the other respondent, guilty upon the fixth, seventh and eighth of the original articles; and on the second and third of the additional articles; and not guilty upon the others.

the following sentences

You Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, after a patient exa nination before the highest judicial tribunal known to the conflicution and laws of your country, have been found guilty of basely conspiring against the honor, the interest and the digoity of the people, who had confided their property to your trust and management.—The High Court of Impeachment, satisfied and convinced of the infamy and guilt of your conduct, do pronounce and adjudge as follows:

That you Obadiah Echols, be, and you are hereby removed from all and every office held by you under the authority of this state, or any county thereof.—And that you be difqualified from holding and enjoying any office of honor, trust or profit, within this state, for and during the term of your natural

And that you Reddick Simms, be, and you are hereby removed from all and every office held by you under the authority of this state, or any county thereof.—And that you be disqualified from holding and enjoying any office of honor, trust or profit, within this state, for and during the term of thirty years.

And that you Francis Flournoy, be, and, you are hereby removed from all and every office held by you under the authority of this state, or any county thereof.—And that you be disqualified from holding and enjoying any office of honor, trust or profit, within this state, for and during the term of twenty years.

And that you Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, pay into the treasury of the state eighteen hundred dollars, for costs incurred in this profecution.—And that you stand committed till the same be paid.

By the court:

Ordered, That the messenger do procure a guard sufficient to take charge of the bodies of Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, and each of them safely keep un-Whereupon, the Prefident pronounced til further orders.—And that he apply to the Executive for arms and ammunition.

The messenger returned that he had sum- cording to military law. moned captain Jurett and eleven men, who were it the bar of the court.

Code ed, That captain William Jarrett do forthwith take the bodies of Obadian Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, and them fittely keep until the further order of the High Court of Impeachment.

Mr. Dooly:

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On motion of the countel for respondents, It is ordered, That an exoneration as to the respective bail for the appearance of Obaciah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournuy, before this honorable High Court, be entered on the minutes of this Court.

Ordered, That the bail be discharged accondingly.

Thursday, Dec. 15, 1808.

The State of Georgia, VS. Echols, Simmo and Flournoy.

Capt. William Jarrett,

Mr. Prefident and gentlemen of the High

Court of Impeachment,

Agreeable to your orders, I have in my custody Opadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, with a guard of twelve men, with myself; but one of the guard, Enophilus Bird, summoned by your messenger, has refused to obey my orders, and has been very abusive, for which I return said Bird to you for vour decision.

By the Court:

On the subject of the communication from Capt. William Jarrett; the court are of opin-1 ion, that the captain is in duty bound to make | county of Oglethorpe-GREETING: a report to the commander of the regiment,]

Mr. Flournoy,

It is ordered by the court, That the letter of William Watson, addressed to the court, be annexed to the end of the journal as an errata, the fame being admitted as a true correction of his testimony.

By the President:

Opadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy—are you ready to pay the eighteen hundred dollars cost of prosecution, agreeably to your fentence?

Answer-We are not.

By the Court:

Ordered, That the Secretary make out a mittimus; and that Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, be committed to the common jail of Oglethorpe county & and that a copy of the articles of impeachment, a printed copy of the evidence, and a copy of the lentence of the court be forwarded to the jailer, together with the mittimus.

The court decided by yeas and nays—

yeas 20—nays 9.

Those whe decided in the affirmative are. Meffrs. Brown, Ball, Carter, Carr, Embre, Gresham, Henderson, Hardie, Hogan, Hammond, Lane of Franklin, Lanier, M'Griff, Pope, Stewart, Scruggs, Tallaferro, Talbotta Watts and Walton.

Those who decided in the negative are, Messrs. Burnett, Courvoisie, Dawson, Fleuellen, Flournay, Jack, Lane of Putnam,

Moore and Rawles.

Whereupon, the President signed the following mittimus, which was attefted by the Secretary:

STATE OF GEORGIA,

By the honorable HENRY MITCHELL, Prefident of the Senate of the State of Georgia.

To Lieurenant Colonel Thaddeus Holtz and to the keeper of the common jail of the

Your are hereby commanded to take into and that the Colonel punish the offender ac- I your custody the bodies of Obadiah Echola-

Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, convicted of high crimes and mildemeanors by the Senate of the State of Georgia; and them fafely convey to the common jail of the county of Oglethorpe, in this State; and you the keeper of the said jail are hereby commanded the bodies of the said Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, to receive and them fafely keep, until they pay the fum of eighteen hundred dollars, for cofts incurred on their impeachment, the costs of imprisonment and that of the guard for conducting them to jail, or they otherwise be discharged according to law.-Hereof fail not.

Given under my hand and seal this 15th December, 1808.

HENRY MITCHELL, (Signed) Prefident of the High Court of Impeachment.

WILL. ROBERTSON, Attest. Secretary, and Secretary of the Senate of the State of Georgia.

The High Court of Impeachment adjourned till 2 o'clock to-morrow evening.

Friday, Dec. 16, 1808,

State of Georgia,

Obadiah Echols, Reddick (IMPEACHMENT. Simms & Francis Flour-

The President signed an abstract of the proceedings, conviction, judgment and fentence of the Senate of the state of Georgia, fitting in their judicial capacity. Which was ordered to accompany the mittimus fending Obadiah Echols, Reddick Simms and Francis Flournoy, to the jail of Oglethorpe county.

By the Court:

Ordered, That the minuting clerk deliver to the Secretary of Senate the written testimony taken on this trial, and that the Secretary cause the same to be recorded as an appendix to his journal.

HENRY MITCHELL,

President of the High Court of Impeachment, and President of the Senate of the State of Georgia.

APPENDIX.

The State of Georgia, IMPEACHMENT. Echols, Simms & Flournoy,

ON THE PART OF THE STATE.

Monday, November 21, 1808. WILLIAM WATSON, Sworn.

That he attended the sales of the fractional surveys at capt. Harris's, for the purpose of purchasing certain fractions.

That he requested Simms one of the commissioners, to bid off a certain fraction for him, provided it did not exceed the sum of fifty dollars, that Simms said he did not like to bid-but finally did bid, and it was knocked off at 28 dollars 10 cents. That he the witness, on enquiring if it was not for him, was informed by Mr. Simms that he had bid it of for Echols. That Echols then enquired of

THE EVIDENCE IN THE CASE OF | him if he wanted a certain other fraction, that was about to be sold, on his answering in the affirmative, Echols requested him not to bid, that he Echols wanted it himself, and if he the witness persisted to do so, that he should not have it for a less sum than 1000 dollars. That he the witness replied that Echols should not have it for less than 1500 dollars. Echols then asked him if a certain person who was then bidding was acting for him, and on his replying yes, Echols then informed the witness that if he would give as much per acre for the two fractions that had been sold as the one that was then crying that he should have them all-on his agreeing to do so, the same was knocked off for 331 dollars-and that there was no other bid after Echols and himself understood each other-That seon after being in the room where the commissioners usually transacted business—Echols made a calculation, and found that he the witness agreeably to the agreement made was indebted to him Echols, the sum of 207 dollars 61 1-2 which was

demanded of him the witness by Echols, the witness answered, that he did not expect to pay it down, but by instalments—He thinks that Echols, said he did stop others from bidding, in consequence of the money expected—That he the witness on failing promptly to comply with the requisition, he only got the last fraction, or the large one which he sold to Doctor Winkfield to whom titles was ! made, as well as to one other which he purchased afterwards-That he the witness had made up his mind to give as much as 5 dollars per acre for the fraction which was sold for 28 dollars 10 centsand the sum of 750 dollars for the one that sold for 331—That the commissioners appeared to be acquainted with the quality of the fractions sold.

Cross Examined.

- Q. Have you settled with Echols?
- A. I think I offered to do so.
- Q. Is there suit commenced against you by Echols-for the money said to be due him?
 - A. I can't tell, but such has been hinted.
- Q. Did you see any fractions sell for less than you thought them worth?
 - A. I saw some sell very low
- Q. Did you see any as good bargains sold as the one that sold for 331 dollars.
 - A. I believe I did.

Tuesday, November 22, 1808. ELIJAH CLARK, Esq. Sworn.

Whilst the sales of the 9th district of Wilkinson were progressing-witness went down to Mr. Harris's, where they were held, stept into the back room occupied by the commissioners, after certain fractions were sold-there was a settlement between Echels and Watson, witness by request aided them in calculating the debt that was due by a previous understanding, that upon this calculation, 207 dollars 61 1-2 cents was due Echols, that Echols demanded of Watson that amount, but Watson told Echols he expected to pay him in the same manner of the state in four angual instalments-this Echols objected to-Watson then proffered to give his notes payable in one or two months.

Echols complained that he was disappointedthat he had stopt bidding himself, and prevented others, to accomprodate Watson, and that he expected the money down; or words to that effect; The understanding between them was this, that Watson was to give Echols as much for the two preceding fractions per acre as the one that was then selling should sell for per acre. This was the basis of the settlement that witness assisted in adjusting; Echols was to have this money, to wit 207 dollars 61 1-2 as private profit, unconnected with or Flourney.

Cross Examined?

- Q. Were you frequently at the sales &
- A. I was.
- Q. When either of the commissioners bid for & fraction did he not come down from his stand, and not act as commissioner?
- A. Witness could not say it was the custom, but recollects to have seen them once or twice in the. piazza bidding; knows nothing against Simms and Flournoy; he knows nothing of a fraction's being. prematurely knocked off. That the sales were conducted as sales are usually; knows nothing of any one else being connected with commissioners.

DANIEL WADSWORTH, Szworn.

One Mr. Pelt and witness, came to buy a fraca tion in the 8th district Baldwin No. 188; met with-Echols at Harris's; Echols invited him into his room, witness had previously told him what frace. tion he wanted; Echols asked witness if he wouldnot give way to him Echols; witness replied he would not; Echols then said will you not uponthese terms? to wit, to stay on the place two years rent free, and without tax; witness answered he would, if he would let him and Pelt live there & when Mr. Pelt came next morning Echols asked what witness and Pelt would give for the fraction, that he might know what to bid; witness told Mr. Pelt to say what; he answered 2000 dollars; suppose said Echols you get me to buy it, I will not ask you 2000 dollars or 1500 either, he said hear (Echols) could get it cheaper than any one else ; he said, will you give me 1200 dollars? witness answered yes. If I can get it for 800 dollars will you give me 1200 dollars; witness and Pelt agreed to do it, and then entered into an obligation to that effect; both parties were to stop all their friends from bidding; Echols said he would go in the piazza, stand on a bench, hold up his hand, and bid, and when witness and Polt saw his hand fall, and say gentlemen I am done, that was the signal to follow him; he did do as he said; they followed him, says Echols will you give me 1500 dollars? they told him they would; he called Mr. A. Harris to witness the bargain; Echols went to his room, beckoned to one Terrell, and said something, witness knows not what; Terrell made a b.d, and it was knocked off at 1111 dollars, they then asked Echols if it was for them? (witness and Pelt) he answered yes; they went into the room to give their notes; Echols said gentlemen I hope you will not deceive me; they answered they would take the land; Echols said the notes were written, and properly done, for they were written by Mr. Matthews the clerk; he asked if they had any object the state's money; knews nothing against Simms tions to giving Mr. Carr as security? they answer. ed no, and asked if they must give Mr. Carr for the state, he said it was unnecessary, he would grant the land to one, and the other would do for security to the state, but that he must have Mr. Carr for himself, as they were strangers to him, and not to think hard of it; Simms was not there at all, nor was Flournoy present at any of the agreements which witness made with Echols; Flournoy cried the fraction, did not cease crying when Echols stopt bidding; nor immediately after. Terrell bid, saw nothing improper in Flournoy's conduct; witness gave for the fraction 1111 dollars; would have given 2000 dollars for it, and this he told Echols.

Cross Examined.

The fraction was called rich hill; Mr. Terrell and off the fraction adjoining the rich hill; witness, made no contract with Terrell; he asked Echols previously if that fraction was not to sell; he said yes; do you want to buy? witness said yes; then walk into my room by and by, when no body is present. .

Question by the Court.

Q. Who were the notes drawn in favor of? A. Notes were drawn in favor of Echols alone. JOHN MATTHEWS, Sworn.

In the time they were selling the fractions in the 8th district Baldwin, he walked into Echols's room, Echols asked witness to write some promissory notes for him, he did so, and they were then given by Wadsworth and Pelt, to Echols, being four in number for 97 dollars each, making in the whole 388 dollars, the difference as he understood between what the fraction sold for, that was just knocked off, and what Wadsworth and Pelt were to give Echols for it, save one dellar, which was thrown out to make even money; Flournoy was present, walking about in the room, said nothing approving or dissenting; Simms was not there; the notes were made to Echols alone, he believes payable in one, two, three and four years; one Carr signed these

Cross Examined.

Nothing material.

Question by the Court.

Q. Was the transaction in a public room?

A. It was in the room where the fractions were Belling.

He has no reason to believe that Flournoy heard any of the conversation, he might or might not, he was in the room.

THOMAS NAPIER, Sworn.

Witness went to the fraction sales with a view of purchasing lands-told Mr. Flournoy his intention, the morning of the sale of the fractions, ! which he had a view of buying-Echols took wit- room, and asked him if he did not want the fraction ness out at the extreme end of Harris's piazza-

and in conversation, Echols said he was sorry witness was going to bid for the big fractions, as he had a letter from a friend requesting him (Echols) to buy them - Witness tried to extert from Echole what he would give-could not get it out of him. Echols offered witness one hundred dollars not to bid against him, if the land did not go for more than four or five dellars per acre-if it went for that the state could not be defrauded-Witness said he would give more than that. Witness says, Simms, he thinks, or it might be Echols, but the former he believes, told him a Mr. Boling Hall was going to bid against him-witness went to Hall, who told him he would not oppose him, and to stay and buy it. Witcess then went into the room where commissioners were, and asked Mir. Echols particularly, what limit was to be set to the fractions-Simms turned on his heel towards Flournoy, and said, no limit. Echols then came out of the room, and witness agreed with him to buy the land in conjunction, and the understanding was to give or take. Mr. A. Harris was called as a witness to the bargain. But misunderstanding one another as to one or more fractions they were to buy in conjunction; the bargain was dissolved, and witness agreed to give Echols one hundred dollars not to bid against him. Witness understood that the land would be worth from forty to fifty dollars per acre. He (witness) intended to give as high as ten dollars per acre. He further says, he gave upwards of fifteen hundred dollars for one fraction, and above five hundred for the other.-The note for the one hundred dollars was made payable to Echols alone, at the Christmas following. He knows nothing of Flourney and Simms but what he has related.

Cross Examined.

He says he offered these fractions the other day, for what he gave for them, as he gave their value. The sale appeared fair, and he was the highest bidder. He saw Mr. Simms bil in the room, and every thing seemed fair and above board. When Mr. Simms said there was no limit, he understood that Simins knew the land they were then talking about.

> Wednesday, Nevember 23. THOMAS CARGLE, Sworn.

On the 2d of February he went to buy a fraction, No. 200, in 18th Baldwin. It was knocked off to one Perkins; efter the fraction was bid off the first time, witness went into the room; Echole took him by the hand, and said, I could tell you something if I dare! Witness told him he did dare, not to be afraid; he then took him into his (Echola's) that was knocked off to Perkins? Witness said he

did. Echols asked twice how much he would give ! -il you will give me any thing worthwhile, you shall have it, for it will be re-sold-witness told him he reckoned not, for Perkins will give security; for he heard Mr. Bankston say he would be his (Mr. Perkins's) security; no matter, Echols told witness, he knew all about it. Witness then offered him two thousand dollars for it; he said witpess should not have it for that. Witness said he would give three thousand. Echols said, you may have it for three thousand five hundred; witness agreed to give it; Ethols then said we must enter into an agreement. He went away. Some little while after witness met with Simms and asked him where Echols was? Simms replied I do not know, nor don't care, unless he would attend to his business better. Echols soon after returned with the obligation, and witness executed it for three thouhand five hundred dollars, pay this flore to Echels, 1 Witness was to give in four annual instalments. the difference between three thou and five hundred dollars, and what it should sell for. Echols isked to the state; and gave Echols a power of attorney to sign his name to the bonds for the state, witnessed by Simms-neither or the other commissioners were present at any of the agreements with Echols. Witness has since taken up his agreement from Echols. Some time alterwards Echols sent witness the grant by Milner Echols, his brother, who filled it up, it being left blank. The land sold for two thousand five handred and twenty dollars, at the second sale. At the first sal, the day before, he (witness) bid four thousand and ten dollars, it went off at four thousand and eleven, and he did not get it; witness wished Echols to put his agreement in the hands of Simms-but he put it in a trank that was in the room in which commissioners transacted business; Simms cried the fraction the first sale; witness for the ordance 980 dollars gave his notes, payable to Milner Echols to four annual instalments of 245 dollars each, being the surplus of what the fraction sold for, and what he was to give. BOLING HALL, Esq. Sworn.

He rod up to where they were selling fractions, and while on his horse, or just as he dismounted, Simms came up to him and told nim he had informed a certain person, that he, (Mr. Hell) was going to bid for i fraction, and would give very ligh for it, which that person wanted, and begged ! dat u

JOHN JARRISON, Sworn.

While they were semag fraction No. 80, in 7th Baldwin, associating the garrison; Echols asked witness if he wanted that fraction? Witness said h- did, as he had bought a fraction adjoining it, the day before; they made an agreement, (witness and Echols) to buy the fraction, and give or take, Mr. Fluker bought it for witness, at 100 dollars 61 1.4 cents; Echols said he would give two hundred dollars for it; witness proff red to give or take 25 dellars; Echols said that was not enough, but he would take it; witness gave his note for that sum to Echols with Mr. Fluker as security.

Cross Lanmined.

Knows nothing against Simms or Flourney. Col. I HADDEUS HOL I. Sworn.

Witness says he had a conversation with Simms on the subject of moving the sales from the State House to Harris's at Dr. Bird's shop: tolo him he was acting in contempt of the state: Simms replied he should think for himself and no one should think tor him, he knew his duty and he would do it strict-If he could give security; he said he would try; by; witness also meationed this subject to Flourand eventually got Mr. Easley to be his security (noy, who said, tungs are as they are, and shall 'not be altered; he next spoke to Echols about the Tremoval of the sales, who observed he was governed by Simms, that he was an old hand at the business; witness attended the sales generally, and was only absent about two weeks from them, and watched the conduct of the commissioners closely; who appeared to be governed and ruled by whatever Simms said or did; he says he saw a fraction crying very high, and one Perkins was the bidder, who he knew to be insolvent, a d witness told Simms. who was crying the fraction, he had better know the nature of his security, but Simms made him no reply, as he could hear; the commissioners were shy of witness, as he thought, and when he attended the sales, would lock their door, and witness several times got into the commissioners room through the window; witness walked in the private room where Echels was writing unobserved, and Looking over ais shoulder, as he stood behind him read three promissory notes, and saw others folded up with notes written on the back of them; those he read were made payable to Simms, Flourney and Echols, for 25 dollars each; when Echols discovered him, he placed his hands on the notes, with a view as witness thought to conceal them.

Cross Examined.

The first fraction sales, of the first purchase, were held at a house in Milledgeville, owned by witness not to undeceive said person, he knows General Scott, the state house being at that time mething against either of the other commissioners; just began; he never saw any notes of the diswitness says he saw Mr. Napier buy fractions that | cription spread on the table, but that one time; I he knew Perhins's insolvency from report, and while in Washington county; he heard Simms frequently say he would never cry a bid, when the bidder had failed to comply with the terms of sale; and never knew any bid refused, except David Creswell's, who had formerly bid and not complyed; he also heard Simms say he would never cry Perkins's bid again as he had also failed.

WILLIAM BRODENAX, Sworn.

During the latter part of the sales of the fractions, the and Echols made an agreement to go down into Tattnall county; but after the sales were over, Echols declined going down, and witness and Echels went up into Clarke county together; witness saw Echols present to one William Randolph two motes given by said Randolph, payable to Simms and Echols, amounting to 500 dollars; Randolph paid off the notes by giving Echols two negroes, Echols giving Randolph 50 dollars; after they had left Randolph's, witness asked Echols how he would settle with Simms? Echols said there would be no difficulty, for he had from a short acquaintance with Simms, formed such an attachment for him that he had made him a present or presents to the amount of 2000 dollars; witness went by one Floid's, with a note for 300 dellars, which Echols had given him to collect, being given by said Floid, and made payable to Echols alone; witness precented the note to Floid, who told him he had not the money, but that if Echols would come he would give him any property he had to that amount; witness afterwards on his way to Greenesboro' with Echols, happened at James Taylor's; saw notes to the amount of 900 dollars in Echols's hands. given by said Taylor he can't say whether made payable to Simms or Echols, but he believes to the latter; witness understood from their conversation. that these notes were to be paid off in negroes, but Taylor having but few of them, and those very funlikely, Echols would not take them, or Taylor refused to pay them, he can't well recollect which. As they went through Greenesborough, Col. Philips was standing in a merchant's door in that place, and told Echols to take care of that horse which he was then driving in his chair, for fear that he | might break his neck; or some such worde; Echols after leaving Philips observed to witness he reckoned Philips hated to see that horse; witness asked why? he answered, the horse did not cost me more than two dollars, and I got him from Phi-Aips. Witness saw Echols have a note given by Thomas Napier, and made payable to Ethols for one hundred dolls. which Echols said Napier gave him on a bargain, to this effect-Napier wanted

from the idle and dissolute life which he lived, I that Napier should buy it, and he was to give or take; Napier bought it, and Echols took this 100 dollars according to bargain; Echols told witness he had got three watches during the sales, that he had given one to Simms, and one to John Hill of Patnam.

Q. Did not Echols request you not to implicate Flournoy, for that he Flournoy, had received but very little, and that himself and Simms had divided

the chief part of the profits?

A. Witness does not recollect; but that this he remembers, Echols told witness in a jocular manner, that he was sorry for Flourney, who made but very little.

"But shored an equal part of the blame, While he and Simms run off with the game." Cross Examined.

He does not knew whether the notes given by Rindelil were for fractions or a square tract; he does not recollect whether he witnessed a deed from Echels and Simms, to Randolph; he believes be witnessed some instrument; the notes to Taylor were given for Echols's bie for a frection er fractions, in the bend or the fork of the Alcovi-.hatcl.y.

> Thursday, Nevember 24. AUCUSTIN HARRIS, Swarn.

Commissioners sold the fractions at witness's house—he was called in as a witness to a bargain, between Echols and Themas Napier, which bargain was this-Napier was to buy certain fractions, which he wanted, and he was to give or takewitness was to give commissioners their board and feed one of their horses for nothing, if they would sell the fractions at his house; they all agreed by note to do so; he knows no other mal-conduct against them.

Cross Examined.

He knews of no persons concerned with the commissioners-Simms and Flournoy generally cried the fractions-Echels and Flournoy were frequently ind sposed, and said the State-House was inconvenient for the purpose of sales-Allen Greene offered the same terms, with this addition, he would find all their horses, as commissioners told witness— he saw no improper conduct in the commissioners.

Spestion through the Court.

What reasons did he commissioners or either of them assign to y u, for coming to the State-House after their agreement with you?

A. Wirness understood from one or perhaps all of them, that they had heard there was a resolution on the table of the House of Representatives, a fraction and Echols wanted the same, they agreed | to require their selling the fractions at the StateAt mose, for the convenience of some of the mem- I witness reminded him of his bargain, and made. hers, and they moved there for that purpose, and I several propositions, and witness's Brother whe that in consequence of that, the resolution was stiffneed; commissioners had one or more trunks who was sitting in the room, said to Echols & for the deposit of their papers, does not know whether they were in common—they had a room to themselves; says John H. Bryan staid in their not m two or three weeks-Bryan paid his own board; knows of no money brought to the commissioners by Bryan.

BARNES HOLLOWAY, Sworn.

Ten or fifteen days after the sales, he met with Echols, and was talking of the rumour that prevailed against the conduct of commissioners, Echols said there was a great noise, to be sure, about it, In the Milledgeville papers, but that would all die away by and by as other things had done; Echols said he was sorry t r Flournov, who had made nothing, but that he would not dany that he himself had made money—he had made 7000 dollars, but that he had done nothing, but what would bear an investigation, he had made it fairly by buying and selling; Echols said he had such an attachment for Simms he had given him ; his watch and 2000 dollars. Witness told Echols he thought that one could not do an improper thing without the rest, and he thought Flournoy was equally guilty; Echols said he was privy to all their transactions, and nothing was done without his knowledge-witness observed to him he had heard of a fraction's being sold in which Simms had made 100 dollars-Echols agreed he did, but that he made it by buying a fraction fairly, and selling it again, he did not think that any crime.

JOSHUA HAGARTHY, Sworn. On the first of February, he came to buy two fractions No. 123 and 124, in 18th district Bald. win; he made an opportunity of getting into the company of Echols, and teld him his business was to buy two fractions-Ech its asked him to go into his room, wa will see where I will go in, follow me, I don't like to talk too much out here-witmess little while after went into the room, and Echols asked what he would give for the fractions, witness said he would give as much as any one else-he mentioned some price but den't recollect what-they finally agreed that with ss should give half a doll r an acre, over sud above what it should sell for to the state, in four annual instalments; witness was to go into the pizza and make a few bids; he did so; and the fractions were cried by Simms, and Echols bid them off after the sale witness asked if the fractions were for him, Echols said they were, Echols said witness had got them that a very valuable fraction had been once solds so cheap he could afford to may the money down; and that it was to be re-sold again; witness rea

was with him proposed to give 40 dollars; Simms would take it, who answered I believe I will a Flourney was also in the room: Echols then told witness to get the money, and when he brought it, Flourney would give him the grants, as Echelsi and Simms were going out of town .- Next morning witness and brother went with the money and applied to Flourney for the grants -- who after look. ing into the book which witness supposed contained an entry of the sale; said there was so much noise. he did not like to concern with it, and said witness had better wait till Lihols came; witness supposes the land was set down to Echols in the book which made Flourney unwilling to act upon it; witness did wait, and when Ethols came, he asked Flournoy why he had not made out the grants for wit? ness, Fi urnoy answered there was so much noise, he did not like to have any thing to do with it; then Lehols said I can do it pretty quick-witness then paid down the 40 dollars and took his grants, in the presence of all the commissioners.

Gross Examined.

He first mentioned his business to Echols, uponinformation which he received of their misconduct from one I olbot Arthur; he saw nothing improper in commissioners while they were selling fractions; Echols prevented no one from bidding as he saw; Simms nor Flournoy, were not present, when he agreed to give half a dollar per acre; he did not offer the money to Flournoy, he only applied to him for the grants, this was in the morning.

Through the Court.

Witness understood by the expression " noise? used by Flournoy, to mean the censure of their conduct which every where prevailed, in selling the fractions; the two fractions containing 150 acres, sold for 95 dollars; the witness says the land is very poer.

Gen. JOHN SCOTT, Swern.

Simms and Echols purchased of witness, a house. and lot and some furniture, for which they gave him 2900 dollars; they paid witness for it by giving him a Governor's warrant for 500 dellars; 1000 deltais in cash, and a square tract of land, to be valued, the balance due being 1166 2-3 dollars; Echols shewed witness a large bundle of notes to the amount of between 7 and 5000 dollars. which he said he had made fairly.

ABNER M'GEHEE Sworn.

He was at the sale of fractions, having heard.

quested Gen. Scott to go down to where they were Witness's watch was worth about 60 dolls. selling; just before he got there he heard them crying a fraction at 1760 dollars, and about to be struck off, he, before he got to the place, bid 100 dolfars more, and himself and Gen. Scott, bid on till it got to 2300 dellars; when witness observing Echols from his countenance and behaviour to be very much agitated, and who was in the room where they were crying the fractions, he beckoned to witness to come round into the room where he was; witness did so; and Echols then asked witness if it was a matter of great importance with him to buy that fraction, that a friend of his wanted it and had wished him (Echols) to buy it, and give 2,200 dolls. and that he had then exceeded his price; Echols also asked if witness wished to settle the land; witness replied it was nothing to him; witness says the fraction was cried by Flournoy, who did it fairly, and he saw no impropriety in his conduct, and nothing against Simms, but that he saw him frequently out among the croud in private conversation; he knows none of the persons with whom he was talking.

CHARLES GACHET, Sworns

Some time in February, witness went to purchase a fraction No. 207, 9th Baldwin, that after bidding it was knocked off to some one else; he walked into the room to see who had bought it, and looking at the entries on the book, he saw that one Taylor & Stone had purchased it: Echols was in the room, and witness being a little vexed made some observations, and Echois then introduced witness to Taylor and Stone, who were then in the rosm: had. some little conversation with Taylor and Stone; does not recollect what: witness then left the room and Echols followed him to the door, told witness he was sorry he had not got the fraction, that one hundred dollars was no object, that for that sum he would fix the business, and procure the fraction for him; witness said he would do no such thirg; they tions were sold, and recollects it well. Mr. Simms had better give him 100 dols, to take the bargain off | was not present at the sale. their hands: then left Echols; returned in the afternoon, asked Echols if Laylor and Stone were! disposed to let him have that land; he said no; but sales, saw a bit. Freeman bid on a fraction, number he reckened 50 dolls. would get it; witness replied 247, at 250 dollars, and it was entered on the books he had no money to spare, but that there was his at 202 dollars: Freemen rejused to comply, and watch, worth more than 50 dolls. they might have Mond y the same fraction re-sold for 60 dollars and that for their bargain; Echols then took the watch, 50 cents. Witness gave his note to Echols also for and told witness to come to his office, in about one 800 dollars, on conditions, for fraction 238, 10th hour; witness went; and Flourpoy shewed him the Baldwin; after this agreement, witness was to put book, where his name was inserted above Taylor up his overseer to bid for it, let it go at what it and Stone, and their names plainly rubbed out; the would; witness himself was to bid as high as 500

Gross Examined.

Witness got several fractions at the first sales of first purchase, they were granted to him, tho' he was not at the sales: Mr. Simms was not present: 1000 dolls. was the price of the land.

ABRAHAM BORLAND, Sworn.

When the fractions were selling in the 8th district Baldwin, witness went to purchase these fractions, No. 421 and 422—Echols took witness one side, and asked him if he was going to bid for fractions that day; Witness answered he was-he then observed to witness, that his father had drawn a square in the swamp, that he wished to connect two fractions with it-he would show witness the numbers, if he would not bid against him-he shewed witness the numbers, and they were 421 and 422; Echols bought them, and then offered them to witness for 50 dolls. who would not give—he then agreed with one Coffy to let him have them at that price—did not see the money paid down for them; knows nothing against: Simms or Flournoy.

Cross Examined.

Witness says, he bid for them once or twice. MARTIN KENDRICK, Sworn.

When they were selling fraction No. 247. 10th Baldwin, a Mr. Freeman bid 256 dolls. for it, and witness recollects that it was knocked off to him at that sum, this was on Saturday. On Monday witness saw the entry in the book, and it was, instead of 256, set down 202-witness said that was not what it was bid off at-Echols said he was authorized to give 200 dollars for it—Freeman said he would not take it, and offered Echola 2 dolls. as witness understood, to reduce it to Echels's limitation, that he might take it off Freeman's hands; Echols did not take them.

Cross Examined.

Witness was perfectly in his senses when the frac-

HUGH HALL, Sworn.

Witness came down with others to the fraction land was granted to witness; it sold for 1000 dolls. dellars, and was to come on Friday after for his

grant. After it had run up as ligh as 1500 dolls, or \$ mor or Simms; Simma will not take.

Cross Examinat.

He recollects to have as it or se before the fraction is not positive which but he now exollers, for he Freeman bit.

Turough the Court.

Freeman bid of at 253 dollars, and wasceenewast 202 dollars in the books; that when Echols and denied the fact, 'et library said nothing; witness anys be has never before sworn, or said, and it was 1955 or 355, instead of 256 or 303.

EVIOENCE.

On the part of the Prosecuted. Friday, Voc aber 25, 1808. JEREMIAH III. CWEB, Sworn.

The was present at the fraction sales, when one William Freeman bid off fraction No. 217, in the 10th Bildwin, ct 202 a Mars. Mr. Pounds, one of the bidders, was drubb; he can't say whether Hall and Keadrick were or ret.

Gross Evaninea.

He can't recollect the day of the week, or the day of the month; he is positive it was bid off at 202 dollars, because he recollects remarking how high such a poor fraction went; he had not drank one drop of spirits that day; the bidders for that frac- ! tion, were Pounds and Freeman.

Through he Court.

He rather thinks, the day after the sale of the Fraction, was Sunday; he did not hear this difference of opinion between himself and others, as to what she fraction alluded to was knocked off at, from Mchols; Echols brought the subpara to witness-£ 30.50

MOAH BIAGS, Sworn.

thereabouts, witness took his oversor down, and | He came down one Saturday to buy a fraction. told him not to dear cocking If, as the encas and No. 247, in 10th Millwin, as it adjoined him; as ther proson put there, for the same purpose; this I will so he can accollect, he thinks that William Free. Francia was respond, and witness never just me need man bourghout, and it was knocked off to him at his agreement either. Where is use made in 19 a - 1 202 doll us 50 cents, his remon for thinking so is, men, with Ech is that he was reached an analysis of the Lie Me. Beyon of it directly ofter it was sold, Bir. Comp for Lacticas which as was, or one of why has since told witness that, that was what he them, Colly g t for six contact, and the other or field at a, Bryan; he is save fraction did not exceed 133 dollars; but me re then alone one were bildfor 203 deliars. He did think from Mr. Pounds bidthem by Mr. Colly. The wis nothing by and Mours I dong so high, for so poor a fraction, that he was in .quor.

Cross Evenined.

It was sold on a Saturday, there were other bids No. 147 was sitted hid cit 25, or 31. dellars, be | besides Freematis - Ben la come to witness' house, and reked him if a Mr. Hill had not a fraction in zet it down in his purious book, at a 12 was 256 which I that neighborh and ? Witness said he had-Echole and it he know what he have for it? He answered he believed about to dill rs. Echols then asked if Witness saws Fr and vicand fraction 247, that I witness knew what it sold for at the first sale? With cres oneneced 202 1.2 d llars #

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EVIDENCE

On the part of the State. MEHLIMAN FOUNDS, Sworn.

He says he came down with others to the salega he had no business at them, but he thought he could soon get into business -he had been jerked out of his fruction, at the first fraction cales of all-and he thought he would come down and give the boys a brush for it. When traction No. 247, in 10th Baldwin, was set up, he said he thought he would take a brush for it, aithough it was of no use to him, and indeed he would not give his jack-knife for it; however, he and Ethols hitched to it and brushed it along pretty persty, till witness got a little jubous, and when he had bid up as high as 255 dollars, he tho't he would quit it, when Billy Freeman, right from Savannah, came along, and bid one dollar more, which made 250, and that bid swept it; he says he turned round and said to Freeman, I always thought, Billy Freeman, you were a damned fool, but now I know it; I have always found you upon poor land, and there's where I mean to leave you.

Gross Examined.

He says, Thrower and Biass like to drink mightil witness does not believe Echols bnew he was at the when it is given to them; but as to himself, he is a man that buys his liquer, he got a little lively after The sale was over, but recollects the circumstances Unissioners books were shown witcess) who says he he has alove related; he says Hugh Hall brought I does not shirk either of them the original book of the Supposa to winess; he does not know whethe lentiles.; Witness recommended lands to the comer K-, drick bought fraction: No. 248 and 249, or not. He does not recollect seeing bimms at allbut he believes he saw Echels and Flournoy.

ROBERT JOHNSON, Sworn.

Was a purchaser of fractions in 28th Wilkinson, would recollect commissioners' original book of ertries (a book being shewn)—he does not think that is the book- (eacher being shewn)—does not tank the second one is the book—he saw no improper conduct in the commissioners.

RICHARD FRET WELL, Severn.

Witness came to buy a fraction on the 6th of February, he bought his fraction; the same day some Practions were said in the 19th Baldwin-he dees -not know the numbers—commissioners tun them very high, and witness told them so-Witness re--quested them not to bid against the men who were . bidding for the fractions; for that they were poor men and had settled them—commissioners however got the fractions—and the men who were disappointed rented their settl ments of commissioners, and gave their notes; witness was security to two of the notes which were he thinks made payable to all the commissioners; Simms was not present when they - zented—but Echols and Flournoy were, and they observed as well as witness recollects, they were all interested in what they made.

Gross Examined.

The fractions went very high, and commissioners Sought them fairly; these notes were executed in the evening on Saturday, he saw no other notes of that description, nor was he security to any other, to the commissioners—Echols wrote the notes—Flourpoy was present.

Through the Court.

He can't say whether they meant they were parcularly interested or generally interested.

JOHN H. BRYAN, Sworn.

He attended the fraction sales about 30 days: two or three days after the commencement of sales, a Mr. Alst in came in the room and gave Echols 16 adolls. for his part of the bargain for a fraction which Alston had bought, as witness understood from their conversation; he never saw any other money reseived by commissioners in that way; Mr. Flourmoy bid off two fractions, and a day or two after Mr. Mis bargain, and may be a bottle of wine; 63 of com- I him have the fractions on those terms.

missioners as he did to other persons, he treated all alike; Witness says in the sale of fractions, or the conduct of the commissioners, every thing he saw wes just and fair; unless what he are above testified is to the contrary - never gave the commissioners a cent f mency; he never saw any one execute their note or notes to all or either of commissioners; Simps declared le had nothing to do with the contracts between Echols and Watson; he would grant the lands to any one who would comply with the terms of tale.

Cross Examined.

He says Colorel Thaddeus Holt never offered him ten thousand dollars for his bargains in purchasing fractions; if he had, he is persuaded he should have taken it; in all the fractices that were bought by the commissioners they were sold precisely like the rest; saw no fraud in the sales; he saw no item or signs given-Flournoy frequently gave people information of the fractions by shewing them the maps, and one particularly he remembers he shewed a fraction to a person, from witness's own map, by which he lost it.

Through the Court.

After the sale of some fractions in the 9th Wilkinson, he heard a dispute between Echols and Watson in a settlement that grew out of a bargain between them for fractions; that upon the settlement, Watson fell in Echels's debt little upwards of 200 dollars-Echols expected the money down; but Watson did. not understand the bargain in that way.

Dr. THOMAS WINGFIELD, Sworn.

He attended the sale of fractions the last of Der. cember; Echols asked witness if he wanted to purchase fractions? witness said he did; that he had a square tract in 9th Wilkinson, and that he wanted six fractions adjoining it; Lichols said it was good land; and witness would have to give very high for it; but that if witness would give him (Echols) 2000 dolls, he should get them; Echols said if they did not sell for that sum, it should be his gains; and. if it exceeded that, should be his loss; he heard Echols demand in money down a little upwards of 200 dolls. of Watson as a premium for his ba gain for two fractions which Echols had bought and was to let, Watson have; Watson did not pay the money down. Coffy, witness believes, gave him a suit of clothes for | but offered to give his notes-Echols would not let

Cross Examined.

He saw no improper conduct in the criev, as respected particularly to Echols who was bidding, and that witness is under a bond to indemnify Watson against h's contract with Echols.

THOMAS KENNION. Swern.

Witness happened in the room of commissioners, during the sales, and while there, John H. Bryan came in, with a considerable quantity of money; he was cordially received by commissioners, who appeared to look at each other and (smile; one of them, he believes Flournoy, received the money; and one Lewis who was in the room, and had been trying to borrow a dollar, asked what that meant? Echols replied, I reckon we know, and the money was then placed on the back of the table; he will not be positive, but thinks all the commissioners were in the room, if any were absent it was Simms Saturday, 26th November, 1808.

DARIUS CHA! HAM, (witness on part respondents) Sworn.

Witness attended on Saturday, when a fraction, No. 247, in the 10th district of Baldwin, was sold for 202 50-100, or 203, it was purchased by William Freeman.

Cross Examined.

Recollects to have seen Hall, Kendrick and Pounds there-believes they were sober, except Pounds, whom he thought was a little disguised -knows not of any improper conduct on the part of the commissioners.

GEORGE W. MOORE, (on the part of the state) Sworn.

Witness had no conversation with Simms or Flournay-had a conversation with Echels some time before the sales were completed, wherein Echols observed he was to give Simms and Flourney two thousand dollars each. Witness replied that he would be a loser; to which Echels enswered that he would make eighteen or twenty thousand deliars. Witness purchased three fractions in the sixth district, for the payment of which he has complied with the law-he thinks the commissioners favored some of the purchasers. A fraction was cold and bought by an agent, as he understood, or major! M'Kenzie; Simms was not present--wittens had] a conversation with Echols, whether it would not be better to sell that fraction next day-and it was so agreed but that evening M. Kenzie took it and gave less than five hundred dollars for his bargain, or Impossioners that he wanted to purchase some fractions sold high, and went into the room with

Litions, and he and they understood each other, from his having before told them he wanted to purchase -wirness received some money, or a note therefore from Mr. M'Kenzie for one hundred and twentyfive dollars. Witness did not receive any money, notes or other property, from either of the comraissies ers for not bidding against them. There was no understanding between him and the commassioners that he was not to bid against them.

Gross Examined.

Does not know, of his own knowledge, that anyby bidders was employed by the commissioners, butwas impressed, from hints he received from Echolsand other persons present at the sales, that by-bidders were employed-and that those by-bidderswere not men of responsibility as he understood.

Mond n., 28th November, 1808.

JOHN W. DEVEREUX, Esq. Sworn. While the sales of the fractional surveys was going on, he went to Mr. Harris's, and in bidding. for a fraction which Mr. Flournoy was crying, Flournoy observed to witness to take care how he bid, forperhaps he would put it on him, and afterwards repeated the same words. Flournoy purchased the fraction—and witness bidding for another fraction, Flournoy asked him if he wanted it bad. Witness did not see any improper conduct on the part of Echols or Simms. Witness does not recollect the number of the fraction bought by Flourney, but is was in the 21st district. Does not think that Flournoy's observation had any influence on him with regard to the purchase.

GABRIEL A. GUNN, Sworn.

He attended the sales on the 5th, 6th and 8th of February—Echals bought a fraction No. 94; and Simms bought another fraction. He ad some gentheman (whose name he does not recollect) in treaty for a tract of land with Echols, some dispute arising with respect to the title being in Echols's name, Elchols observed that he could remady that by altering the name, and went into the room where Simms and Flournoy were (as witness supposed) and came to the window with a knife in his hand and began to scrape on a paper. The fraction, as he understood had been purchased same days before. Did not see any secret transactions among the commissioners. Witness wanted to purchase the fraction which Simms had bought; Simms said he would not take Sound for the purchase money. Witness told the com- words to that effect. Witness thought that the fracbotham and Mr. Hussey, in some notes for the rent of the fractions which had been purchased by Echols and Simms as above mentioned.

THOMAS MOUNGER, Sworn.

During the sales of the fractional surveys he heard a conversation between Simms and a Mr. Powell. wherein he understood that Mr. Powell was to pay Simms twenty five dollars. D.d not see any improper conduct on the part of the commissioners at the time of the sales. Witness was only there twice while the sales were progressing.

JACOB LOUGHRIDGE, Sworn.

He understood from a conversation between Echols and Mr. Cornwall, that if Echols was the highest bidder, Cornwall was to give 50 cents per acre more than Echols gave the state. Echols bought two fractions, and witness became Cornwall's security to Echols for about one hundred and eight dollars. Simms and Flournoy were not present at the time the note was given. He believes that one or other of them cried the said fractions purchased by Echols. Witness was not present when the agreement was made, but heard it from Echols and Cornwall.

ELIJAH CORNWALŁ, Sworn.

Witness attended at the sales. Echols entered into an agreement with him, that if he (Echols) bought two fractions in the 13th district of Baldwin, numbers 160 and 161, that witness should pay him 50 cents per acre. He first offered Echols 50 dollars, in order to purchase his friendship, which Echol3 refused, and he afterwards gave his note to Echols for one hundred and nine collars-neither Simms or Flournoy were present at the time of the agreement, or when the note was given. The note was payable to Echols alone, and Loughridge and John Echols were security. Summs and Flourney were present when the grants were filled up. Witness was impressed with an idea that if he did not purchase the friendship of the commissioners, that it would be difficult for him to obtain the fractions which he wanted—believes the fractions were cried by Simms. Cross Examined.

Witness did not see any thing in crying the fractions; and his impression as above stated did not arise from any thing which he saw-did not speak to Simms or Flournov to obtain their friendship.

RICHARD CASTLEBERRY, Sworn.

He wished to purchase a fraction No. 227, in 9th

an intention to become security for Oliver Higgin- bid 1076, and it was knocked off to Mr. Gachett at 1077 -- witness saw nothing improper in the conduct of the commissioners. The fraction was cried by Flournay, who directed the clerk to set down the

Cross Examined.

Does not recollect the price of any other fraction sold on that day, because he had no interest in, or intention of purchasing any other.

JOS 7PH STOVALL, Sworn.

Heard Echols say that he had made eight or ten thousand dollars at the seles of the fractions.

Cross Examined.

Was not at the sales—neither Simms or Flournoy were present when the said declaration was made.

JOB SPRINGER, Sworn.

Echols asked him if he wanted to purchase the fraction on which he (witness) resided? Witness replied yes-and him and Echois entered into an agreement respecting it, viz : That he [witness] should have it for 650 dollars, or that he might live on it for two years rent and tax free, if he [witness] would not bid for the fraction. The number of the fraction is either 163 or 173, in the 11th Baldwin, as he was informed-neither Simms or Flournoy were present at the agreement.

Cross Examined.

Would not have given seven hundred dollars for the fraction.

JOEL LANGHAM, Sworn.

He wanted to purchase the two first fractions in the 11th district of Baldwin, and had a conversa tion with Echols respecting the purchase of themneither Simms or Flournoy were present. For No. 199 Echols wanted him to give seven hundred dollars-he refused to give more than five hundred; whilst it was selling, Echols came to him, and talked with him until the fraction was knocked off to major Abercrombie for a less sum than five hundred dollars. Flournoy and himself being in a room together, Flournoy gave him the plats of the fractions to look at, and left the room, and Echols immediately came in, and the conversation respecting the purchase commenced.

ABNER BANKSTON, Swern.

He entered into a contract with Echols for the purchase of a certain fraction at the mouth of Heard's creek, in the 18th district, now owned by Cargle .-Witness was to have given two thousand dollarswhen the sale of that fraction commenced, (on the Baldwin, and bid 1075 dollars for it: Some person |2d day) Echols told him that they must be off the

barmain, for a great deal of noise had gone abroad. I that he would give three dollars per acre should E-The first time it sold for four thousand and eleven do that; and the second day for ab in eventy-five boadred dollars. He had with the privity of Mr. Echols employed a Mr. Perkins as a shom-bidder to purchase it; the second day it a socied by Simms, and purchased by Flourney. Lad no conversation with Clams or Plannoy respecting it, nor were either of thom present at the conversation between him and Ethols.

Cross Examined.

Perkins came to Mill dg will e with him. Ethols toll witness to get Perkins to bid it off, and witness kent Perkins in ney to pay his expences, and he heard Echols tell Perkins to bid off that fraction at all evenis

Turiday, 29th November, 1808. WILLIAM HAM WELL, Swo n.

At the last cases of the flactions he requisted Mr. Rehals to purchase No. 166 in the .71, district of Boldwin: he replied he would happy to oblige Lim. Oath Gest day of Fibrour, warn the fraction was selling he told Echais to bid as far as five hundred dollars, if he could not get it lewer; Echols purchased it at four hand ed dollars, and Simias was the crier; and witness considered it as being bought for him (he with so) stwo days afterwards he applied to Echols to get the grant, when Echols sold him he could not give it to him because he would not be safe in his oath, to let it go for less than he Mad aut's rized him to give for it. Neither Simms or Flournay were present at the conversation between him and Ech As. Never knew that there was any co-partnership between the commissioners in the purchase of fractions. Echols refused to let him have the fraction; did not see my improper conduction the part of the commissioners, save the ahovementioned chalant of Ar E hois.

Grass Examined.

He wished to have got table and and would have Siven fire hundred dollars for it; but did not wish 30 pay E hols one huadred dollars for his trouble.

& The Solicitor-Goneral produced the books of the commissioners, from which it appeared that the fraction No 103, was bought by Echols and Simms and Figura w.]

Witness understood don't the additional one hundred dollars was not to be for the boundst of the state, That was to be at the disposal of Echilis, and paid to

Col. TOSEPH PHILLIPS, Sworn.

He wished to pu chase two fractions in the 15th

chols purchase them for less. The fractions sold for about 80 or 81 dolls. less than they would have amounted to at three dollars per acre. He paid or allowed Echols that sum in the purchase of a horse, saw Echols afterwards driving the same horse (a grey one) through Greenesborough, and he believes A Mr. Broadnax w sin company with Echols. Never had any conversation with Simms or Flournoy on the subject of the purchase of those fractions, not with Echols in their presence. Saw no impropriety in the conduct of the commissioners. He was induced to apply to Echols to bid for the fractions from an apprehension that if he (witness) bid for them, some persons would run them up.

Gross Examined.

He was not induced to apply to Echols to make the purchase for him, from any collusion or frauce he discovered between the commissioners.

JAMES ALSION, Sworn.

He wanted to purchase a fraction in the 7th district of Wilkinson county, and Echols requested to go his halves, to which he agreed. Witness bid off the fraction and gave Echolo sixteen dollars for his part of the bargain. Heard Echols tell Watson, that he, wetson, owed him two hundred dollars or upwards, for a difference in some Fractions. Mr. Carroll was bidding for the upper fraction in the 9th district of Wilkinson, and Echols was bidding against Carroll; He (witness) told Carroll he had better speak to Echols, or that Echols would run it up upon him, Carr Il and Echols agreed to give or take, and h (witness) saw Carroll pay E nols twenty-five dollars for his part of the bargain. He came to the sales at the time the fractions in the seventh district of Wilkinson were selling, and remained until part of the fractions in the 24th district were sold. Him and a Mr. Bryan, were in the habit of communicating to the commissioners the value of fractions. The reason why he advised Carroll to apply to E hols was, that he thought that Echols was very availed us, and perhaps would raise the price upon him; cloes not recollect to have seen on 1 and Echilsory any of the fractions. Did not see my thing improper in the conduct of Simms of Flournay, but was displeased with the conduct of Echols which he thought was improper.

Cross Examined.

He communicated to some particular friends when they enquired the value of fractions.

FRANCIS POWELL, Sworn.

He agreed with Simms to give him twenty of Section of Radwia, for his father, and told debole I twenty five dola, if he would hid off No. 24, in So

20th district of Bridwin for him. The same evening, or the evening thereafter, Simms and Echols came to his lodgings-And next evening he executed a power of attorney authorizing the commissioners to bid for him, perhaps it may only have empowered Simms, and the other two witnessed it. Next day he (witness) did not think proper to stand to the agreement, and purchased the fraction himfelf. Simms and Echols were prefent when he executed the power of attorney and he believes. Flournoy was also present. Simus as peared -very willing to receive the money agreed upon. Did not fee any thing improper in crying the fractions. Simms did not fay that he would filence bidders. Was induced to apply to the commissioners by the recommendation of Mr. Mounger.

Cross Examined.

Simms never applied to him for the payment of the 20 or 25 dolls, after the fraction was fold. He told Simins he would purchase the fraction himself. It sold for more than he had authorized Simms to bid for it, and he believes the fale was perfectly fair, and he had no favor thewn him in the purchase.

THOMAS LLOYD, Sworn.

Came down with an intention of purchasing No. 193, in the 18th diffrict of Baldwin. Echols told him that he (Echols) could buy it cheaper than any other person, so he said, he did not know the reason but whenever he bid, nobody would bid against him. E hols and him agreed that if he (witness) so und it necessary to get Echols to bid for him, he would give him one hundred dolls. He found it necessary and gave Echols a fign to bid for hin; and he has fince given his note, with fecurity, to Echols for that fum. After he gave the fign, Echols turned to Simms, fign. Neither Simus or Florency were pre- entitled to all the privileges of the premites." fent at the conversation with Echols. Echols delivered the grants to him.

Cross Examined.

He informed Lichols that he wort'd not appear L

Sas a wirness against him, unless he was incorenaed, provided Echols would give him up his note. Has been fet peeraed firee he came to town, bu: besore he lest herre he was teld by reighners, that if he did not come down, they would have him fert for.

GEORGE R. CLAYTON, Sworn.

The two tacks new shewn to him, are the fame which Flourney deposited in the Treating Office, as ten s the books containing the amount of the fales nace by the comp. Morcis of the fractional furveys. He exhibited two accourts, shewing that there was a letarce of 1664 dolls. 50-100 ftill due by the comm Moneis.

Cress Exemined.

He d'ces rot l'rew v ha allowances were made to former comn Morers for their fervices.

> W. dnesaay, November 30th, 1803. CHAILES STEWART, Swan.

On the 6th cay of April 1all, he received a pager fien Obadiah Echels for one hundred and twenty five dols. fighted Geo. W. Moore; which Petics informed him, he had received as a brite. Does rot know any thing against Simms or Fleuri oy.

Cross Examined.

Never had any milunderstanding with Echols fave respecting a small trade. He (witness) was july conted yesterday.

EDMUND B. JENKINS, Swern.

The paper now shown him, and which reads as follows, to wit, "An establishment of a copartne ship between Francis Flourroy, Reddick Simms and Obad ah Echols, in the purchase of four fractions, to wit, No. 12, in the 18th Ealdwin, No. 287, No. 94, and No. 65, in the 19th. Baldwin cost together the sum of two thousand who was then crying the fraction and faid tome- three hundred and sixty eight dollars-their shing which he (wire fs) could not hear. There agreen ort is equally (viz.) equally subject to were several bids for the fraction after he gave the the pa, ment of the purchase morey, and equally

FRANCIS FLOUENOY, (L. s. REDDICK SIMAS, (L. s.) Signed, CEADIAH ECHOLS, (L, sa)

February 8, 1308.

Amet, H. STORRS.

is a connect copy from the original delivered to give five hundred dols, for the fraction which 10 him by Prayais Flournos.

"HEAM STORRS, Sworn.

The face paper was shewn to him. He re-Collects to have withefled a pager figned by Echols, Simms et Bicuming, but did not read it, and cannot by uneither this paper is a copy or not. Never heard any agreement between them,-Mor has he ever efflowered any thing improper in the conducting the fales. Heard Echols flay that he had made mine, by he false, by istrying fractions at public fales and felling them: at privale. In a convertition with Simms on the inviect of feiling the fractions at Hurns's-Simms faid that the come illioners were not tied down to fell at the tate-House, as the refolusion for that purpose had seen soft in the Legillature, or words to that effect.

Cross Examined.

Was present at the time traction No. 247-Foth Baldwin, was fold. It was fold for 202! dollars and faw it fet down at that price, no perfon was permitted to ! id from the commissioners room. Thinks that the fractions fold for more at Harris's than they would have done at the; State House. He authorised Mr. Echols to bid for fraction 247, and to give two hundred dollars for it as he withers had before purchased an ad-! joining trait and without to purchase that one.-He does not recollect the day of the week on which it was fold.

Thursday, December 1, 1808.

The fellowing wit effes were examined on the mart of the respondents.

JOHN HUSSEY, Stourn.

He was prefent when certain fractions, for there, and Pounds appeared to be in spirits. the rent of which notes were given by Higginbotham and Fretwell were fore, and he thought one of them, No. 94, Ild high. The fraction on which he relided fild for one enculand and eighty eight dollars. He didn't see any seerecy observed on the part of the commissioners .-The fraction N . 94, in the 19th district of Baldwir, was fold on Saturday, the fixth of February. Was but a there time in the reon: occupied by the committioners. Him and Stroud had agreed Baldwin was felling, and he believes he heard a

they thought was one hundred dols. over its

OLIVER HIGGINBOTHAM. Sworn

Two notes now shewn him were given for part of the rent of fraction No. 94, and the rent of No. 55, in the 19th diffrict of Baldwin. He was prefent at the fall (f N_0 65, and N_{0a} 94. No. 65, fold for fix hundred and fixty-fix dois.—He thought it worth about four hundred, or four hundred and fluy dols, at the extent, and thought he could have afforded to give as much for No. 65, as any other perfor, as hesefided on it. Did not fee any fecreey on the part of the commissioners. The notes were given on the 6th day of February, The fractions appeared to be fairly cried. Did not fee any notes on the commissioners table, save those two notes.-Was frequently in the commissioners room during the day of the 6th of February. It was understood that the fractions were purchased by the commissioners for their own benefit.

Cross Examined.

Does not know Col. Holt. Has feen a perfon here called Col. Holt, but does not know him perfonally.

BENJAMIN HILL, Sworn.

On the 20th day of February, he was prefent when fraction No. 247 in 10th Baldwin was fold. It fold for a little upwards of two hundred dolls. not exceeding two hundred and ten dolls. and on the 22d, the same fraction was re-fold for firty dollars and fifty cents, and he became the purchafer. William Freeman bid it off on the 20th. Saw Melles, Hall, Kendrick and Pounds.

Cross Examined.

Seen Darius Chatham there, and he appeared to be fober. Saw Jeremiah Thrower there, who appeared to be forer. Did not bid for the fraction on the twentieth. He had no understanding with the commissioneas that he was topurchase the fraction.

SAMUEL WILLIAMS, Sworn.

He was pretent when fraction No. 247 in 19th

Wittle upwards of two hundred dollars bid for it, I Pounds bid for it. Never faw any thing impresand he thinks it was two hundred and eight dollars.

JOHN FREFMAN, Sworn.

He was prefer t when a fraction which he tin-Berstood to be No. 247, in 10th Baldwin was fold, and this ks it fold for two hundred and two dollars. Immediately on its being bid off, he surned round to Flournoy; who had cried it, and enquired what it fold for, Flournoy replied wo hundred and two dollars. It was bid off by person called William Freeman.

Cros Examined.

Echols told him that he had made about seven thousand dolls. by the purchase of stactions, and the way in which he did it was, that in the time of the wet weather when people could not attend he had purchased fractions. Echols said he had | present. given, or intended to give Simms as a present, two or three thousand dollars.

Maj. CHARLES ABERCROMBIE, Sworn. Is acquainted with Hugh Hall, and does not think he ought to be believed upon his oath.--Had not any understanding with Echols, that he (Echols) should prevent any person from bidding for a fraction in the 11th Baldwin, which he (witness) purchased.

Cross Examined.

Hugh Hall and him have been at law, and he formerly instituted a suit against Hall for slander, which is fettled.

Friday, December 2d, 1808. WILLIAM FREEMAN, Sworn.

He bid off fraction 247, in 10th Baldwin, at two hundred and two dollars, as well as he can recollect. A dispute took place on the following Monday, between Hugh Hall and Echols, respecting the price of it--Hall said it had sold for two hundred and fixty-two dolls. Hall appeared afterwards to be convinced that it only fold for two hundred and two dolls, and faid he was wrong—Asked pardon of the commissioners and went off.

Cross Examined.

per in the conduct of the commitmoners, and he believes the fales were perfectly, fair. He thought when he was bidding on Saturday, that it was for fraction 246. Hall and him are now at variance, but were not at that time. Simms was not there.

Col. JOHN M'KINZIE, Sworn.

He got a Mr. Robinson to buy a fraction for He applied to Geo. W. Moore to fecure it for him and offered to give him a note for one hundred and to enty-five dollars if he would prevent its being re-fold-Moore faid he would let him know directly, and went into the commissioners room, and upon his return said, that he would do it. He had no understanding with either of the commissioners. Simms was non

Cross Examined:

The number of the fraction is 240 in 9th Baldwin. When the fraction was knocked of Robinson told Flournoy, that it was for witness. Moore proposed to him that he would fix the thing for him and become his fecurity. Moore carried him into the room where Echols and Flournoy were, and the papers were laying on the table ready, and they executed them, and Moore became his fecurity.

WM. RANDLE, (on the part of the State). Sworn:

He applied to Mr. Echols to bid for a fraction No. 301, in 15th Baldwin, and told him he would give him five hundred dollars for it, let him purchase it as low as he would—Echols bid five hundred dollars for it, and it was knocked off to Simms for five hundred and one dollars. He wanted it, and gave Simms one hundred dollars for his bargain, and gave his note for that fum to Echols and Simms, or Simms and Echols jointly, and has fince paid it to Echols who called on him for payment of it.

WM. SHAW, (on the part of the State) Sworn. He was present at the sales of the fractions in the 17th diffrict of Baldwin, and wiffeed to pur-Don't recollect how many, persons bid for it, I shale the Sev en Island fraction, but did not get to be refold—lie told Ethols he would give as far as two thouland dollars for it. It was knocked off to Ethols for fourteen hundred acress a dollars, for which fame he (whench) pare his bond to the state, and for the balance of two shot sand dollars (fly five hundred and ninety eight) he gave his notes to Echola and Sinms fegarately, payable in four instalments, Ecnels fail the spoil. were to be equally divided between him and Simms cried the fraction. Thinks Flournoy was not present. While he remained at the fales him and James Taylor of Greene county empowered Echols to but five fraccious in the 18th district, and to give as far as twenty five hundred dollars, let him purchase it for what he would, and authorised him to figh bonds for Afterwards him and Taylor gave their notes to Echols for nine huided and nine dollars, being the difference between twenty five hundred dollars, and the amount that was to be paid the state. The fractions have been granted to James Taylor, as he understood from Taylor's letter. The first day that fraction No. 157, was fold, he had authorised E hads to give twenty five hundred dollars, but on the day it was resold he limitted him to two thousand. He never figned the bonds to the state, but authorised Echols to ligh his name to them.

Cross Examined.

Thinks there was time enough given in crying fraction No. 157. Dies not think that Simms was present, when he executed the notes to Echols and Simms. He does not think Simms was prefere at the time Echols faid they were to divide the spoils, but rather thinks he was not

W.D.MARTIN, (on the part of the state) sworn. Heard Echols fay that Dector Williamson had occasioned him to lose three hundred dolls. because one Limbo had told him, that he would give him four hundred dolls, for a certain fraction; and he could have got it for twenty dolls. if the Doctor had not come to the fales, for he had either quieted all the fest of the hidders, or puel hundred and severy-sive courses

itembut the fraction below it viz. No. 157 was them out of the way. Heard Echols Tay to Flournoy, that if he would go out of doors there was a man there with whom he could make a handlome spec, to which Flourney replied he would have nothing to do with the specs, as there was noite enough already. Echols faid he did not regard the noile, or what they faid, let them prove it. After the fales were over he heard Simms fay, that he did not think Echals was as much to blame as what people That the fales being over, he was at liberty to speak, and willing to bear a part of Echols' blame, that he himself had made money, and he did not care who knowed it, but he had made it honestly—He made it out of individua als, and not out of the state.

Cros Examined.

Does not recollect who was present when Simms made the faid declaration at Harris's. He was there during the whole of the fales, and dues not recollect to have feen any improper conduct by the commissioners. They read the terms of fale each day.

Saturday, 3d December, 1808.

NATHAN MELVIN (on the part of the res spondents) sworn.

He wanted a fraction in the 9th diffrict of Baldwin, No 344, and having understood that the commissioners were in the habit of bidding for people, he went into the room and told Echols that if he would bid off the fraction at eight hundred dollars he would give him one hundred dolls. in cash—Echols said the only way he (witness) could get it, was to be the last biddens and refused to take the money and bid for him; During the two days he staid at the sales, he did not see any thing improper in the conduct of the commissioners, although he noticed them particularly.

Cros Examined.

The fraction was bid off the first day in Caleb Touchstone, and re-fold the next day. The first time it fold for fourteen hundred and fixty-feven dollars, and the fecond for foregen NOAH DODDRIDGE (on the part of the respondents) sworn.

He was present when the Rich-hill fraction was fold. It fold for eleven headed and eleven dollars, and was purchased by Mr. Terrili.—Was frequently at the sales and did not see any thing improper in the conduct of the commissioners.

Col. JOSEPH CARTER (on the part of the respondents) sworn.

He was present when the fraction adjoining fraction No. 156 was bid off by Joel Wise—and he thinks Wise, and the security he offered, were incompetent to pay the purchase money. It was re-fold the next day.

Gen. PATRICK JACK, (on the part of the respondents) Sworn.

It was customary for the commissioners of the stormer sales, to permit the name of the purchaser to be changed, when they thought the State would not be defrauded, thereby. The commissioners bid as well as others, but they generally went off the plat-form when they intended to bid, as no bid would be taken from any person on it. An entry on their books was altered after the books were carried to Louisville.—The former commissioners did not return the blotter, but a fair copy of it, after it was compared.

Cros Examined.

The former commissioners or a majority of them, were always present at the sales, and he thinks it could not have been possible that any one of them, could have made a general practice of silencing bidders or speculating without being detected.—They settled up with the Treasurer for the full amount of the sales and the sums received on grants—on examining their cash, there was a deficiency of about one hundred and thirty or one hundred and fifty dollars, which the commissioners made up jointly; Mr. Simms generally had charge of the money. Mr. Simms was some short

time absent at Columbia—the commissioners some times lent out money and took notes for it. The reason why Mr. Simms kept the key of the trunk, where the money was kept, was, because he slept in the room where it was deposited; Simms never refused to let any of the other commissioners have the key when they wanted it.

JAMES BOZEMAN, (on the part of the respondents) Sworn.

He says three accounts now shewn to him are copies of accounts left in the Executive office, by the commissioners (Echols, Simms and Flournoy) about the thirtieth of April last.

Cruss Examined.

The Governor told him that he thought that one item in the commissioners account, particularly that of fifty days, for posting their books was unreasonable:—He attended the sales only two or three times; once he attended with an intention of purchasing.—Since the sales, in a conversation with Simms, Simms enquired if he thought the commissioners would be tried jointly or separately; if they were to be tried separately, he (Simms) had no fears, but if they were tried jointly he believed enough could be proved against Echols to convict the whole of them.

Thursday, 8th December, 1808. THOMAS NAPIER, re-examine.

He never signed his name as security for Mr. Kendrick, nor authorized and person to sign his name as such.

Mr. Dooly read (as evidence) the original affidavit of Hugh Hall—and also that of Martin Kandrick

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Mr. President and Gentlemen of the High Court of Impeachment,

In the evidence which I had the honor to give before you a few days since, there are two errors agreeable to the printed copy, which I pray you will order to be #orrected. In answer to the question: "Have you settled with Echols?"—My answer was:—" The matter has not yet Been finally settled."

The second question was:—" Has Echols sued you for the money said to be due him?"—My answer was:..." He has; but he has said he would discharge the "

tell."

Believing these answers to be perfect. ly within the recollection of the members. of the honorable court, it is confidentially trusted that their humanity and high senseof justice, will cause an order for the correction of those minutes.

I am, Mr. President and Gentlemon, your most obedient, and most respectful: humble servant, WILLIAM WATSON. Milledgeville, 12th December, 1808.

JUINAL

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State of Georgia.

AT an Annual Session of the General Assembly, begun and held at Milledgeville, the seat of Government, in November and December, 1809.

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Randolph, the hon. Joseph Carter. Jefferson, Abner Hammond.

to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

TUESDAY, 7th November, 1809. Mr. Talbot in the Chair.

The Hon. Elijah Owen, a member elect from the county of Baldwin, and presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. the hon. William Brown, from the county of Morgan, attended, produced their credentials, and having taken the oath presentatives, to inform the Senate that required by the Constitution of this they have formed a quorum, have made state, and to support that of the United choice of the hon. Benjamin Whitaker States, administered to them by John their Speaker, and Hines Holt their William Devereaux, esquire, a Justice Clerk, and are ready to proceed to buof the Peace for the county of Baldwin, siness—and he withdrew. took their seats.

The Senate then proceeded to the presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. choice of their President, and on counting out the ballots, it appeared that the who was conducted to the chair.

the votes, it appeared that William Ro-nate to wait on his excellency the gobertson was duly elected.

vernor, and inform him that the Legis-They also proceeded to the choice lature are now convened, and are reaof door-keeper and messenger, and on dy to proceed to business—and he counting out the votes, it appeared that withdrew.

Alexander Greene was duly elected. The Senate took up the message, door-keeper, and Henry Williams mes- and the Resolution was read and agreed senger.

On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved, That a committee be ap-Barnett and Talbot. pointed to prepare and report rules for the government of Senate, and that the Senate be governed by the rules of the pointed on Privileges and Elections, last session, until their report be made and that a copy of the returns of the geand agreed to.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hammond, Moore, and Stewart, be the committee vies (of Burke), Runnells, Foster and

On motion of Mr. Moore,

Resolved, That the Secretary inform the House of Representatives, that The Chairman adjourned Senate 'till|they have formed a quorum, have made choice of the hon. Henry Mitchell their President, and William Rox bertson their Secretary, and are ready to proceed to business.

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President,

I am directed by the House of Re-

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have hon. Henry Mitchell was duly elected, passed a Resolution appointing Messrs. Hutchinson, Adams, and Telfair, a They then proceeded to the choice committee on their part, to join such. of their Secretary, and on counting out committee as may be appointed by Se-

to—and added a committee on their part, consisting of Messrs. Walker,

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

Resolved, That a committee be apneral elections be furnished them.

Ordered, That Messrs. Barnett, Da-Powell be that committee.

pointed to wait on his excellency the governor to lay before this branch of governor, reported, that they had per-the Legislature, his communication formed that duty, and had received for with the documents therein referred answer, that his excellency would lay and he withdrew. his communication before them in a few. The Senate took up the message, and minutes.

A message from the House of Re-lowing, to wit: presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have passed a Resolution appointing Messrs. -Bryan, Jackson, Williams, E. Brown, rangements which were entered into in nance—and he withdrew.

Messrs. Moore, Barnett, Davies, (of the law for the relief of debtors. Burke) Watts (of Washington), Ham- | Acquainted as you are with the opemond and Little, to form a committee ration of this law in the different section Finance.

to the President, from Robert Jackson, benefits to our citizens which it was esqr. which was read and ordered to expected would be derived from it, and In the table.

governor, by Mr. Bozeman, his Secre-continued for a longer period, or suftary.

Mr. President.

Mr. Walker from the committee ap- I am directed by his excellency the

the communication is in the words fol-

Fellow Citizens of the Senate, and of the House of Representatives.

I had flattered myself from the ar-

Montgomery, H. Blair, Houston, April last, by the General Govern-Gresham and Kell a committee on their ment and the Minister of Great Britain, spart to join such committee as may be resident in our country, that at the rappointed by Senate to compose a com-meeting of this legislature, our fellowmittee on the State of the Republic, citizens would have been found in the and a Resolution appointing Messrs free and unrestrained exercise and en-Hutchinson, Daniel, Byne, Fort, Ran-joyment of that trade and commerce, dolph, J.R. Bryan, Telfair, Nelson, and the want of which at this time so ma-Fleming, a committee on their part to terially affects us both in a national and join such as may be appointed by Se-lindividual point of view; but a line of rnate, to compose a committee on Fi-conduct, on the part of the British Miinistry, as perfidious as unexampled, The Senate took up the message, and has blasted every hope for the present the resolutions were read and agreed of a friendly accommodation, of the difto, and added on their part, Messrs. ferences existing between the two go-Lanier, Park, Reed, Henderson, Spald-vernments, and left us, as to our indiing and Walker, to form a committee vidual transactions, in a situation worse on the state of the republic—and than that which urged the propriety of

ons of the state, you can best determine Mr. Parke presented a letter directed whether it has been productive of those whether it will be necessary that it A message from his excellency the should undergo any alterations and beliered altogether to cease at the expiraltion of the time for which it was enact-

This subject ought, and will no tance to the state, that none of them, doubt, occupy your early attention. If should be left affoat.

I am correctly informed, the people The packet No. 1. contains a copy have not, nor can they get money to dis-cf a correspondence which took place charge their debts; and unless such between the Governor of North Caromeasures are adopted as will in somellina and myself, and which I commendegree restore the value of proper-leed in consequence of the resolutions ty, and cause it to pass in the payment passed by this state in 1808, concernof debts, the inconveniencies and suf-ing an adjustment of our dispute relaferings, which our involved citizens tive to boundary. It will be perceived. have heretofore experienced, will be that the state of North Carolina consitrivial when compared with those which ders this affair as finally settled, and must inevitably ensue.

The law which passed at the last tive thereto. session of the Legislature, to appropriate the funds heretofore set apart for that the legislature of the state of North the redemption of the public debt, will Carolina declined any further commurequire your consideration:—It was nication on this subject, that our comconceived by many of our citizens, and missioners should have proceeded in I believe by some of the members of compliance with our resolutions to asthat legislature, that the state papers certain the 35th degree of North latiwere to be received in payment of the tude, and mark the line, without the cobonds given for the fractions in the operation of commissioners on the part first, as well as the last, acquired ter-off that state, and I accordingly requestritory; but on an examination of the ed them by letter to attend at this place & law it was found that the bonds for the appoint an artist to accompany them for last description of fractions were only that purpose; but they failed to attend as appropriated; I think it but equitable I requested, and no answer to my letter that the purchasers of the fractions of was received from either of them exboth descriptions should be placed on cept Major Long, who informed me, that an equal footing, and must therefore he was deterred from entering on the recommend to you the passage of such service required of him, on account of a law, as will appropriate at least, the the bad state of his health. amount of the bonds that were given At the request of the governor of for those first sold, and remain unpaid, Pennsylvania, I transmit for your conto the same purposes as the bonds men-sideration in packet No. 2, Resolutions tioned, in the law above alluded to. I passed by the Legislature of that state, am the more induced to this recommen-in which are set forth the reasons for dation, from the circumstance of the a-their opposition to the decrees of the mount already appropriated, not being Federal Court in Olmstead's case, and more than half enough to redeem the by which it is proposed to amend the state papers now in circulation, and be-Constitution of the United States, so

refuses to take any further steps rela-

heving it would be of primary importinat an impartial tribunal may be estag

gislature at its last session.

hem....I must therefore suggest the pro-guard, to discharge six of the men empriety of your passing such a law as ployed by him at that place. ct of Congress.

Conformably to the powers vested the aggregate to the sum of dellars.

lished to determine disputes betweenlin me by the law passed at the last sess he General and state Governments. In sion of the Legislature, for the establish. his packet you will find also a Resolu-ment and support of military schools, ion of the legislature of Massachusetts, and to point out the mode of distribubecommending that the Federal Constitu-ling the public arms, &c. upon the apion be so amended, that no law shall be plication of Major Generals Clarke and macted for laying an Embargo, or pro-Jack, I caused to be delivered to them nibiting or suspending commerce for a from the Arsenal in Louisville, their longer period than until the expiration respective proportions of the 4000 musof thirty days from the commencement kets and cartouch boxes which were of the session of Congress next succeed-|received from the General Government. ing the one at which such law shall have For the deposit of those for General passed.—And also resolutions of the Clarke's division, I fixed on Phillips's Legislatures of Maryland and Massa-mills on the Appalachee in the county chusetts, rejecting the alteration propo-of Morgan, and of those for General sed by the state of Virginia, to the Con-Jack's division at Elberton....those plastitution of the United States, by which ces being recommended to me as the it was intended to render the Senators most central in each division, & where in Congress removeable from office by the best security for their safe keeping the Legislatures of the states appoint-can be had....The state having been at ing them—The resolutions of Virginia considerable expense to obtain those on this subject were laid before the Le-larms, and it being of the utmost importance that they should be kept in good By an act of Congress, passed the 2d|order, and at all times fit for use, permit of March 1807, to prohibit the importa-me to recommend to you the amendtion of slaves into any port or place with-ment of the above mentioned act, so far in the jurisdiction of the United States, as to point out particularly the duty of it is provided that negroes or persons the persons who will have charge of of color imported or brought within the them, and to allow them such compen-United States in violation of this law, sation for their services, as will be a shall remain subject to any regulations, sufficient reward for the strict attention not contravening the provisions thereof, to the regulations prescribed for them... which the Legislatures of the several The quantity of arms in the Arsenal at states may make for disposing of such Louisville being in consequence of this negroes or persons of color, who are to distribution, reduced to less than one be delivered to such persons as the res-half of their original number, I directed pective states may appoint to receive Lieutenant Bostwick, the officer of the

will embrace the intentions of, & aid in The document No. 3 is a statement arrying into effect, the above mentioned of warrants drawn on the Treasurer durling the political year 1809, amounting in drafts on the Treasurer have been thus bear interest from their date... From their large, I am informed by that officer, that immense value, I feel confident that the the amount of money in the Treasury at interest on the amount for which they this time, is considerably more than it would no doubt sell, will enhance the has been at the commencement of any revenue of the state more in one year. session of the Legislature for many than the nett amount of six years rent years past.... I must however recommend of that part which is now fit for cultivaa revision of the tax law to your consilition. deration....The officers entrusted with its execution have difficulties to encoun-quire Legislative interference, none are ter on account of its ambiguity in some of such magnitude and importance as parts.... I feel pursuaded that when in those which have for their end the gecomes to be so amended, that each one neral welfare... While the nations of concerned in carrying it into effect, can Europe are struggling for the balance clearly comprehend it, the taxes will be of power.... their subjects driven from collected with great facility, and that no their peaceful pursuits to scenes of hordifficulty will occur in getting them outlror and devastation....while articles of of the hands of the collectors, an evil foreign manufacture in consequence of which I am happy to say, has within their commotions, continue to rise in vathe last two or three years, very much lue and demand in proportion to the diminished.

during the recess of the Legislature, rage and cherish every institution for the which under the 9th section of the 2d promotion of agriculture and domestic article of the Constitution, remain to be manufactures?....Already a spirit of paapproved or disapproved by the Legis-triotism and enterprise has manifested lature, are submitted for your consider-litself generally, and our citizens foreation in the document No. 4.

last Legislature, I caused the fractions manufacture are shaking off those fashin the 7th district of Baldwin, on the ionable fetters which held them in a Ocmulgee river, which were fit for cul-state of servile dependence upon other tivation, to be leased out till the first of nations, and making every exertion to January next; the amount for which clothe themselves in fabricks of their they rented, (371:50) when the ex-lown....will you not second their efforts, pences of renting come to be deducted, and by rendering all the aid in your powand the trouble of collecting it taken into er, give a spur to their laudable purview, cannot be considered of sufficient suits? By the accomplishment of an obconsequence to warrant their being ject so desirable, the demand for foreign again disposed of in a similar way....l|importations of merchandize will be leswould therefore suggest to you the pro-sened, and the sphere of domestic tranpriety of selling them on a credit, requir-quility greatly enlarged.

71,134:81 3-4; notwithstanding theling the bonds to be given for them, to

Among the various objects which regreat scarcity among us, of circulating The executive appointments, made|specie; does it not behave us to encouseeing the evils which must result from In compliance with a resolution of the too great a reliance on articles of foreign

that to which I have just called you at-subjects which to me appear proper to be tention, is the facility of communication communicated, it only remains for me to between different parts of the state supplicate the blessings of that Almigh-Our navigable water courses are much ty Being who controuls the affairs of naneglected, and the numerous obstructi-tions, beseeching that he would be pleaons to water carriage oppose almost in-sed to crown with success, every exerticourse... As on the one hand nothing can sure of the government may be marked rests of a country with a population and that our fellow citizens may realize or give more permanency to local insti-laws, faithfully administered. tutions than a well regulated internal police, so on the other, nothing can tend State-House, Milledgeville, more to enhance the intrinsic value of Monday, 6th Nov. 1809. landed property, than navigable water courses—In these, our country abounds Whereupon the communication toges in sufficient number to answer all the ther with the accompanying documents purposes of trade, were adequate encou-were read—and made in this regard, is a subject well wor-ble. thy your enquiry and deliberation.

ville was originally surveyed, and set Harrald, be confirmed. apart for this purpose—As yet no pro- On motion of Mr. Hardie, vision has been made for such an establishment—I therefore recommend it to be appointed. your serious consideration, to devise Ordered, That Messrs. Hardie, Harsuch measures as you may think best din, and Hurt, be that committee. calculated for carrying into effect so lau- On motion of Mr. Jackson, the genius of our government, and the resigned. present state of society.

An object of no less importance than! Having thus brought before you the surmountable barriers to a free inter-on for the public good; that every meamore strongly cement the jaring inte-with wisdom, justice, and moderation, thinly dispersed, and widely extended, the salutary advantages of wholesome

JARED IRWIN.

ragement given for deepening the chan- Ordered, That document No. 1 and nels in some, and removing in others 2 be referred to the committee on the the impediments to a free & open com-state of the republic—Document No. 3 munication with the sea coast; what fur-be referred to the committee on Finance ther provisions are necessary to be—and document No. 4 do lie on the ta-

On motion of Mr. Powell,

Another object to which I would par- Resolved, That the Executive apticularly direct your attention, is the es-pointment of James Fort, esquire, as a tablisment of a Penitentiary—A square Justice of the Inferior court for the counof sixteen acres of ground in Milledge-ty of Wayne, in the place of William.

Resolved that a committee on Petitions

dable a design—In making provision Resolved, That John Lawson be, and for such an establishment, you will not be is hereby appointed a Justice of the lose sight of the necessity of a revisi-Inferior court for the county of Wilon of our Penal Code, so as to adopt it to kinson, in the room of Samuel Beckom,

On motion of Mr. Park,

appointed a Justice of the Inferior court Robins Andrews and Hugh M'Donald for the county of Kandolph, in the place of Elbert county, which being read, were of Joseph Carter, esquire, resigned.

On motion of Mr. Reed,

pointment of Reuben Dejarnert as a Jus-pointment of a committee to prepare and tice of the Inferior court for the county report a bill, to appoint commissioners of Putnam, in the place of Brice Gaith-for the purpose of running the dividing er, resigned, be confirmed.

The Senate adjourned until to-mor-Camden. row morning 10 o'clock.

Stephen Gibson and James Fort, which Richmond.

being read, was referred to the commit- Mr. Jackson notifies the Senate, that tee on Finance.

petition from sundry inhabitants of Wal-report a bill, to amend an act, pointing ton county, which being read, was refer-out the duty of Sheriffs in selling lands

Elections. Mr. Hammond from the committee appointed to report rules for the govern-vene in the Representative Chamber on ment of Senate,

Reported, That they recommend the pose of electing a Governor. adoption of the rules of the last session.

was read and agreed to.

sundry inhabitants of Wilkinson county, la Penitentiary, and that so much of which being read, was referred to the said communication as relates to the im-

that he would on to-morrow, move for the state of the republic. the appointment of a committee, to join The Senate adjourned 'till 10 o'clock such as may be appointed by the House to-morrow morning. of Representatives, to prepare and report a bill to alter and amend the 15th section of the 4th article of the Constitu-THURSDAY, 9th November, 1809. tion.

Resolved, That Isaac M'Clendon be! Mr. Barnett presented petitions from referred to the committee on Petitions.

Mr. Powell notifies the Senate, that Resolved, That the Executive ap-he will on to-morrow move for the aplline between the counties of Wayne and

Mr. Walker notifies the Senate, that he will to-morrow move for leave to bring in a bill, to authorize the Judge of the WEDNESDAY, 8th November, 1809. Superior court of the Middle Circuit to Mr. Powell presented a petition from hold an extra session in the county of

he will on to-morrow move for a com-Mr. Davis (of Walton) presented a mittee to be appointed to prepare and red to the committee on Privileges and under execution, passed 22d Dec. 1808.

On motion of Mr. Owens,

Resolved, That the Senate do con-Thursday next at 12 o'clock, for the pur-

On motion of Mr. Walker,

The Senate took up the report, which Resolved, That so much of the communication of His Excellency the Go-Mr. Barnett presented a petition from vernor as relates to the establishment of committee on Privileges and Elections. provement of our navigable water Mr. Hammond notified the Senate, courses, be referred to the committee on

Mr. Powell agreeably to notice mov-

for the appointment of a committee and amend the 15th section of the 4th prepare and report a bill, to appoint article of the Constitution.

25 of Wayne and Camden.

ie and Hardin, be that committee.

orta bill to make permanent the seat of Constitution of this state. public buildings for the county of Wilinson, at Irwinton.

part, as follows, to wit:

Upon due examination of the papers kdocuments referred to them, tending to gan, and Brown, be that committee. said member of his seat.

They have also examined the differ-ceived and read the 1st time.

The Senate took up the report, which tee on Privileges and Elections.

was read and agreed to.

merly Mary Hudson, a negro woman gi-ferior courts in this state. tereafter acquire by Deed, Will or other-of the Oconee and Ocmulgee rivers. Nise.

to prepare and report a bill, to alterical committee.

mmissioners for the purpose of run- Ordered, That Messrs. Hammond, ng the dividing line between the coun-Spalding, Pray, Scruggs, Walker, Owlens, and Carter, be that committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Powell, Har- Mr. Foster notifies the Senate, that the will on to-morrow move for the ap-Mr. Jackson notifies the Senate, that pointment of a committee to prepare e will to-morrow move for the appoint-and report a bill, to alter the fourth and ent of a committee to prepare and re-lifth sections of the third article of the

Mr. Jackson agreeably to notice, moved for the appointment of a commit-Mr. Barnett from the committee onliee to prepare and report a bill, pointing Privileges and Elections, Reported in out the duty of sheriffs in selling lands under execution.

Ordered, That Messrs. Jackson, Ho-

ritiate the seat of the sitting member of Mr. Walker agreeably to notice, inhe county of Wilkinson, your commit-troduced a bill to authorize the Judge xe are of opinion, that nothing is con-of the Superior courts for the Middle tained therein sufficient to deprive the Circuit to hold an extra session in the county of Richmond—which was re-

ent returns laid before them, (except the Mr. Barnett presented a petition from county of Walton), and find that they Ebenezer Fain of Walton county, which contain the requisites required by law. being read, was referred to the commit-

Mr. Barnett notifies the Senate, that Mr. Scruggs notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for the aphe will to-morrow move for the appoint-pointment of a committee to prepare and ment of a committee to prepare & report report a bill, to repeal an act, allowing abill, to secure to Mary Wommock, for-compensation to the Justices of the In-

ren to her by deed from her grand fa- Mr. Jackson notifies the Senate, that ther, Robert Hudson, and to secure to he will on to-morrow move for the apthe said Mary Wommock formerly Mary pointment of a committee to prepare and Hudson, any property which she may report a bill, to improve the navigation

Mr. Parke presented a petition from Mr. Hammond agreeably to notice, sundry inhabitants of Hancock county, goved for the appointment of a commit-which being read, was referred to a spe-

Ordered, That Messrs. Parke, Fos-they are now in readiness to receive the ter, and Rimson, be that committee, and in the Representative Chamber, for thet they report by bill or otherwise.

sentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have presentative Chamber, and being seated concurred in the following resolutions, both branches of the General Assembl

A Resolution confirming the Execu-of Governor, and on counting out the tive appointment of James Fort, esquire, votes, it appeared that Major Genera as a Justice of the Inferior court of David B. Mitchell, of the Eastern Di Wayne county, in the place of William vision, was duly elected Governor of thi Harrald.

A Resolution appointing Isaac M'-Clendon a Justice of the Inferior court Chamber, and took their seats. of Randolph county, in the place of Joseph Carter, esq. resigned.

A Resolution confirming the Executive appointment of Reuben Dejarnett, as a justice of the Inferior court for the passed a Resolution, appointing Messrs: county of Putnam, in the place of Brice Bryan, Jackson, Adams, Daniel, and Bat Gaither, resigned—and,

42 o'clock, to proceed to the election of wait on the governor elect, and notify a Governor, pursuant to the constitution him of his election—and he withdrew -and he withdrew.

sundry inhabitants of the county of Li-a committee on their part, consisting of berty, which being read, was referred to Messrs. Moore, Stewart, and Spalding a special committee.

Ordered, that Messrs. Stewart, Spald-to-morrow morning. ing, and Spivy, be that committee, and that they do report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Walker presented a petition from Needham Bryant and Posiah Drew, which was read, and referred to the com-presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. mittee on Petitions.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

presentatives to inform the Senate, that Camden.

purpose of electing a governor pursuat A message from the House of Repre-to a concurred resolution—and he with drew.

> The Senate then repaired to the Re proceeded by joint ballot to the choic

The Senate then returned to their

A message from the House of Re presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have con, a committee on their part, to joir A Resolution appointing this day at such as may be appointed by Senate, to

The Senate took up the message, and Mr. Stewart presented a petition from concurred in the resolution, and added

The Senate adjourned 'till 10 o'clock

FRIDAY, 10th November, 1809. A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing Stepher W. Moore, Charles Homer, and Danie I am directed by the House of Re-Miller, Notaries Public for the county of

A Resolution confirming the Executive the resolution being read, was concurred junty.

A Resolution appointing David Ca-Bullock county.

a Justice of the Inferior court of Burkelton), to report by bill or otherwise.

Elbert county—and,

A resolution instructing the commitguration of the governor elect—and he committee. withdrew.

lie on the table.

elect from the county of Chatham, at-Messrs. Hardee, Powell, and Pray. sended, produced his credentials, and his seat.

The Senate took up the message from as is not appropriated. the House of Representatives, and the were severally read and concurred in.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, appointing a com-ter, and Hammond, be that committee. mittee on their part, to join such as may and report thereon—and he withdrew. the committee on Finance.

bointment of Sampson Duggar, as alin, & appointed a committee on their part, stice of the Inferior court of Hancock consisting of Messrs. Lanier, Watts (of Telfair), Hogan, and Jackson.

Mr. Hogan presented a petition from aiday a Justice of the Inferior court of a number of the inhabitants of Pulaski county, which was read and referred to A Resolution confirming the Execu-a special committee, consisting of Messrs. tive appointment of John B. Wilkinson, Hogan, Spivy, and Watts (of Washing-

Mr. Foster agreeably to notice, mov-A Resolution confirming the Execu-ed for the appointment of a committee to tive appointment of William Barnett, prepare and report a bill to alter the 4th esquire, a Justice of the Inferior court of and 5th sections of the 3d article of the Constitution.

Ordered, That Messrs. Foster, Danee to make arrangements for the inau-|vis (of Chatham), and Parke, be that

Mr. Hardee presented two petitions ordered, That the said message do from sundry inhabitants of Camden county, which were read, and referred The hon. William Davis, a member to a special committee, consisting of

Mr. Jackson notified the Senate, that the usual oath to support the constituti-he would on Monday next, move for a on of this state, and that of the United committee to prepare and report a bill. States, being administered to him, took to dispose of such land in the 7th district of Baldwin county, now Wilkinson,

Mr. Jackson agreeably to notice, moveveral resolutions therein contained ed for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to be entitled A message from the House of Re-an act, to make permanent the seat of the public buildings in the county of Wilkinson, at Irwinton.

Ordered, That Messrs. Jackson, Car-

Mr. Runnells laid before the Presibe appointed on the part of Senate, to dent, a letter from the Treasurer, actake under their consideration sundry companied by an abstract of the Treapetitions from the county of Wilkinson, sury, which was read, and referred to

The Senate took up the message, and Mr. Moore from the committee ap-

and inform mm of his election, Report-passed the 11th February, 1799, and at ed. That they had waited on his excel-jact, for the appointment of county off lency, and he informed the committee cers—passed the 16th day of February that he would be prepared to take the 1799. oath of office as prescribed by the Con- Mr. Lanier notifies the Senate, that stitution, at twelve o'clock this day. he will on to-morrow move for the ap-

ed for the appointment of a committee to to limit the jurisdiction of the City of Sa prepare and report a bill, to be entitled vannah, so far as relates to the regular an act, to improve the navigation of the tions of the markets. rivers Oconee and Ocmulgee.

nells, and Barnett, be that committee.

thorize the Judge of the Superior courts ary Law, and to establish an uniform of the Middle Circuit to hold an extra practice in the proceedings of the Susession in the county of Richmond, was perior and Inferior courts. taken up the second time, and read.

Ordered for third reading.

pointed, reported a bill, to appoint com-Mary Wommock formerly Mary Hudmissioners to run and ascertain the di-son, a negro woman given to her by deed viding line between the counties of from her grand-father Robert Hudson, Wayne and Camden, which was receiv-and to secure to her any property which ed and read the 1st time.

Mr. Handerson notifies the Senate, or otherwise. that he will on to-morrow move for the Ordered, That Messrs. Scruggs, Laappointment of a committee to report a nier, and Davis (of Walton), be that bill, to amend the 31st section of the Ju-committee. diciary System of this state.

that he will on to-moroow move for the appointment of a committee to report a bill, to provide for taking the Census of that the House of Representatives are this state, as required by the Constitu-now in readiness to receive them in the

he will on Monday next, move for the and he withdrew. appointment of a committee to report a The Senate then repaired to the Rebill, to amend an act, supplementary to presentative Chamber, and being seatan act, to regulate the General Elections of, the Governor elect was introduced by

pointed to wait on the Governor elect, the meeting of the General Assembly-

Mr. Jackson agreeably to notice, mov-pointment of a committee to report a bill

Mr. Parke notifies the Senate, that he Ordered, That Messrs. Jackson, Run-will after to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and The bill to be entitled an act, to au-preport a bill, supplemental to the Judici.

Mr. Scruggs agreeably to notice mov. ed for the appointment of a committee Mr. Powell from the committee ap-to prepare and report a bill, to secure to she may hereafter acquire by Deed, Will,

A message from the House of Res Mr. Hammond notifies the Senate, presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

I am directed to inform the Senate Representative Chamber, for the pur-Mr. Foster notifies the Senate, that pose of inaugurating the governor elect

in this state, and to appoint the time of he joint committee, accompanied by the

by the President—His Excellency, at-state. tended by the joint committee, and State and Judicial officers, having retired, the Privileges and Elections, further Senate withdrew to their Chamber, and being seated,

morning.

Sylvanus Church, and other inhabitants nezer Fain, the contending member eof Camden county, which being read, lect, is also not duly elected, and therewas referred to a special committee con |fore ought not to take his seat. sisting of Messrs. Hardee, Williams, Runnells, Walker and Davis (of Chatham) to report by bill or otherwise.

Elizabeth Jones, which being read, was ed to read as follows: referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Foster, Barnett and Tal-member elect for the county of Walton bot, to report by bill or otherwise.

Senate, that he will on Monday next to. move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to alter report do lie on the table. of Savannah.

ed a petition from a number of the inha-Messrs. Runnells, Henderson and Rimbitants of Washington county, which be-son, to report by bill or otherwise. ing read, was referred to a joint commit-

Hammond be the committee on the partled and read the first time. of Senate.

he will on Monday next move for the ap-tee to report a bill to alter and amend

State and Judicial officers, and the oath|pointment of a committee to prepare and of office as prescribed by the Constitu-report a bill to alter the time of the meettion of this state was administered to himling of the General Assembly of this

Mr. Barnett from the committee on

Reports, that they have duly considered the documents referred to them in Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow|the contested election of Walton county, and apon examination of the constitution and Election law, are of opinion, that John Davis, the sitting member, was not SATURDAY, November 11th, 1809. duly elected, and therefore ought not to Mr. Hardee presented a petition from have a seat in this house—and that Ebe-

The Senate took up the report, and On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved, that the said report be divi-Mr. Foster presented a petition from ded, and that the latter part be amend-

"That Ebenezer Fain the contending is not duly elected, and therefore ought Mr. Davis (of Chatham) notifies the not to take his seat"—which was agreed

Ordered, that the remainder of said

the time for holding the annual election Mr. Runnells presented a petition for Aldermen and Officers for the City|from William Goodlett of Greenville, S. Carolina, which being read, was referred Mr. Watts (of Washington) present-to a special committee, consisting of

Mr. Hogan from the committee appointed, reported a bill to make perma-Ordered, that Mesrs. Watts (of Wash-nent the seat of the public buildings in ington) Walker, Stewart, Moore and the county of Pulaski, which was receiv-

Mr. Henderson, agreeably to notice, Mr. Walker notifies the Senate, that moved for the appointment of a committhe S1st section of the Judiciary sys- On motion of Mr. Stewart, æm.

Spalding & Davis (of Chatham) be that soner for the Liberty county Academy, committee.

Mr. Runnells presented a petition from ed, be confirmed. which being read, was referred to the ed for the appointment of a committee to and Ocmulgee rivers.

Mr. Jackson from the committee ap-tion of markets. pointed, reported a bill to amend an act pointing out the duty of Sheriffs in sell-art, and Parke, be that committee. ing lands under execution; which was Mr. Hammond agreeably to notice received and read the 1st time.

ham),

Resolved, that Joseph Miller, John N. as required by the Constitution. Brailsford and George Schly, be, and Ordered, That Messrs. Hammond, they are hereby appointed Notaries Pub-Lanier, and Reed be that committee. lic for the county of Chatham.

rise the Judge of the Superior Courts of pointment of a committee to prepare and the middle Circuit, to hold an extra ses-report a bill, to amend an act, the more sion in the county of Richmond, was effectually securing the Probate of Wills, read the 3d time, and passed under the limiting the time for executors to qualiloregoing title.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

he is hereby appointed a member of the to report abill, to alter the time for holdboard of the Trustees of the Richmonding the Superior courts.

Academy, in in the place of Dennis Mr. Watts (of Telfair) notifies the Smelt, resigned.

Resolved, that Samuel Sturges be, and to report a bill, to authorize Shared M'the is hereby appointed a Notary Public Call to erect a toll bridge across the rifor the county of Burke.

On motion of Mr. Foster,

pointed on enrolled bills.

part of Senate.

Resolved, that the Executive appoint. Ordered, that Messrs. Henderson, ment of James Holmes, esq. Commisin the place of Peter Winn, esq. resign-

a number of the inhabitants of Clarke, Mr. Lanier agreeably to notice movcommittee appoited to report a bill for prepare and report a bill to limit the juthe opening the navigation of the Oconee risdiction of the Aldermen of the City of Savannah, so far as relates to the regula-

Ordered, that Messrs. Lanier, Stew-

moved for the appointment of a commit-On motion of Mr. Davis, (of Chat-|tee to prepare and report a bill to provide for taking the Census of this state

Mr. Pray notifies the Senate, that he The bill to be entitled an act to autho-will on Monday next, move for the apfy, and widows to make their election.

Mr. Barnett notifies the Senate, that Resolved, that John Forsyth be, and he will on Monday next move for leave

Senate, that he will on Monday next, On motion of Mr. Davis (of Burke), move for the appointment of a committee ver Great Ogechee.

Mr. Hogan notifies the Senate, that Resolved, that a committee be ap-he will on Monday next. move for the appointment of a committee to prepare Ordered, that Messrs. Foster, Jack-and report a bill, to authorize the Inferison and Scruggs be a committee on the or court of Pulaski county to draw grand and peta jurors for April term, 1810.

On motion of Mr. Jackson.

pointed to contract for printing the Laws and Journals of the present session.

mittee on the part of Senate.

Savannah, so far as relates to the reguliceived and read the 1st time. lation of markets.

time.

Mr. Hogan from the committee ap-on Petitions. pointed, reported a bill, to be entitled an time.

Mr. Powell introduced a resolution port of Savannah, Secretary of State, ed and read the 1st time. Surveyor and Comptroller Generals,

Monday morning.

MONDAY, 13th November, 1809.

a ferry at his own landing on Savannah and Owens. Ever, and to receive toll for the same. referred to a special committee, consist-prepare and report a bill, to authorize

ing of Messrs. Jackson, Walker, and Resolved, That a committee be ap-Barnett, to report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Scruggs from the committee appointed, reported a bill, to secure to Ordered, That Messrs. Jackson, Tal-Mary Wommock, formerly Mary Hudbot, Hammond, and Carter, be the com-son, a negro woman deeded to her by her grandfather Robert Hudson, and to Mr. Lanier from the committee ap-secure to the said Mary any property pointed, reported a bill, to limit the juris-which she may hereafter acquire by diction of the Aldermen of the City of Deed, Will, or otherwise, which was re-

Mr. Watts (of Washington) presented Which was received and read the first a petition from John Barnes, which beling read, was referred to the committee

Mr. Davis (of Chatham) presented & act, to make permanent the seat of the petition from Aseal Farmer, which being public buildings for the county of Pulaski, read, was referred to a special commitwhich was received and read the first tee, consisting of Messrs. Davis [of Chatham, Brown, and Little.

Mr. Hammond from the committee relative to the election of a Solicitor Ge-appointed, reported a bill, to provide for peral for the Eastern District, Health taking the census in this state, as requir-Officer and Harbour Master for the ed by the Constitution, which was receiv-

Mr. Barnett agreeably to notice, introwhich was read, and ordered to lie on the duced a bill, to alter the time for holdling the Superior courts in this state, The Senate adjourned 'till 10 o'clock which was received and read the first time.

> Mr. Owens presented a petition from Peter Menard, which being read, was referred to the committee on Petitions.

Mr. Scruggs notifies the Senate, that Mr. Spalding presented a petition the will on to-morrow move for the ap-from sundry inhabitants of the county pointment of a committee to prepare of Putnam, which being read was referand report a bill to authorize Benjamin|red to a special committee, consisting of Kennedy of Effingham county, to keep Messrs. Spalding, Reed, Carter, Brown,

Mr. Watts (of Telfair) notifies the Mr. Jackson presented a petition from Senate, that he will on to-morrow, move Drury Williams, which being read, was for the appointment of a committee to the Justices of the Inferior court, together Mr. Hogan agreeably to notice, met. with the clerk and sheriff, to draw grandled for the appointment of a committee an petit jurors for the county of Telfair, to prepare and report a bill, authorizing for May term next.

from sundry inhabitants of Jefferson rors for April term 1810. county, which being read, was referred Ordered, That Messrs. Hogan, Fost to a special committee, consisting of ter, and Watts (of Telfair), be that com-Messrs. Hammond, Pray, and Davis (of mittee. Burke), to report by bill or otherwise.

On motion of Nav. Runnells,

appointed to contract for building a suit-for the appropriation of the monies aris able dwelling house, and other necessa-sing from the fifteen twenty acre loss ry out houses for the accommodation of leased for seven years in the town tract the Governor of this state.

Ordered, That Messrs. Runnells, Talbot, and Moore, be the committee on tions, reports, to wit: the part of Senate.

ported a bill, to make permanent the prayer of the petitioner is just, & ought seat of the public buildings in the coun-to be granted. ty of Wilkinson at Irwinton, which was On the petition of Robins Andrews. received and read the 1st time.

pointed, reported a bill, to add a part of prayer of the petitioner is just, and re-Liberty county to the county of Tattnall, commend that he be confirmed in the which was received and read the first original lines of said lot No. 145, in the time.

Mr. Barnett agreeably to notice, mov-expressed in said petition. ed for the appointment of a committee Ordered, That the said report do lie to prepare and report a bill, to repeal an on the table. act, allowing compensation to the Justices of the Inferior courts.

vis (of Chatham), and Hammond, belof the meeting of the General Assemthat committee.

he would on to-morrow move for the ap-ling, and Barnett, be that committee. pointment of a committee to prepare and Mr. Foster agreeably to notice, moved report a bill, appointing fit and proper for the appointment of a committee to persons to arrange and digest the laws prepare and report a bill, to amend an of this state, passed since the political act, supplementary to an act, to reguyear 1800.

the Justices of the Inferior court of Pu-Mr. Hammond presented a petition laski county to draw grand and petit ju:

Mr. Owens notifies, that he will on to. Imorrow move for the apointment of a Resolved, That a joint committee belcommittee to prepare and report a billior commons of Milledgeville.

Mr. Hurt from the committee on pe-

On the petition of Hugh M'Donald. Mr. Jackson from the committee, re-your committee are of opinion, that the

your committee have taken his case into Mr. Stewart from the committee ap-|consideration, and are of opinion that the 7th district, formerly Baldwin county, as

Mr. Walker agreeably to notice, movled for the appointment of a committee to Ordered, That Messrs. Barnett, Da-Iprepare and report a bill, to alter the time bly of this state.

Mr. Barnett notified the Senate, that Ordered, that Messrs. Walker, Spald.

appointment of county officers, passed of Wilkinson, to the county of Baldwin. the 16th February, 1799.

inells, and Hurt, be that committee.

mend an act, to regulate and keep in re-process from any court of this state. Richmond.

Mr. Parke, agreeably to notice, mov-and read the 1st time. the Superior and Inferior courts.

ing and Walker, be that committee.

make their election.

mittee.

that he will on to-morrow move for the sustained by reason of the said warrant, appointment of a committee to prepare formerly issued as aforesaid." and report a bill, to amend an act, to sell and dispose of the fractional parts of sur-report do lie on the table. veys of land in the counties of Baldwir and Wilkinson.

nte the General Elections in this state. Mr. Hogan notifies the Senate, that and to appoint the time of the meeting he will on to-morrow move for the apof the General Assembly, passed the pointment of a committee to prepare and 11th February 1799, and an act, for the report a bill, to add a part of the county

Mr. Davis (of Chatha ...) notifies the Ordered, That Messrs. Foster, Run-Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for the oppointment of a committee to Mr. Davies (of Burke) notifies the prepare and report a bill, to alter and a Senate, that he will on to-morrow move mend an act, to authorise the Justices for the appointment of a committee tolof the Inferior courts of this state, to disprepare and report a bill, to alter and a charge insolvent debtors, confined by

pair the public roads and bridges in the Mr. Davis (of Chatham) from the counties of Burke, Jefferson, Richmond, committee appointed, reported a bill, to Greene, and Morgan, so far as respects alter the time of holding the annual electhe counties of Burke, Jefferson, and tion for Aldermen and officers for the City of Savannah—which was received

ed for the appointment of a committee The Senate took up the report of the to prepare and report a bill, supplemen-committee on Petitions, and the report tal to the Judiciary Law now of force, on the petition of Hugh M'Donald was and to establish an uniform practice in amended to read as follows, and agreed to, viz: "On the petition of Hugh M'-Ordered, That Messrs. Parke, Spald-Donald, your committee are of opinion, that the prayer of the petitioner is just, Mr. Pray agreeably to notice, moved and ought to be granted, and that the for the appointment of a committee to Comptroller General be authorized to isprepare and report a bill, to amend an sue a duplicate of the bounty land waract, the more effectually securing the rant No. 576, for 800 acres, in the name Probate of Wills, limiting the time for of Lieutenant Oliver Rock, which was executors to qualify, and widows to renewed the 30th November 1801, upon the said Hugh M'Donald giving bond Ordered, That Messrs. Pray, Lanier, with security to his excellency the Goand Watts (of Washington), be that com-vernor, in the sum of eight hundred dolllars, conditioned to indemnify the state Mr. Williams notifies the Senate, against any loss which may hereafter be

Ordered, That the remainder of said

Mr. Hammond notifies the Senate, that he will on to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare In the resolution appointing Joseph and report a bill, to amend an act, to au-Miller, John N. Frailsford, and George thorize the commissioners of Louisville ebley Notaries Public for the county to lay out in lots, and sell such part of of Chatlam.

think proper, and to appropriate the pro-Sturges a Notary Public for the county ceeds of such sales to the use of the A-of Burke. cademy of Louisville, passed the 10th In the resolution appointing John December, 1808.

Mr. Owens notifies the Schate, that tees of the Richmond Academy—and, he will on Wednesday next, move for the In the resolution appointing a joint appointment of a committee to prepare committee to prepare and report a bill, and report a bill, to authorize the Superi-to alter and amend the fifteenth section or and Inferior courts, and Courts of Cr-of the fourth article of the constitution, dinary in Baldwin county, to be held in and have added a committee on their the State-House for the term of two years. part.

he will on to-morrow move for the ap-commending that his Excellency the pointment of a committee to prepare Covernor be requested to remove Reuand report a bill, to extend the time of ben Lindsay from the office of Justice of taking out grants for lands in the late the Teace, for the county of Elbert. land lotteries.

pointed, reported a bill, to alter the time for the City of Augusta. of the meeting of the General Assom- Aresolution appointing Henry Joyce bly of this state, and to repeal the second a Justice of the Inferior court of Telfair section of an act, to regulate the Gene-county. ral Elections of this state, and to appoint A resolution appointing James Shethe time of the meeting of the General rad, Lumber Measurer for town and Assembly—passed the 11th February, port of Darien, and William B. Barnes 1799, which was received & read 1st time. for the City and port of Savannah.

from the Artillery company of Jefferson on their part, to join such as may be apcounty, which was read, and referred to pointed by Senate to prepare & report a a special committee.

Ordered, that Messrs. Hammond, Tal-lors—and, bot, and Moore, be that committee.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. day next at 11 o'clock, to proceed to the

Mr. President,

concurred in the resolution appointing General, Solicitor General, in the Eas-James Holmes, esq. a commissioner for tern District, and Health Officer and the Liberty county Academy.

the common of said town as they may In the resolution appointing Samuel

|Forsythe member of the board of Trus-

Mr. Hogan notifies the Senate, that Troy have passed a resolution re-

A resolution appointing Thomas Bar-Mr. Walker from the completee ap-rest and James Frazer, Vendue Masters

Mr. Hammond presented a petition A resolution appointing a committee bill, to alleviate the condition of debta

A resolution that both branches of A message from the House of Re-the Legislature will convene on Tueselection of Secretary of State, Sur-

The House of Representatives have veyor General Treasurer, Comptroller

Harbor Master, for the Port of Savannah—and he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, and unanimously concurred in the resolution that his Excellency the Governor do re TUESDAY, 14th November, 1809. move Reuben Lindsay from the office of Elbert.

ters for the city of Augusta.

Telfair county—and,

Runnells, Lanier, Reed, and Powell.

message do lie on the table.

severally read the 2d time.

A bill to be entitled an act, to make committee. permanent the seat of the public buildings for the county of Pulaski.

Ordered, for a 3d reading.

duties of sheriffs in selling lands under Walker, and Davies (of Chatham). execution.

the dividing line between the counties mend the election laws of this state. of Wayne and Camden.

Ordered for 3d reading.

mit the jurisdiction of the Aldermen of state of the republic. the City of Savannah, so far relates to On motion of Mr. Davies (of Chatthe regulation of markets.

The Senate adjourned 'till to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

Mr. Scruggs agreeably to notice, movof Justice of the Peace for the county ed for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to authorize In the resolution appointing Thomas Benjamin Kennedy to keep a ferry at Barrett and James Frazer Vendue Mas-his landing on Savannah river, and to receive toll for the same.

In the resolution appointing Henry Ordered, That Messrs. Scruggs, Joyce a Justice of the Inferior court of Little. and Davis (of Burke), be that committee.

In the resolution appointing a joint Mr. Davies (of Chatham) agreeably committee to report a bill, for the alle-to notice, moved for the appointment of viation of debtors, and added a commit-a committee to prepare and report a bill, tee on their part, consisting of Messrs. to alter and amend an act, authorising Walker, Barnett, Spalding, Hammond, the Justices of the Inferior courts of this state to discharge insolvent debtors, Ordered, That the remainder of said confined by process from any court of this state.

The following bills were taken up and Ordered, That Messrs. Davies (of Chatham), Parke, and Moore be that

Mr. Hardie, presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Camden county, which being read, was referred A bill to be entitled an act, to amend to a special committee consisting of an act, entitled an act, pointing out the Messrs. Hardie, Williams, Runnells.

Mr. Davis (of Walton) notifies the Ordered, for committee of the whole. Senate, that he will on to-morrow move A bill to be entitled an act, to appoint for the appointment of a committee to commissioners to run and ascertain prepare and report a bill, to alter and a-

Mr. Spalding presented a petition from Zachariah Sims, which being read, And a bill to be entitled an act, to li-was referred to the committee on the

lham.)

Ordered, for committee of the whole. Resolved, That Frederick H. Les-

senhoff be, and he is hereby appointed Mr. Owens agreeably to notice, mov-Lumber Measurer for the port of Sa-jed for the appointment of a committee to vannah.

Matthew M'Kenney, which being read, lots in the town of Milledgeville. was referred to the committee on Petiti- Ordered, That Messrs. Owens, Talons.

notice, moved for the appointment of a introduced a bill to amend an act, to aucommittee to prepare and report a bill, to therize the commissioners of Louisville alter and amend an act, for keeping in re-to lay out in lots, & sell such part of the hair the public roads and bridges with-common of said town as they may think in the counties of Burke, Jefferson, Rich-proper, and to appropriate the proceeds mond, Greene, and Morgan, so far as re-of such sales to the use of the Academy spects the counties of Burke, Jefferson, of Louisville, which was received, and and Richmond.

Burke,) Hammond, and Walker, be that pointed, reported a bill, supplemental to committee.

ed for the appointment of a committee to ceedings of the Superior and Inferior prepare and report a bill, to amend an courts, which was received and read the act, to sell and dispose of the fractional 1st time. parts of Surveys of lands in the counties Mr. Davies (of Chatham) laid before of Baldwin and Wilkinson.

Ordered, That Messrs. Williams, llowing resignation, to wit: Jackson, and Foster, be that committee.

Mr. Walker presented a potition from the Augusta Volunteer Artillory, the Augusta Voluntaer Rangers, and the Gentlemen, Augusta Independent Blues, which being read, was referred to a special com-pracy of the State, having in my humble mittee, consisting of Messes. Walker, opinion created some doubt as to the Hammond, Talbot, and Merice

notice, moved for the appointment of aland trust I never shall hold any comcommittee to prepare and report a bill, mission, the right to which may be in to authorize the Justices of the Inferior my manner doubtful, I beg leave to recourt, together with the clerk and sherift | gn my commission as Major General to draw grand and petit jurors for May of the first division of the militia of this term .810, for Telfair county.

Testair), Fluit, and Brown, be that such insuce to believe, that I am accounted

prepare and report a bill, to appropriate Mr. Brown presented a petition from the monies arising from the twenty acre

bet, and Henderson, be that committee.

Mr. Davis [of Burke] agreeably to Mr. Hammond agreeably to notice, read the 1st time.

Ordered, That Mesors. Davies (of Mr. Parke from the committee apthe judiciary law now in force, and to Mr.Williams, agreeably to notice, movelestablish an uniform practice in the pro-

the President a letter containing the fol-

and members of the Senate.

MY election to the Chief Magispropriety of my holding the commission Mr. Watts (of Teliair) screeably tolof Major General, and as I never have, 'ate.

Ordered, That Hessrs. Watts (cf) In doing this, I trust you will do me

Il former marks of public confidence, county of Baldwin. nd that in an especial manner for that by which, through your kind suffrages, son, and Runnells, be that committee. am elevated to the rank I now hold in he state.

Accept Gentlemen, individually and collectively, the assurance of my highest respect and esteem,

D. B. MITCHELL."

14th November, 1809.

Which being read,

Resolved, That the Senate do accept and Stewart be that committee. of the resignation of Major General D. B. Mitchell, of the first division of the militia of this state.

day, and concurred in the Resolution counties, and phraim Cooper, Lumber Measurers for for their services when performed. the City and port of Savannah"—they Mr. Reed presented a petition from "Resolved, that both the republic. as follows: branches of the Legislature will con- Mr. Barnett from the committee apfirst division of the militia of this state, read the 1st time. in the place of Major General David B. of Savannah."

no motive but a just sense of my duty; ed for the appointment of a committee hd that I am penetrated with the most to prepare and report a bill to add a refound sentiments of gratitude for part of the county of Wilkinson to the

Ordered, That Messrs. Hogan, Jack-

Mr. Owens agreeably to notice, moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to authorize the Superior and Inferior courts, and courts of Ordinary, for the county of Baldwin, to be held in the State House, for the term of two years.

Ordered, That Messrs. Owens, Moore,

On motion of Mr. Hardin,

Resolved that Arthur Lott, senr. of Tattnall county, and Joseph Collins of The Senate took up the message from Montgomery county, be and they are the House of Representatives, which hereby appointed commissioners to was ordered to lie on the table yester-mark the dividing line between said

appointing Lumber Measurer, for the And be it further resolved, That the town & port of Darien, and City & port Inferior courts of said counties are hereof Savannah, with the following amend-by bound to pay their respective comment, insert "William Spencer, and E-missioners a reasonable compensation

amended the resolution appointing this Hines Holt, which being read, was reday for the election of officers, to read|ferred to the committee on the state of

vene in the Representative Chamber pointed, reported a bill, to repeal an this day at 12 o'clock, and proceed to the act, for compensating the Justices of the election of a Major General for the Inferior court—which was received and

Mr. Foster from the committee ap-Mitchell, resigned, a Solicitor General pointed, reported a bill, to alter and afor the eastern district, in place of Rich-mend the fourth and fifth sections of the and Leake, esq. resigned, and a Health third article of the constitution of this Officer and Harbor Master for the port state—which was received and read the 1st time.

Mr. Hogan agreeably to notice, mov- Mr. Hogan from the committee an-

pointed, reported a bill, to authorise the Mr. Lanler presented a petition fra Inferior court of the county of Pulaski Benjamin Daley, which being read, was to draw a grand and petit jury to serve referred to the committee on Finance, at the next Superior court of said county

appointed, reported a bill, to amend the 31st section of the Judiciary law of this state....which was received and read the committee to whom was referred the pe 1st time.

A message from the House of Re-lows, to wit: presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. Mr. President,

that the House of Representatives are they are of opinion that his case calls for now ready to receive them in the Re-Legislative interference. The com presentative Chamber, for the purpose mittee therefore advise the adoption o of proceeding to the election of a Major the following resolution: General of the first division of the miliria of this state, a Solicitor General for confiscated estates, do sell the lot No the eastern district, and a Health Offi-10, Hicks Tything, Perceval Ward, it cer and Harbor Master for the port of the City of Savannah, seperately and Savannah....and he withdrew.

presentative Chamber, and being seated, ing to Asael Farmer of the county of proceeded by joint ballot to the election Chatham, and subject to the terms of a of said officers, and on counting out the unexpired lease of the said lot from votes, it appeared that Col. John MIn-Harrison, to the said Asael Farmer. tosh was duly elected Major General of The Senate took up the report, which the first division of the militia of this being read, was ordered to lie on the ta state, John M. Berrien, esq. Solicitor ble. General for the eastern district, and

Doctor Charles Williamson, Health Of-ken up and read the second time, to wit ficer, and Major William Brown, Harbor Master for the port of Savannah.

Chamber, and took their seats....and

Adjourned 'till to-morrow morning courts. 10 o'clock.

Mr. Jackson presented a petition ... which was received & read the 1st time. from the members of the bar of the Oc Mr. Henderson from the committee mulgee Circuit, which was read....and

Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Davies (of Chatham) from the tition of Asael Farmer, reported as fol

"That upon examining the statemen made by the said petitioner, and the do I am directed to inform the Schate cuments accompanying the petition

Resolved, That the commissioners o distinctly from the buildings and im The Senate then repaired to the Re-provements erected thereon, and belong

The following bills were severally ta

A bill supplemental to the Judiciar llaw now of force in this state, and to es The Senate then repaired to their tablish an uniform practice in the proceedings of the Superior and Inferio

Ordered for committee of the whole o

Monday next.

A bill to secure to Mary Wammoci lforma, 'y Mary Hudson, a negro woma

WEDNESDAY, 15th Nov. 1809. Mr. Henderson had leave of absence deeded to her by her grand-father Robert from Senate for a few days.

juire by deed, will or otherwise.

ionstitution.

Ordered, for committee of the whole. A bill to alter the time of holding the Superior Courts in the several circuits ting the Justices of the Inferior courts. this state.

Ordered, for committee of the whole on Monday next.

A bill to make permanent the seat of their respective titles, to wit; the public buildings for the county of Wilkinson at Irwinton.

A bill to add a part of Liberty county Wayne and Camden.—And to the county of Tattnall.

on Monday next.

A bill to alter the time for holding the cers for the City of Savannah.

Ordered for 3d reading.

on Tuesday next.

of said county.

Ordered, for a third reading.

A bill to amend the 31st section of the title. Judiciary law of this state.

whole.

5th sections of the third article of the was received and read the first time. constitution.

on Tuesday next.

dson, and to secure to said Mary any A bill to amend an act to authorise perty which she may hereafter acthe Commissioners of Louisville to lay out in lots and sell such part of the Ordered, for committee of the whole common of said town as they may think A bill to provide for taking the Cen-proper, and to appropriate the proceeds sus of this state, as required by the of sales to the use of the Academy of Louisville.

> Ordered for a third reading. And A bill to repeal an act for compensas

Ordered for committee of the whole. The following bills were severally read the third time, and passed under

A bill to be entitled an act to appoint commissioners to run and ascertain the Ordered, for committee of the whole. dividing line between the counties of

A bill to be entitled an act to make Ordered, for committee of the whole permanent the seat of the Public Builds lings for the county of Pulaski.

The Senate resolved itself into a comannual election for Aldermen and Offi-mittee of the whole on the bill to be entitled an act to limit the jurisdiction of the Aldermen of the City of Savannah, A bill to alter the time of the meeting so far as relates to the regulation of the of the General Assembly of this state. market—Mr. Moore in the chair—Mr. Ordered for committee of the whole President resumed the chair, and Mr. Moore reported, that they had gone A bill to authorise the Inferior court through the same with an amendment of Pulaski county to draw grand and The Senate took up the said report, petit Jurors for the next Superior court which being read was agreed to; whereupon the said bill was read the third time, and passed under the foregoing

Mr. Scruggs from the committee ap-Ordered, for a committee of the pointed, reported a bill to authorise Benjamin Kennedy to erect a ferry at his A bill to alter and amend the 4th and landing in Effingham county—which

Mr. Foster from the committee ap-Properties of the whole pointed, reported a bill to alter & amend an act supplementary to an act to reguTate the general elections of this state, Ordered, that Massrs. Davis [of Wal. and an act for the appointment of county ton], Parke and Williams, be that comofficers, which was received and read mittee. the first time.

pointed reported a bill to aid a part of bill, to alter the 15th section of the 4th Wilkinson county to the county of Bald-article of the constitution, Reports, to win—which was received and read the wit: farst time.

On motion of Mr. Reed,

mine the Journal of the Senate be ap-of the constitution pointed, and see that they are regularly | Report, that the 15th section of the 4th engrossed.

Ordered, that Messrs. Reed, Talbot, alteration. and Foster be that committee.

Mr. Hurt from the committee on peti-report be amended to read as follows:

tions, Reports as follows, viz.

committee are of opinion that the prayer the fourth article of the constitution of of the petitioner is reasonable, & recom-this state requires alteration," and on mend that a committee be appointed to the question to agree to the amendment, prepare and report a bill for that pur-it was determined in the negative, and pose.

On the petition of sundry inhabitants Yeas 4. Nays 24. of Washington county, in favor of Eli| Barnes, Joshua Barnes, John Barnes, arc, Messrs. Hammond, Hardin, Parke James Gilmore and Simon Salter.

the prayer of the Petitioners ought not Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, Davies to be granted.

Ordered, that the said report do lie on ter, Hogan, Jackson, Lanier, Little, M. the table.

Mr. Davies (of Chatham) presented Rimson, Scruggs, Spalding, Spivey, a petition from William Stephens, which Stewart, Talbot, Walker, Watts [Washwas read and referred to a special com-ington, and Williams.

mittee, consisting of Messrs. Davies (of The original report being again read, on the question to agree to the same, it Chatham), Barnett and Spivey.

Mr. Davis (of Walton) agreeably to was determined in the affirmative, and notice, moved for the appointment of a the year and nays being required, are, committee to prepare and report a biffees 25 Rays 4.

to alter and amend the Election laws of Troom who voted in the affirmative, this state.

Mr. Hammond from the joint commit-Mr. Hogan from the committee ap-tec, appointed to prepare and report a

"The joint committee appointed to prepare and report a bill to alter and Resolved, that a committee to evalumend the 15th section of the 4th article

article of the constitution, requires no

Mr. Hammond then moved that the

"Resolved, that it is the sense of this On the petition of Peter Menard, your committee, that the fifteenth section of the yeas and nays being required, are,

> Those who voted in the affirmative and Runnells.

Your committee are of opinion, that Those who voted in the negative are, [of Chatham] Davis [of Walton], Fos-

Lendon, Moore, Owens, Powell, Pray,

lire, messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter,

Davies (of Chatham) Davis (of Walton) In the resolution appointing a joint Foster, Hogan, Jackson, Lanier, Little, committee to contract for building a M'Lendon, Moore, Owens, Powell, suitable dwelling house and other ne-Pray, Rimson, Scruggs, Spalding, Spi-leessary out houses. for the accommodavey, Stewart, Talbot, Walker, Watts (of tion of the Governor of this state, and Washington), Watts (of Telfair) and have added a cammittee on their part— Williams.

Messrs. Hammond, Hardin, Parke and Laws and Journals of the present ses-Runnells.

Mr. Foster notifies the Senate, that heltheir part—and he withdrew. will on to-morrow move for the appoint- The Senate resolved themselves into ment of a committee to prepare and re-a committee of the whole, on the bill to port a bill to define more particularly be entitled an act, to make permanent the jurisdiction of the courts of Ordina-the seat of the public building; in the ry and Inferior courts.

committee on Petitions, and amended Chair, and Mr. Barnett reported prothe report on the petition of Eli Barnes, gress, & asked leave to set again. Joshua Barnes, John Barnes, James The Senate took up the report, which Gilmore and Simon Salter, to read as being read, was agreed to. follows:

Barnes is reasonable, and ought to be titled an act, to provide for taking the granted.

mended do lie on the table.

morning 10 o'clock.

THURSDAY, 16th November, 1809.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

passed the bill from Senate, to autho-ther Robert Hudson, and to secure to rize the Judge of the Superior court of her the said Mary Wammock, formerly the Middle Circuit to hold an extra ses-Mary Hudson, any property which she sion in the county of Richmond.

on from Senate, appointing a joint com | Ir. President resumed the Chair—and mittee on enrolled bills, and have added Mr. Talbot reported, that he was directed a committee on their part.

and, In the resolution appointing a joint Those who voted in the negative are, committee to contract for printing the sion—and have added a committee on

county of Wilkinson—Mr. Barnett in The Senate took up the report of the the Chair—Mr. President resumed the

The Senate resolved itself into a com-That the prayer of the petitioner John mittee of the whole, on the bill to be en-Census of this State, as required by the Ordered, that the said report as a-Constitution—Mr. Barnett in the Chair —Mr. President resumed the Chair, The Senate adjourned 'till to-morrow|and Mr. Barnett reported progress, and asked leave to set again.

The Senate took up the report, which being read, was agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a com-A. message from the House of Re-mittee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act, to secure to Mary Wammock, formerly Mary Hudson, a negro The House of Representatives have woman deeded to her by her grand-famay hereafter acquire by Deed, Will, or They have concurred in the resoluti- therwise-Mr. Talbot in the Chair-19 report that the further consideration of the said bill be postponed until June (of Washington), & Watts (of Telfair).

The Senate took up the report, which 3d time, and passed as amended. being read: On the question to agree to The Senate resorved itself into a comthe same, it was deteriamed in the affir-inities on the bill to be entitled an act, mative, and the year and nays being re-lioamend an act, entitled an act, pointing

are, Messrs. Burnett, Brown, Carter, - Ur. President resumed the Chair, and Davies (of Chatham), Davis (of Wal-Mr. Moore reported progress, and asked ton', Foster, Hammond, Hir lin, Ho-leave to set again. gan, Hart, Jackson, Liule, Milzendon. The enate took up the report, which Owens, Parke, Pray, Read, Ranson, being read, was agreed to. Rumells, Snivy, Talbot, Walker, and A message from the House of Re-Watts (of Washington).

Pursa who voted in the negative are, Mr. President,

The Senate resolved itself ito a com-ing and Francis Hopkins, esquires, Jusmittee of the whole, on the bill to be en-tices of the Inferior court of MIntosh zitied an act, to repeal an act, to compen-county, aud,

sate Justices of the Inferior court-Mr. They have passed the following bills, Lanier in the Chair—Mr. President re-to wit:

sumed the Chair, and Mr. Lanier re- Abill to continue in force an act, pasported, that they had gone through the sed the 22d December 1808, giving fursame with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and the late land lotteries to take out their on the question to agree to the same, it grants.

was determined in the affirmative, and A bill to give further time to the Inthe year and nays being required, are ferior court of Elbert county to let the Yeas 25. Nays 8. building of the jail thereof—and,

Those who voted in the affirmative A bill to incorporate the Commissiare, Messrs. Burnett. Brown Carter, oners of the Academy of Effingham Davies (of Burke), Davies (of Chatham), county—and he withdrew.

Foster, Hammond, Hardie, Harden, Ordered, that the said message do lie Hurt, Jackson, Lanier, Luttle, Milen-on the table.

don, Owens, Pray, Reed, Rimson, Run- The following bills were severally taneils, Spalding, Spivey, Stewart, Talbo ren up, and read the third time, and Walker, and Williams.

Those who voted in the negative a : | it: Merses. Davis (of Wilton), High

Whereupon the said bill was read the

quired, are, Yeas 23 Nays 10. Dattheduty of sherits in selling lands un-Those was voted in the affirmative lerezecution—Mr. Moore in the Chair

presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk.

Mesers. Davies (of Burke), Hardie, La- The House of Representatives have nier, Moore, Powell, Seruges, Spalding Spassed a resolution confirming the Ex-Stewart, Watts (of Telfair), & Whams, crutive appointment of Thomas Spald-

ther time to the fortunate drawers in

bassed under their respective rules, to

I is bill to be entitled an act, to alter Moore, Passe, Powel, Struggs, Wan I is une for noiding the Annual Election

lity of Savannah.

fsaid town, as they may think proper, ed and read the 1st time. nd to appropriate the proceeds of such Mr. Parke notifies the Senate, that

Pulaski county to draw a grand & petit debt. jury to serve at the next Superior court Mr. Foster from the committee on enbe held in said county.

read the 2d time to wit:

Two Sisters' ferry in the county of Ef-Richmond. fingham.

Ordered for committee of the wholeling resolution. on tomorrow.

ty officers.

ty, to the county of Baldwin.

and,

said county.

Ordered for a 3d reading.

referred to the committee on petitions. Jens, and Reed.

Aldermen and City Officers for the Mr. Pray from the committee appointed, reported a bill, to be entitled an act, Abill to be entitled an act, to amend for the more effectually securing the nact, entitled an act, to authorize the Probate of Wills, limiting the time for ommissioners of Louisville to lay out executors to qualify, and widows to ilots and sell such part of the common make their election, which was receiv-

ales to the use of the Academy of Lou-|he will after to-morrow move for leave sville, passed 10th December, 1808, and to introduce a bill, to amend an act, to A bill to be entitled an act, to autho-appropriate the funds heretofore set aize the Justices of the Inferior court of part for the redemption of the public

rollment, reported as duly enrolled and The following bills were severally signed by the Speaker, the following act, to wit:

A bill to establish a public ferry on An act to authorize the Judge of the Savannah river, at the place commonly Superior courts of the Middle Circuit to called and known by the name of the hold an extra session in the county of

Mr. Spalding then moved the follow-

Resolved, That the President sign all A bill to alter & amend an act, supple-acts in Senate without taking the questimentary to an act, to regulate the general on on his signature—and on the questielections of this state, and to appoint the on to agree to the same, it was detertime of the meeting of the General As-mined in the affirmative, and the yeas sembly, & for the appointment of coun-and nays being required, are Yeas 25— Nays 8.

Ordered for committee of the whole. Those who voted in the affirmative are, Abill to add a part of Wilkinson coun-Messrs. Brown, Carter, Davies (of Burke), Davis [of Walton], Hardin, Ordered for committee of the whole—Hogan, Hurt, Jackson, Lanier, M'Lendon, Moore, Parke, Powell, Pray, Rim-A bill to authorise the Inferior court son, Runnells, Scruggs, Spalding, Spiof Telfair, together with the clerk and vey, Stewart, Talbot, Walker, Watts Fof sheriff to draw grand and petit jurors for Washington, Watts [of Teltair], and \mathbf{W} illiams.

Those who voted in the negative are, Mr. Walker presented a petition from Messrs. Barnett, Davies (of Chatham), Elijah Leonard, which being read, was Foster, Hommond, Hardie, Little, Ow-

The said act was then presented to, Senate, that he will on to-morrow move and signed by the President.

a petition from Charles Harris, which times of holding the Inferior courts in was read, and referred to the committeethe Eastern District of this state. on Finance.

pointed, reported a bill, to alter and a-which being read was referred to a spemend an act, regulating roads in this cial committee, consisting of Messrs. state, so far as respects the operation of Walker, Foster and Pray. said acts in the counties of Bryan, Li- A message from His Excellency the berty, Mantosh, Glynn, Camden, and Governor by Mr. Bozeman, his Secre-Wavne, so far as respects the county of tary— Camden—which was received and read the 1st time.

notice, moves for the appointment of a following communication, accompanying committee to prepare and report a bill, the resignation of the Honorable John authorizing Shared M'Call to erect a toll Milledge, a Senator in the Congress of bridge across Great Ogechee river.

Ordered, That Messrs Watts (of Telfair), Little, and Jackson, be that committee.

Mr. Jackson from the special committee to whom was referred the petiti-House of Representatives on of Drury Williams,

ers, they are unable to form an opinion instant, containing his resignation as Seon the propriety of the request of the pe-nator from this state in the Congress of

Ordered, That said report do lie on ter you will herewith receive. the table.

titions, Reports as follows:

ney, your committee have taken all the tention, at an early period after their vouchers accompanying the petition in meeting, renders it indispensible that consideration, and conceive them insuf-this subject should receive the immedificient to establish any claim against this ate consideration of the Legislature.

Ordered, that the said report do lie State-House, Milledgeville, ? on the table.

Mr. Davies [of Chatham] notifies the

for the appointment of a committee to Mr. Davies (of Chatham) presented prepare and report a bill to alter the

Mr. Walker presented a memorial Mr. Hardie from the committee ap-from sundry officers of the Cavalry.

Mr. President,

I am directed by His Excellency Mr. Watts (of Telfair) agreeably to the Governor to lay before the Senate the the United States, to wit;

> Mr. President, and Gentlemen of the Senate—and

> Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the

I yesterday received a letter from the Reports, That for want of the vouch-Honorable John Milledge, dated 14th the United States, a copy of which let-

The fourth Monday of this month Mr. Hurt from the committee on pe-being the day assigned for the meeting of Congress, and the important concerns On the petition of Matthew M'Kin-|which it is expected will occupy their at-

> D. B. MITCHELL 16th November, 1809. 5

NEAR Augusta, 14th Nov. 18 39 ed to read, "and that the committee have leave to set again." On the question to

I have to request you will make agree to the amendment, it was deterknown to the General Assembly now in mined in the negative.

gress of the United States.

pointments conferred on me—retiring the first time. interest, the happiness, and the prospe-and read the first time. rity of my native state.

I am Respectfully,

(Signed)

JOHN MILLEDGE.

And he withdrew.

the same being read, was ordered to lie others, and moved, on the table.

The Senate adjourned 'till to-morrow|serting the following resolution. morning 10 o'clock.

FRIDAY, 17th November, 1809.

father Robert Hudson, and to secure to 14-Nays 17.

session, that Mrs. Milledge's extreme Mr. Davies (of Chatham) from the Illness, prevents me from going to the committee appointed, reported a bill, to City of Washington; I therefore resign amend an act, to authorise the Justices the appointment of Senator in the Con-of the Inferior courts of this state to discharge insolvent debtors confined by pro-I am impressed with a deep sense of cess from any court of this state what: gratitude for the many distinguished ap-soever—which was received and read

from public trust, I appeal to my God Mr. Davis (of Walton) from the for the rectitude of what I am about to committee appointed, reported a bill, to say, that with a pure heart & honest zeal, carry into effect the second clause of and to the best of my judgment, I have the first section of the fourth article of constantly endeavored to promote the the Constitution, which was received

Mr. Walker from the joint committee lappointed, reported a bill, to amend an Your Excellency's most ob't serv't. act, to alleviate the condition of debtors, which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Watts (of Washington) called up the report of the committee on Petiti-The Senate took up the message, and ons, on the petition of John Barnes and

That the report be amended by in-

"Resolved, that John Barnes be, and he is hereby exonerated from all liability from his bond as security for Eli Barnes, and that he be discharged as On motion of Mr. Lanier, to recon-completely therefrom, and from all judge sider the Journal of yesterday, so far as ments or executions therein, as if said relates to the report of the committee of bond had not been entered into"—and the whole, on the bill to secure to Mary on the question to agree to the same, it Wammock, formerly Mary Hudson, alwas determined in the negative, and the negro woman deeded to her by her grand Yeas & Nays being required, are, Yeas

said Mary, any property which she may Those who voted in the affirmative hereafter acquire by Deed, Will, or o-are, Messrs. Davies [of Burke], Davis therwise, and that the report be amend-[of Walton], Hardin, Hogan, Jackson, Lanier, M'Lendon, Rimson, Runnells pointment of a committee to prepare and Spivey, Stewart, Watts [of Washington], report a bill, to amend and continue in Watts (of Telfair), and Williams.

messrs. Barnett, Carter, Davies [of] beedings founded on false or fraudulent Chatham], Foster, Hammond, Hardie, returns made by persons not entitled to Hurt, Little, Moore, Owens, Park, Iraws in the late land lotteries. Powell, Pray, Reed, Scruggs, Spalding, Mr. Hogan notifies the Senate, that and Talbot.

the report of the committee on the petiti-and report a bill, to authorise the Inferion of Asael Farmer, and on the question or courts of Laurens and Pulaski counto agree to the same, it was determined ties, to levy and collect an extra tax to in the affirmative, and the Yeas and defray the expenses of running the di-Nays being required, are, Yeas 17-|viding lines between said counties. Nays 15.

Those who voted in the affirmative, titions, reported as follows, to wit: are Messrs. Barnett, Carter, Davis (of On the petition of Elijah Leonard, Walton), Davies (of Chatham), Hardie, your committee having collected all the Hardin, Jackson, Lanier, M'Lendon, information in their power, are of the o-Owens, Rimson, Scruggs, Spalding, Tal-pinion that the prayer of the petitioner is bot, Watts (of Washington), Watts (of unjust, and ought not to be granted. Telfair) and Williams.

Messrs. Davies (of Burke). Foster, the said report amended, to read as fol-Hammond, Hogan, Hurt, Little, Moore, lows, to wit: "That the prayer of the Park, Powell, Pray, Reed, Runnells, petitioner is just, & ought to be granted, Spivey, Stewart, and Walker,

Mr. Watts (of Washington) present-behalf of the state vs. Osborne Howell, ed a petition from a number of the inha-upon the land described in said petition bitants of Wilkinson county, which be-as belonging to the said Leonard, be ing read, was ordered to be on the ta-suspended," and on the question to agree to the said amendment, it was deble.

Mr. Davies (of Chatham) agreeably termined in the affirmative, and the Yeas to notice, moved for the appointment of and Nays bein required, are, Yeas 18a committee to prepare and report a bill, Nays 10,

to alter the times of holding the Inferior. Those who voted in the affirmative,

Chatham), Stewart, and Powell, be that son, Lanier, M'Lendon, Powell, Rimcommittee.

he will on to-morrow move for the ap Williams.

Force an act, to point out the mode of Those who voted in the negative are lendering void all grants or other pro-

he will on Monday next, move for the Mr. Davies (of Chatham) called up appointment of a committee to prepare

Mr. Hurt from the committee on Pe-

The Senate took up the report, which Those who voted in the negative are, being read, Mr. Walker moved to have and that the operation of the execution in

courts in the Eastern district of this state, are Messrs. Carter, Davies (of Burke), Ordered, Lout Messrs. Davies (of Foster, Hardie, Hardin, Hogan, Jacks on, Runnells, Spalding, Spivey, Stew-Fir. Lanier notifies the Senate, the wart, Walker, Watts (of Telfair), and Those who voted in the negative, ar the following report: "Resolved, That

ed a petition from sundry persons, which | herefore recommend the further consiwas ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Hardin notifies the Senate, that June next." he will on to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and was read and agreed to. mery.

were severally read the first time.

sed 22d December 1808, giving further that the further consideration of said bill time to the fortunate drawers in the late be postponed 'till September next—The land lotteries to take out their grants.

building of the jail thereof—and,

A bill to incorporate the commission-_Nays 1. ty.

Effingham, and for vesting the same in Feldir), and Williams. Benjamin Kennedy of the said county- Mr. Foster in the negative. Mr. Park in the chair-Mr. President | On motion, resumed the chair, and Mr. Park red hir. Hammond had leave of absence

Messrs. Barnett, Davis (of Walton) he Justices of the Inferior courts of the Hammond Hurt, Little, Owens, Park beveral counties having power by law to Pray, Reed, and Watts (of Washington) [establish ferries, and are certainly most Mr. Watts (of Washington) present-competent to judge. The committee leration of said bill, be postponed 'till

The Senate took up the report, which

report a bill, amendatory of the tax laws | The Senate resolved itself into a comnow of force, so far as respects the coun inittee of the whole, on the bill to be enties of Tattnall, Bullock, and Montgo-littled an act, to alter and amend an act, lentitled an act, supplementary to an act. The Senate took up the message from to regulate the General Elections of this the House of Representatives, and con-state, and to appoint the time of the meetcurred in the resolution confirming the ling of the General Assembly, passed Executive appointment of Tho's Spald-11th February 1799, and an act, entitled ding and Francis Hopkins, esquires, as an act, for the appointment of county offi-Justices of the Inferior court of M'Indicers, passed 16th February 1799—Mr. tosh county. And the following bills Barnett in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Barnett re-A bill to continue in force an act, pas-'ported, that he was directed to report, Senate took up the report, & on the ques-A bill to give further time to the In-tion to agree to the same, it was deterferior court of Elbert county to let the mined in the affirmative, and the Yeas and Nays being required, are, Yeas 28

ers of the Academy of Effingham coun- Those who voted in the affirmative. lare Messrs. Barnett, Carter, Davies (of The Senate resolved itself into a com-Burke), Davis (of Walton), Davies (of mittee of the whole, on the bill to be en-Chatham), Hammond, Hardie. Hardin. titled an act, to establish a public ferry Flogan, Hurt, Jackson, Lanier, Little. on Savannah river at the place com- McLendon, Owens, Park, Powell, Pray, monly called and known by the name of Meed, Minson, Soruggs, Spalding, Spithe Two Sisters ferry, in the county officey, Stewart, Talbot, Walker, Watts Cof

ported, that he was requested to make fill Tuesday nem, Mr. Watts until Mon-

day next, Mr. Brown and Moore for the town of Jefferson, the seat of the two or three days.

morrow morning 10 o'clock.

ed for the appointment of a committee to place of Elisha Hurt, Esq. resigned. prepare and report a bill, to amend and Mr. Foster agreeably to notice moved continue in force an act to point out the for the appointment of a committee to mode of rendering void all grants or o-prepare and report a bill to define more ther proceedings founded on false or particularly the jurisdiction of the courts fraudulent returns, made by persons nodof Ordinary and Inferior Courts. entitled to draws in the late land lotte-| Ordered, that Messrs. Foster, Rim-

Ordered, that Messrs. Lanier, Park and Hardee, be that committee.

Mr. Hardin agreeably to notice moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, amendatory passed a bill to repeal an act to compenof the tax laws now of force, so far as sate the justices of the Inferior court, & respects the counties of Tatthall, Bul-likey have passed the following resolutilock, and Montgomery.

Ordered, that Messrs. Hardin, Williams and Powell be that committee.

a petition from Griffin L. Lamkin, Academy. which was read and referred to a special A resolution appointing Caleb How-(of Chatham) Stewart, and Foster.

Mr. M'Lendon presented a petition Scriven county; and from a number of the inhabitants of A resolution appointing Sam'l Steele Jones county, which being read was re-Notary Public for the town of Milledge-

tee appointed on the petition of Sylva-and he withdrew. nus Church, reported a bill to be enti- The Senate took up the message, and tied an act to quiet the claim of Sylva-the said bill was read the first time; and nas Church to a tract of land being in the said resolutions were concurred in Camden county, and to relinquish the The bill to be entitled an act to auclaim of the state of Georgia to such thorise the justices of the Inferior court part of the same as has been laid off for for the county of Telfair, together with

public buildings of said county of Cam-The Senate then adjourned until to-|den, which was received and read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Foster,

Resolved, that Turner Persons be, & SATURDAY, 18th November, 1809 he is hereby appointed a justice of the. Mr. Lanier agreeably to notice mov-Inferior court of Warren county in the

son and M'Lendon be that committee.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk;

Mr. President—

The House of Representatives have ons, to wit:

A resolution appointing Henry Sadller, David Lewis and Elisha Hebbard Mr. Davies (of Chatham) presented Commissioners of the Camden county

committee, consisting of Messrs. Davies ell, sen. Robert Williamson and Lewis Lanier, Justices of the Inferior Court of

ferred to the committee on petitions. |ville and county of Baldwin, and Har-Mr. Hardee from the special commit-ris Allen Vendue Master for said town;

etit jurors, was taken up, read the third reported as follows: me, and passed under the title thereof.

vit:

sause of the 1st section of the 4th art. one state of the Republic. of the constitution.

Ordered for committee of the whole.

A bill to alter and amend an act, repects the county of Camden.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to alter and amend an act to aup discharge insolvent debtors.

limiting the time for Executors to quali-lutions, to wit: fy and Widows to make their elections.

sed 22d December, 1808, giving further Putnam county. time to the fortunate drawers in the late land lotteries to take out their grants.

A bill to give further time to the In-Academy. terior court of Elbert county, to let the building of the jail thereof.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to incorporate the Commissi-county. oners of the Effingham county Academy.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. of Burke. And a bill to amend an act to alleviate Dec. 1808.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. And, dry inhabitants of the county of Cam-of Randolph county-And he withdrew.

se Clerk and Sheriff to draw grand and den, on the subject of confiscated land,

That in their opinion the subject of The following bills were severally said petition is one of very great imporaken up, and read the second time, to tance, and requires all the light which possibly can be thrown on it, and advise A bill to carry into effect the 2d hat it be referred to the committee on

The Senate took up the report, which

being read was agreed to.

A message from His Excellency the gulating roads in this state, so far as res-Governor, by Mr. Bozeman his Secretary.

Mr. President-

His Excellency the Governor has asthorise the Inferior courts of this state sented to, and signed an act, to authorise the Judge of the Superior courts of the Ordered for a committee of the whole. Middle circuit to hold an extra session A bill to amend an act for the more in the county of Richmond—he has apeffectually securing the Probate of Wills, proved of the following concurred reso-

A resolution confirming the Execu-Ordered for a committee of the whole. tive appointment of Reuben Dejarnett, A bill to continue in force an act pas-esq. as a Justice of the Inferior court of

A resolution confirming the Executive appointment of James Holmes, esq. Ordered for a committee of the whole. a commissioner of the Liberty county

A resolution confirming the Executive appointment of James Fort, esq. as a Justice of the Inferior court of Wayne

A resolution appointing Samuel Sturges, esq. a Notary Public for the county

A resolution appointing John Forthe condition of debtors, passed the 21st syth, esq. a member of the board of Trustees of the Richmond county Academy.

Mr. Hardie from the committee to A resolution appointing Isaac M'Lenwhom was referred the petition of sur | lon, esq. a Justice of the Inferior court

Ordered, That the committee on en leave to report the following Memorial. rolled bills, do carry said act to Secret ry of State's office, and see the big sea allired to the same.

Mr. Davies (of Chatham) notifies the Sen ite, that he will move for leave or Monday next, to introduce a bill, to alter and amend an act, to regulate the pilotage of vessels to and from the severaports of this state.

Mr. Powell notifies the Senate, that he will on blonday next, move for leave to introduce a bill, to authorise the Inferior court of Wayne county, with the clerk and shoriff, to draw grand and petit jurors for the next terms.

On motion,

Thursday next 10 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Jackson,

General Assembly do convene in the offered by the United States, for the Representative Chamber on Thursday completion of that convention. The next at 12 o'clock, in order to elect a Se-state of Georgia sent her Surveyor Genenator in the Congress of the United ral to ascertain the extent and quality of States, in the room of the Hon. John the Territory she had thus acquired; Milledge, resigned, and a Treasurer, he ascertained the boundaries to be at Comptroller General, Secretary of State, and Surveyor General.

Mr. Hardie notifies the Senate, that he will on Monday next, move for the appointment of a committee to prepare lemn convention she had entered into and report a bill, to prevent persons from with the United States to extend her laws unlawfully driving cattle out of this and her government over the people then

the state of the republic, reported as fol-to be resisted by North Carolina, unless lows, to wit:

republic, to whom was referred than state, and which would swallow up the pa t of the Executive message relating rights of soil through the whole extent to Walton county, together with the Do- of country, the sunctioning of which cuments accompanying the same, beginned have a extrawn her benevolen

→ Congress:

To the President and Gentlemen of the Senate--

To the Sheaker and Gentlemen of the louse of Representatives, in Congress as-.. mbled---

The state of Georgia by her Conven. for with the United States, bearing date he twenty-fourth day of April, which was in the year 1802, for the cession of ner Western Territory, having acquired a right to a certae, tract of country, which was west of South Carolina, andseparated the states 🍪 North Carolina and Georgia, and the Commissioners on Mr. Hogan had leave of absence 'till the part of the United States having need forth to the Commissioners of Georgia,: on that occasion, this territory as a strong Resolved, That both branches of the and valuable part of the consideration points, that had long been supposed by South Carolina, and all the preceding claimants to that tract of country.

Georgia then proceeded under the soresident; and she then with astonish. Mr. Lanier from the committee on ment first heard that her claims were she would agree to sanction grants that The committee on the state of the had issued from the Government of that intentions to its resident inhabitants, & Ceorgia had no just claim to a territory, confirmed a system of speculation, for which, by her convention with the Uwhich it had been the effort of Georgesianed States, she had allowed a valuable

dress (and marked No. 1.) will confirm upplication the reiterated, has been rewhat is here advanced.

representatives abstained, however from cuments annexed to this memorial (and pressing the affair, on receiving assuran marked No. 2.) will confirm. quisition of Georgia.

Carolina did appoint commissioners, ding line between the two states, through who met commissioners from Georgia. its whole extent, either at the expense Some observations were made of the lati-of the Union, as Georgia believes she tude of places, supposed about the boun-has a right to demand, or at the expence daries of the two states; but because of the two states, if Congress should so those observations were contrary to all insist. variant, (where a variation to such an ex-of the preceding memorial; and used. The Legislature of Georgia, from memorial and resolution. some or all of these reasons, refused her The Senate took up the report, which assent to the boundaries that would have being read, was agreed to. been fixed by these observations, and Mr. Lanier from the committee on again requested North Carolina to ap-the state of the Republic, reported as point commissioners, that the doubts on follows:

to weed out of the limits of her state. |consideration, she might have satisfac-The documents subjoined to this address and conclusive testimony. This. liceted; this requisition, though pressed Georgia disappointed in her applied by the government of Georgia to a weasion to North Carolina, then addressed resome length, has met with nothing but herself to Congress on the subject; herdenial from her sister state, as the do-

ces from the delegation of the state of The Legislature of Georgia now sec North Carolina, that they would repre-but one mode of calming the irritations sent to their own state the necessity of that have arisen between the two states meeting on some other grounds, the re-on this subject; they therefore apply to the Government of the United States, to In consequence of this application, N. appoint a proper person to run the divi-

that had been made before them; be- Be it therefore Resolved by the Secause they were directly against the opi-hate and House of Representatives of nion of persons best informed upon the the state of Georgia in General Assemsubject from neighbouring states; be-bly met, and by the authority of the cause they were not confided in by the same, that our Senators and Represeneitizens of Georgia resident in the coun-hauves in the Congress of the United try claimed; and above all, because the States, press upon the attention of the observations made, were themselves so General Government the subject matter

tent was not to be expected) as to de- Be it further Resolved, that His Exmonstrate that there was an error incellency the Governor transmit to our the men employed, or in the instruments delegation in Congress the preceding

the subject might be removed; that if The committee on the state of the Res

heblic to whom was referred so much of The Senate then adjourned 'till totre communication of His Excellency Monday morning to o'clock. the Governor as relates to the establishment of a Penitent ary, take leave to sub-

mis the following deport:

Whilst the communes view the just Mr. Handee acreeably to notice movproportion between crimes and their proceding the appointment of a committee to nishment as among the prost important, preserve and report a bill, to prevent perfeatures of a free government, be will alsons from usual ally driving cattle out they believe that the condition of those of this state. unfortunate misguided citizen-, who may | Ordered, What Messrs. Hardee, Harat any time violate the laws of society, in, and I ich son, be that committee. might be ameliorated by the revision of Mr. Harden from the committee apour penal code, and the establishment pointed on the petition of Peter Menard, of a Penitentiary; It is with deep regret reported a bill, to anthorise a lottery for they are constrained relocatedly to say, raising one thousand dollars, to be apthat from examination of the treasury's propriated for the purpose of relieving abstracts, and from a prospective view of a distressed family—which was received the resources of the state, they are of and read the 1st time. opinion, that for want of funds it is inex- Mr. Owens presented a petition from

which was reand & ordered to Fe on the Owens, Talbot, and Barnett. table.

in words following, to wit;

the prayer of the pelitioner is just, and state. recommend that he be conditised in the Dir. Park presented a letter from Georiginal lines of said Lot No. 115, inneral John Scott, which being read, was the 7th District Ermerly Unlowlin countreferred to the same committee appoint-

as respects any other the state and fourse, and other out houses suitable for

hav cherein; and

Re-olved also, that nothing here contained shall operate to acted to be of the whole, on the bill to be enela n of any other indiment the land median act, to after the time of helding aloresald; which was agreed to.

ETHICK Miles Jack to a second that we will be a second of AMNIA, 20th November, 1809.

pedient at this time to commence the anumber of the inhabitants of Milledge. building of a Penitentiary, and the con-ville, which was read and referred to a sequent revision of our penal code—special committee, consisting of Messrs.

On motion of Mr. Lanier,

The Senate train up the report of the Resolved, That Mr. Owens be adcommittee on paritions, so the as released to that committee, to prepare and to the report on the petition of K bas report a bill to amend and continue in Andrews, and amended the same to read force an act, to point out the mode of rendering void grants or other proceed-

"On the petition of Robins Andrews, ings founded on false or fraudulent reyour committee having after this case turns, made by persons not entitled to into consideration, are of opinion, that draws in the late land lotteries in this

ty, as expressed by same permon, so tork to contract for building a dwelling re Governor to resale in.

Problem the resolved liself into a com-

through the said bill with amendments. county of Warren—And

on the table.

sentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have passed a resolution appointing Joseph on the table. Hill Clark, a Notary Public for the City of Savannah—And

viz.

1802.

Sample, and Aaron Springfield.

A bill to incorporate Mount Enon Academy.

A bill to repeal an act, for inflicting Stephen Corker.

dities in this state.

the Judiciary law of this state.

A' bill for the better regulating fences on Harris's neck, in M'Intosh county.

roads leading thereto.

Burnett, to that of Rebecca Turner.

the Superior courts in the several circuits. A bill to alter that part of the second of this state—Mr. Lanier in the chair—section of the Judiciary, passed 16th Mr. President resumed the chair, and February 1799, so far as respects the Mr. Lanier reported, that they had gone time of holding the Inferior court in the

Ordered, That the said report do lie A bill to amend the 3d section of an act, to establish the town of Wrightsbo-A message from the House of Repre-rough, in the county of Columbia, passed the 16th February, 1799. '

And he withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do lie

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be en-They have passed the following bills, littled an act, supplemental to the Judiciary law now in force, and to establish an A bill to authorise James Smith toluniform practice in the proceedings of collect taxes due in Camden county for the Superior and Inferior courts—Mr. Talbot in the chair—Mr. President re-A bill for the relief of Thomas B. sumed the chair, and Mr. Talbot reported progress, and asked leave to set again.

> The Senate took up the report, which being read, was agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a compenalties on certain persons therein nam-mittee of the whole, on the bill to be ened, so far as respects the banishment of titled an act, to amend an act, entitled an lact, to alleviate the condition of debtors. A bill for the better regulation of the passed the 21st day of December, 1808, town of Clinton in the county of Jones. Mr. Barnett in the chair—Mr. Presi-A bill to amend an act, to regulate dent resumed the chair, and Mr. Barthe weighing cotton, and other commo-nett reported, that they had gone thro the same with amendments.

A bill to amend the 26th section of Ordered that the said report do lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Runnells,

Resolved, That the Comptroller Ge-A bill to amend an act, to incorporate heral be, and he is hereby directed to lay Augusta, and to improve the public before this House, a statement of the $oxdot{ciaims}$, (together with the documents) of A bill to establish the site of the publike citizens of this state, against the lic buildings in the county of Laurens. Treek nation of Indians, agreeably to an A bill to alter the name of Rebecca act passed the 10th day of December. 1807, for that purpose.

Mr. Hardre presented a potition from he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Surettee Duvall, which being rold, was Inforcement of "to gon county, in place to terreduce special consisting of William Bandle, reserved.

of Messis. Charles, Davie, for Charles Air Jackson presented a petition from ham), and herwigs. British McCullers, which being read

Mr. Voster from the small commit lives relieved to a special committee, contre to vision was referred the per-locating of lites in Jackson, Brown, and of Liz both Jones, reported, when was fract, to report by bill or otherwise.

tead and ordered to be on the table.

All to vell agreeably to notice, introhir. Davies (of Cherlam) presented based abilit to authorise the Justices of a pullion from the officers of the Caval-the inferior court of Wayne, together ry of the counties of Cherlam. The riving the the clerk and shereff, to draw grand Canden, Seriven, and Ellingham which and petit jurors for the next term of said was read and refer to to the committee court, which was received and read the appointed to the into consideration the first time.

pention of the Middle Division of Cavalry | Mb. Lanier from the committee on the The Senate took up the message from state of the republic, reported, which the House of Representatives to day, was read and ordered to lie on the table.

and concurred in the resolution appoint. Mr. Davies (of Chatham) from the ing Joseph Holl Clarke a Notary 4 ublic/special committee appointed, reported for the City of Savannah, with the follow-on the petition of Griffin L. Lampkining amendment....strike out "City of Sa-which was read and ordered to lie on the

vannah" and insert, county of Charliam—table.

and the bills contained in said message Mr. Owens from the committee apwere severally read the 1setime. pointed, reported a bill, to be entitled an

Mr. Foster from the committee appact, to authorise the Superior and Infepointed, reported a bill, to befine more for courts, and courts of Ordinary of particularly the jurisdiction of the courts Ball who county, to be held in the State-of Ordinary, and Inferior courts of this house for two years, which was received state—which was received and read the and read the 1st time.

First time.

Id. Davies (of Chatham) presented like. Hardee from the committee ap-a pethion from Samuel Boyd, which be pointed, reported a bill to prevent the lag read, was referred to a special communication driving cattle out of the limits mittee, convising of Messrs. Davies (of of this state, which was received and Chatham), Spalding, and Hammond. Find the first time.

Air. Foster called up the report of the

The Secute then adjourned till to committee on the petition of Eliza Jones, morrow marning 10 o'clock. which is in the wieds following, to wit:

TUESD IT 21st Movember, 1809. that they have examined the vonen as the decomposity of the feed eth. Then I been Lum, be and bears that George Watten, in the year

'now in the county of Columbia), which The Senate took up the report, which mid tract of land was sold as the pro-being read, was agreed to. perty of Lacklan M'Gillvery; & where- Whereupon the said bill was read the day of March, 1787, did tran fer hishmereof. of land to the said Thomas Jones, (who same with amendments. has since deceased); and whereas also, The Senate took up the report, which it appears that James Stallings has paidbeing read, was agreed to. of conveyance has as yet been made, re-thereof. commend the following resolution:

' Resolved by the Senate and House of Mr. Carter had leave of absence 'till Representatives of the State of Georgia in to-morrow.

General Assembly met, That the present The Senate again resolved itself into vided, that nothing herein contained shall with amendments.

Jones, from her right of dower to the the caption of said bill to read as follows: said tract of land—and the same being A bill to be entitled an act to amend read was agreed to.

mittee of the whole on the bill to be endelling linds under execution.

83, purchased of the commissione's Census of this state as required by the confiscated property, a certain tract of Constitution—Mr. Moore in the chair and, containing one hundred acres on Fir. President resumed the chair, and Savannah river, at the mouth of Red's Moore reported, that they had gone nill creek, near the town of Augustalthrough the same with an amendment.

as the said George Walton on the ninth third time and passed under the title

right to James Stallings, who did on the The Senate resolved itself into a comsecond day of January 1792, transfer mittee of the whole, on the bill to be enhis right to Thomas Jones, and the saidhitled an act, to attach a part of Liberty George Walton did draw an order in county to the county of Tattnall....Mr. favor of the said Thomas Jones on the Barnett in the chair...Mr. President recommissioners of confiscated property sumed the chair, and Mr. Barnett rerequiring them to convey the said tract ported, that they had gone-through the

and discharged the purchase money for Whereupon the said bill was read the the said land, and it appears that no deed 3d time and passed, under the title

On motion,

Commissioners of confiscated property, a committee of the whole on the bill to or a majority of them, do make and exe-be entitled an act to amend an act entioute titles for said land, to the heirs of thed an act pointing out the duty of She-Thomas Jones dec'd, to wit, Susannah, riffs in selling lands under execution— Thomas, Penelope, Joseph, Elizabeth, Mr. Park in the Chair-Mr. President Mary, Barbary, Tabitha, and Samueliresumed the Chair, and Mr. Park report-Jones, the children of said Jones, projed, that they had gone through the same

be so construed as to bar Elizabeth. The Senate took up the report, which Jones, the widow of the said Thomas was read and agreed to, by amending

land continue in force an act entitled an The Senate resolved itself into a com-bet pointing out the duty of Sheriffs in

titled an act, to provide for taking the! Whereupon the said bill was read the

3d time and passed under the foregoing titled an act to carry into effect the 2d title.

and amend an act regulating roads in Barnett in the chair.... Ir. President rethis state, so fir as respects the operati-sumed the chair, and Mr. L'arnett reon of said acts in the counties of Bryan, ported, that the further consideration of Liberty, M. Intosh, Glenn, Camden and said bill be postported until June next. Wayne, passed the 8th day of Decem- The Senate took up the report, which ber, 1806, so far as respects the county of was read and agreed to. Camden, was taken up, read the 3d time | Mr. Spalding in othes the Senate, that and passed under the title thereof.

mittee of the whole on the bill to be en-liker the illustation of actions and avoiding titled an act to amend an act, entitled ansuits at law. act for the more effectually securing the Mr. Walker presented a petition from probate of wills, limiting the time for exe-William Garrett and Leroy Hammond, cutors to qualify & widows to make their which was read and referred to a specielection ... Mr. Moore in the chair ... Mr. al committee, cont. inting of Messrs. Wal-President resumed the chair & Mr Moore ker, Foster and Rimson. reported, that they had gone through the Mr. Walker presented a petition from same with amendments.

the amendments were agreed to.

Ordered, that the said bill do lie on Walker, Davies (of Burke) and Lanier. the table.

mittee of the whole on the bill to be en-dry Volunter companies, reported, which titled an act to amend an act entitled an was read, and ordered to lie on the table. act to authorise the justices of the Infe- The Senate adjourned 'till to-morrow rior Court of this state to discharge in-morning 10 o'clock. solvent debtors confined by process from any court of this state....Mr. Powell in the chair....Mr. President resumed the WEDNESDAY, 22d November, 1809. chair, and Bir. Powell reported, that Mr. Hardin hom the committee apthey had gone through the same with pointed, reported a bill to amend the amendments.

was read and agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read the read the 1st times. third time, and passed under the title. Mr. Walker from the committee apthereof.

spointed on the patition of sundry inhabi-The Senate resolved itself into a com-tants of Forke county, reported a bill, mittee of the whole on the bill to be on to add a part of Burke to Richmond

clause of the first section of the 4th arti-The bill to be entitled an act to alter cle of the constitution of this state....Mr.

the will on tomorrow move for leave to in-The Senate resolved itself into a com-troduce a bill to a mend the several acts

la number of the inhabitants of Burke The Senate took up the report, and county, which was read and referred o la special committee, consisting of Mess.

Mr. Walker from the committee to The Senate resolved itself into a com-whom was referred the petition of sun-

tax acts now in force, so far as respects The Senate took up the report, which the counties of Fattnall, Bullock, and Montromery, which was received and

county, which was received and read the execution. 1st time.

read the 1st time.

ments.

being read, was ordered to lie on the to appoint the appraisers as aforesaid. table.

again.

was read and agreed to.

1808, which being read, Mr. Scruggs therein contained. moved that the whole of the report be And be it further enacted, That in the following;

prevent the sacrifice of property under directs.

Be it therefore enacted by the Senate Mr. Owens from the committee ap-land House of Representatives in General pointed, reported a bill, to exonerate re-Assembly met, and by the authority of the tailers of spirituous liquors within the same, That it shall be the duty of the town of Milledgeville from paying for sheriffs in the several counties to call county license—which was received and upon and select three respectable freeholders, who being duly sworn, shall The Senate resolved itself into a com-declare the fair and reasonable value of mittee of the whole, on the bill to be enti-the property about to be sold, having tled an act, to alter & amend the fourth & due regard to the date of the contract in fifth sections of the third article of the Judgment, for the nominal value of the constitution of this state—Mr. Walker property exhibited to them for valuation; in the chair—Mr. President resumed research unless said property shall sell for chair, & Mr. Walker reported, that they two thirds of the appraised value thereof, had gone through the same with amend-the same shall not be sold; and when the execution shall issue from a justices' The Senate took up the report, which court, it shall be the duty of the justice

And be it further enacted, That when The Senate resolved itself into althe levyed property shall not be sold for **committee** of the whole, on the bill to want of bidders as aforesaid, it shall be be entitled an act, to amend the 31st the duty of the sheriff or constable, as section of the Judiciary law of this state, the case may be, to return the same to Mr. Owens in the chair—Mr. President the defendant, on his paying the cost, tesumed the chair, and Mr. Owens re-and giving bond with two freeholders of ported progress, and asked leave to set the county, in double the amount of the Execution, conditioned to produce the The Senate took up the report, which property at the place of public sales, on the lawful sale day thereof, as the case The Senate took up the report of the may be, on the plaintiff, agent, or attor- ∞ sommittee of the whole, on the bill to be ney, giving sixty days notice thereof, ∞ entitled an act, to amend an act, entitled on failure thereof, the plaintiff may take an act, to alleviate the condition of debt-an assignment of said bond, and sue the ors—passed the 21st day of December principal and securities for the amount

stricken out from the caption, and insert case the defendant fails to give security as aforesaid, the levyed property shall "Whereas from the peculiar situati-be sold on the next sale day thereafter on of our public affairs at this time, some for what it will bring, and the money to provision should be made, whereby to be paid over to the execution, as the law persons indebted to the State for the Watts (of Tellair) and Williams. purchase of fractional surveys in the late Mr. Davies (of Chatham) then move ceded territory, shall not be compelleded that the following words in the seto pay over to the state, more than one cond section be stricken out, to wit: third of their bonds that have, or may "And all the property of the security respectively become due, before the 25th shall be bound for the balance of the of December, 1810; any thing to the judgment," and on the question to agree contrary notwithstanding."

said amendment, it was determined in ing required, are Yeas 19—Nays 14. the negative, & the Yeas and Nays be- Those who voted in the affirmative ing required, are Yeas 7—Nays 26. | are, Messrs. Barnett, Carter, Davis, (of

are, Messrs. Barnett, Henderson, Jack-Jackson, Lanier, McLendon, Moore, son, Park, Powell, Scruggs, and Stew-Powell, Pray, Reed, Rimson, Spalding,

Those who voted in the negative, are (of Telfair) and Williams. Messrs. Brown, Carter, Davies (of Those who voted in the negative are, Burke), Davis (of Walton), Davies (of Messrs. Brown, Davies, (of Burke) Da-Chatham), Foster, Hammond, Hardee, vis, (of Walton) Hardin, Henderson, Hardin, Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, Hurt, Little, Owens, Park, Runnells, Moore, Owens, Pray, Reed, Rimson, Caruggs, Stewart, Talbot and Walker. Runnells, Spalding Spivey, Talbot, Whereupon the said bill was read the Walker, Watts (of Washington), Watts third time, and on the question, "shall (of Telfair) and Williams.

words "one third" be stricken out in the Yeas and Nays being required, are, 2d section, and the words "one half 'Yeas 22, and Nays 11. be inserted, and on the question to a. Those who voted in the affirmative gree to the same, it was determined in are, Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, the negative, and the Yeas and Nays Davis, (of Walton) Foster, Hardee, Hen-

are Messes. Davies (of Burke), Davies'son, Runnells, Spalding, Spivey, Watts, (of Chatham) Hardin, Murt, Owens (of Washington) Watts, (of Telfair) and Park, Powell, Scruggs, Liewart, Talbot, Williams.

Flesses, Barnett, Brown, Carter, Dav she hatham) Hammond, Hardin, Hurt, (of Wallon), Foster, Hammond, Har Dwens, Park, Scruggs, Stewart, Talbot, dee, Henderson, Jackson, Lanier, Li and Waker.

And be it further created, That the Rimson, Runnells, Spatting, Spivey,

to the same, it was determined in the And on the question to agree to the affirmative, and the Yeas and Nays be-

Those who voted in the affirmative Chatham) Foster, Hammond, Hardie, Spivey, Watts, (of Washington) Watts.

this bill now pass as amended," it was Mr. Walker then moved, that the determined in the affirmative, and the

being required, are Yeas 12-Nays 21. derson, Jackson, Lanier, Little, M'Len-Those who voted in the affirmative don, Moore, Powell, Pray, Reed, Rim-

Walker, and Watts (of Washington.) | Those who voted in the negative are, Those who voted in the negative, are Messrs. Davies, (of Burke) Davies (of

the, M'London, Moove, Pry, Reed, The Senate took up the bill to be en-

titled an act to give further time to the Mr. Walker from the committee ap-Inferior court of Elbert county, to let pointed to take into consideration the the building of the Jail thereof, which petition of William Garrett and Leroy was read the third time and passed un-Hammond, reported a bill to be enutled der the title thereof.

entitled an act to continue in force an at the places therein mentioned. act passed on the 22nd day of Decem- Which was received & readthe first ber, 1808 giving further time to the for time. tunate drawers in the late land Lottery A message from the House of Repreto take out their Grants. Mr. Barneti|sentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. in the chair, Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Barnett reported, that an amendment.

was read and agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read the port of Savannah. the affirmative, and the Yeas and Nays Warren county.

are, Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, lins of Montgomery county, Commissi-Davies, (of Burke) Davies, (of Chat-oners to mark the dividing lines between ham) Foster, Hammond, Hardee, Hurt, said counties. And Jackson, Lanier, Little, M-Lendon, A resolution appointing Thursday Moore, Owens, Park, Reed, Runnels, next for the election of a Senator in Con-Scruggs, Spalding, Spivey, Stawart, Tal-gress, in the place of the hon. John Mil-

Those who voted in the negative are, Surveyor General, with the following a-Messrs. Hardin, Henderson, I'owell and mendment—Strike out "a Senator in Rimson. Congress, in the place of the honorable

Mr. Davies, (of Chatham) from the John Milledge resigned;" and committee appointed, reported on the They have passed the following re-Petition of Samuel Boyd, which wa boludons. read and ordered to lie on the table.

Jesse Sanford, which was read and re-Clark. ferred to a special committee, consisting A resolution appointing Abraham

an act to authorise William Garrett, and The Senate resolved itself into a com-Leroy Hammond, & Walter Leigh and mittee of the whole, on the bill to be Edward Rowell to erect a toll bridge

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have they had gone through the same with concurred in the following resolutions from Senate.

The Senate took up the report, which A resolution appointing Frederick H. Lisenboff, Lumber Measurer for the

third time, and on the question, "shall A resolution appointing Turner Perthis bill now pass," it was determined in sons a Justice of the Inferior court of

being required, are, Yeas 27, Nays 4. | A resolution appointing Arthur Lott. Those who voted in the affirmative Sen. of Tatnall county, and Joseph Col-

bot, Walker, Watts, (of Washington) ledge, recigned, and a Treasurer, Comptroller General, Secretary of State, and Watts, (of Telfair) and Williams.

A resolution on the petition of John Mr. Walker presented a Petition from Selman Tax Collector of the county of

of Messrs. Walker, Park, & Hammond Bessent a Notary Public for the county of Camden—and

A resolution appointing a committee on committee to present to his Excellency county of Elbert—and

A bill to enable the Commissioners of the first time. the Camden county Academy to ascer-! Ordered, that the remainder of said tain and collect the amount of funds, be-message do lie on the table. longing to said institution.

of certain persons therein mentioned. dered to lie on the table.

Richmond Academy, to convey a Lodcomm tree of the whole, on the bill to be to the Baptist Society, and to lay off and entitled an act, to amend an act, for the other range of Lots in the city of Augus-Imore offectually securing the Probate of ra. And

rion of an act respecting bestardy and ostion, which was read and agreed to. ther in anoralities, and the more fully to Whereupon the said bill was read the compower the Inferior cours of the seve-bird time, and passed under the title rel counties in this state to provide for thereof. the maintenance of bastard children.

on the table.

The Senate then adjourned 'till 10 o' read and ordered to lie on the table. lock to-morrow morning.

yesterday from the House of Representime. satives, and agreed to the amendment Mr. Lanier from the committee apmade by the House of Representatives pointed, reported a bill, to amend and to the resolution appointing this day afcontinue in force an act, to point out the 12 o'clock for Elections.

pointing Abraham Bessent a Notary raudulent returns, made by persons not

their part to join such as may be ap-the Governor, the address of both pointed by Senate, to present to his branches of the Legislature, for the re-Excellency the Governor, the join moval of Reuben Lindsay, as a Justice address of both branches of the Legis of the Peace for the county of Elbert, lature for the removal of Reuben Lind and added a committee on their part consay as a Justice of the Peace for the bising of Messrs. Barnett, Davies (of (Burke), and Moore—and the said bills They have passed the following bills continued therein, were severally read

Mr. Moore from the committee on Fi-A bill to alter and change the names nance, reported, which was read and or-

A bill to authorise the Trustees of the The Senate took up the report of the Wills, limiting the time for Executors to A bill to carry into effect the 1st sec-qualify, and Widows to make their elec-

Mr. Lanier from the committee on the Ordered that the said Mescoge do lie state of the republic, reported on the memorial of Zachariah Sims, which was'

Mr. Watts (of Tellair) from the committee appointed, reported a bill, to au-Ithorise Sherwood M'Call to erect a THURSDAY, 23d November, 1809. bridge across the river Great Ogechee, The Senate took up the message of which was received and read the first

mode of rendering void, all grants and They concurred in the resolution ap ther proceedings founded on false and Public for the county of Camden - And mutled to draws in the late land lotteries. In the resolution appointing a joint which was received bore id the 1st time,

The following bills were severally sken up and read the second time.

Church, to a tract of land in Camden state. ounty.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. A bill to define more particularly the diciary of this state. jurisdiction of the Courts of Ordinary and Inferior courts.

A bill to authorise the Superior and roads leading thereto. Inferior courts, and courts of Ordinary of Baldwin county to be held in the State-house in Milledgeville, for the on Harris's neck in M'Intosh county. term of two years.

Ordered for a committee in June next.

A bill to authorise a lottery for the this state. purpose of raising one thousand dollars for the relief of a distressed family.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. Judiciary law of this state.

A bill to authorise the Inferior court of Wayne county, with the clerk and said court.

Ordered for a third reading. And

A bill to prevent the unlawful driving of cattle out of the limits of this state.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. In the county of Jones.

The following bills from the House of Representatives, were severally taken up and read the 2d time, to wit:

A bill to amend the third section of an act, to establish the town of Wrightsborough in Columbia county.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to alter the name of Rebecca Burnett, to that of Rebecca Turner, and lett M'Creary.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to repeal an act, to compensate A bill to quiet the claim of Sylvanus the justices of the Inferior courts of this

Ordered to lie on the table.

A bill to alter the 2d section of the Ju-

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to amend an act, to incorporate Ordered for a committe of the whole. Augusta, and to improve the public

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill for the better regulating fences

Ordered for 3d reading.

A bill to amend an act for the weighing Cotton and other commodities in

Ordered for a committee of the whole. A bill to amend the 26th section of the

Ordered for a committee of the whole. A bill to repeal an act for inflicting sheriff to draw grand and petit jurors for penalties on certain persons therein named so far as respects the banishment lof Stephen Corker.

> Ordered for a committee of the whole. A bill to regulate the town of Clinton

Ordered for 3d reading.

A bill to incorporate Mount Enon Academy.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. A bill for the relief of Thomas B. Sample and Aaron Springfield.

Ordered for a committee of the whole. On motion of Mr. Hammond,

Resolved that the Treasurer and the name of Bartlett King, to that Bart-Comptroller General, be, and they are hereby required, without delay, to lay Ordered for committee of the whole. |before this Legislature a statement of all A bill to establish the site of the pub-freturns of Receivers Books or Colleche buildings in the county of Laurens. tors Eonds which may have been made by the Justices of the Inferior courts off the several counics pointed out as in default for such returns, by a report of the committee of Finance of the last Legis. lature since that time.

Governor, by Mr. Bozeman his secretary.

Mr. President,

His Excellency the Governor has assented to and signed a joint resolution of this day for the election of Treasurer, Comptroller General, Secretary of State and Surveyor General, and has directed me to notify the same to this House, it being the branch in which it originated—and he withdrew.

ra message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President.

sentatives to inform the Senate, that they are now in readiness to receive them in the Representative Chamber, for the purpose of proceeding to the election of solution, to wit: Treasurer, Comparoller General, Secietary of State, and Surveyor General, agreeably to a concurred and approved resolution, and he withdrew.

The Senate then repaired to the Representative Chamber, and being seated, proceeded by joint ballot to the choice of said officers, and on counting out the votes, it appeared that George R. Clayton was dely elected Treasurer, James Bozeman, Comptroller General, Horathe Marbury, Secretary of State, and following resolution. Edmund B. Jenkins, Surveyor General.

Chamber, and took their seats.

morrow morning 10 o'clock.

FRIDAY, November 24th, 1809.

Mr. Runnells presented a memoria from John Bradley, which being read was referred to a special committee A message from his Excellency the consisting of Messrs. Funnells, Barnett and Reed, with power to report by bil or otherwise.

> Mr. Carter presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Jones county, which being read, was referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Carter, M'Lendon and Jackson,

Mr. M'Lendon presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Jones county, which being read, was referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Carter, M'Lendon, and Jackson.

Mr. Spalding presented a petition from I am directed by the House of Repre-Henry Putnam, which being read, was referred to the committee on the state of the republic.

Mr. Barnett moved the following re-

"Resolved that no new business be received in Senate after to-morrow" which was received and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Spalding agreeably to notice introduced a bill to amend an act, to revive and continue in force an act, for the limitation of actions, and avoiding suits in law—which was received and read the 1st time.

Mr. Davies (of Chatham) moved the

"Resolved, That the commissioners The Senate then repaired to their of confiscated estates be and they are thereby required to postpone the sale Tie Senate then adjourned 'till to-of property by them advertised to be had on the ——dry of January next, until the third Floriday of November 1810,"

which was read and ordered to lie on the cd. ble.

lie on the table.

address from the President of the U-led and read the 1st time.

question to agree to the same, it was ties.

Yeas 29—Nays 5.

Those who voted in the affirmative and Williams.

Hardin, and Jackson.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

Resolved, That both branches of the was read and agreed to.

Mr. Jackson from the committee ap-The Senate took up the resolution pointed, reported a bill to amend an act, from the House of Representatives on to alter and amend an act, to establish the petition of John Selman, 'Tax Col-tobacco inspectors at the several places lector of Clarke county, for the year herein-after mentioned, and for improv-1808, which being read was ordered toling the navigation of Broad and Oconec river, so far as respects the navigation Mr. Moore laid before the Senate, an of the Oconee river, which was receiv-

niversity, containing a statement of the Mr. Hogan agreeably to notice, movfunds of said University, which was ed for the appointment af a committee read, and ordered to lie on the table. To prepare and report a bill, to autho-# The Senate again took up the reso-rise the Justices of the Inferior courts ation from the House of Representatof Pulaski and Laurens counties, to lelives, on the petition of John Selman, by and collect an extra tax, for the pur-Tax Collector of Clarke county, for pose of defraying the expenses of runthe year 1808, which being read, on the ining the dividing line between said coun-

determined in the affirmative, and the Ordered, That Messrs. Hogan, Spi-Weas and Nays being required, are, vey, and Watts (of Telfair) be that committee.

The Senate resolved itself into a comare, Messrs. Brown, Carter, Davies mittee of the whole, on the bill to be (of Burke) Davies (of Chatham), Davis, entitled an act, to alter the time of the (of Walton) Hardee, Henderson, Hogan, meeting of the General Assembly of Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, Moore, this state, and to repeal the second sec-Owens, Park, Powell, Pray, Reed, Rim-tion of an act, entitled an act, to reguson, Runnells, Scruggs, Spalding, Spi-late the General Elections of this state, vey, Stewart, Talbot, Walker, Watts, and to appoint the time of the meeting (of Washington) Watts, (of Telfair) of the General Assembly,—passed the 11th February 1799—Mr. Talbot in Those who voted in the negative are the chair—Mr. President resumed the Messrs. Barnett, Foster, Hammond, chair, and Mr. Talbot reported progress, and beg'd leave to set again.

The Senate took up the report, which

General Assembly will convene in the The Senate resolved itself into a Representative Chamber on Monday committee of the whole, on the bill to be ext, at one o'clock, for the purpose of entitled an act, to alter the time of holdelecting a Senator for this State, to the ing the Superior courts in the several Congress of the United States, in the circuits in this state—Mr. Spalding in place of the hon, John Milledge, resign-lihe chair-Mr. President resumed the

chair, and Mr. Spalding reported that Ordered, That Messrs. Park, Walker they had gone through the same with Spalding, Barnett, and Davies (of Chat an amendment.

The Senate took up the report, which was read and agreed to.

the third time, and passed under the oners of the Effingham county Acade title thereof.

a committee of the whole, on the bill to Powell reported, that they had gone be entitled, an act to amend the 31st through the same, and made no amend section of the Judiciary of this state—ment. Mr. Pray in the chair—Mr. President Whereupon the said bill was read resumed the chair, and Mr. Pray report the third time, and passed under the tied the further consideration of said bill the thereof. be postponed 'till June next.

was read and agreed to—and the Yeas incorporate Mount Enon Academy and Nays being required, are, Ayes 23 Mr. Hogan in the chair, Mr. President —Nays 11.

are, Messrs. Carter, Davies, (of Burke)bill without any amendment. Davies, (of Chatham) Davis (of Wal-| The Senate took up the report, which ton) Foster, Hammond, Hardin, Hogan, was read and agreed to. Hurt, Jackson, Little, Park, Pray, Reed, Whereupon the said bill was read the Rimson, Scruggs, Spalding, Spivey, third time, and on the qustion "shall Stewart, Talbot, Walker, Watts, (of this bill now pass?" it was determined Washington) and Watts, (of Telfair). In the negative, and the Yeas and Nays

Those who voted in the negative are, being required, are, Yeas 14-Nays 17. Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Hardee, Hen- Those who voted in the affirmative derson, Lanier, M'Lendon, Moore, lare Messrs. Brown, (Davies of Burke) Owens, Powell, Runnels, and Williams. Davies (of Chatham) Davis (of Walton)

mittee of the whole, on the bill to be en-ling, Spivey, Stewart, Talbot, Walker titled, an act supplemental to the Judi-and Watts (of Telfair.) ciary law now in force, and to establish Those who voted in the negative, are an uniform practice in the courts of this Messrs. Barnett, Carter, Hammond state-Mr. Barnett in the chair-Mr. Hurdin, Henderson, Hurt, Lanier President resumed the chair, and Act Moore, Owens, Park, Powell, Pray Barnett reported, that the bill be recom Reed, Rimson, Runnells, Watts [0] mitted to a select commutee.

The Senate took up the report, which The Senate adjourned 'till to-morrov being read, was agreed to.

ham), be that committee.

The Senate resolved itself into committee of the whole, on the bill to be enti-Whereupon the said bill was read tled an act, to incorporate the commission my—Mr. Powell in the chair—Mr. The Senate again resolved itself into President resumed the chair, and Mr.

The Senate resolved itself into The Senate took up the report, which committee of the whole, on the bill to |resumed the chair, and Mr. Hogan re-Those who voted in the affirmative ported, that they had gone through the

The Senate resolved itself into a com-Foster, Hogan, Little, M'Lendon, Spald

Washington], and Williams.

lmorning 10 o'clock,

On motion of Mr. Foster,

nals of yesterday so far as respects the to dispose of and distribute the late cespassage of the bill to incorporate the sion of Land obtained from the Creek -Mount Enon Academy—ordered, that Nation by the United States, in a treaty said bill lie on the table.

Mr. Lanier notified the Senate, that the 14th day of November, 1805, which he will on Monday next move for leave was received and read the first time. to introduce a bill to be entitled, an act Mr. Owens presented a petition from to amend an act entitled an act to dis-Jesse Ellis, which was read and referpose of the fractional parts of surveys of red to the committee on Finance.

Mr. Park agreeably to notice introdu-teer Companies of this state, praying to ced a bill to be entitled an act to amend be furnished with Ordnance, arms, &c. an act, to appropriate the funds hereto-in the words following:

1st time.

bill, which was read the 1st time.

Mr. Runnells from the committee tollowing resolution. whom was referred the petition of John That his Excellency the Governor be Bradley, reported a bill to be entitled requested upon application to him made an act to afford relief to John Bradley, for that purpose, to give an order to the

court-house and jail in said county.

MTURDAY, 25th November, 1809. Mr. Hammond agreeably to notice, reported a bill to be entitled, an act ex-The Senate re-considered the Jour-planatory of the 13th section of an act, concluded at the City of Washington on

Land set apart for the redemption of the The Senate took up that part of the public debt had in the first Land Lotte-report of the committee, to whom was referred the petition of several Volun-

fore set apart for the redemption of the "That the prayer of the petitioners public debt, which was received & read ought to be granted—and whilst with pleasure they view in different parts of Mr. Davies (of Burke) agreeably to the state Volunteer Companies organinotice, introduced a bill to be entitled an zing themselves with an emulous patriact to alter and amend an act entitled, otic zeal for their country's service, it is an act to regulate and keep in repair with regret they are constrained to say the public roads, causeways and bridg-that their zeal has not been met by a es in the counties of Burke, Jefferson, correspondent conduct on the part of Richmond, Green and Morgan, so far the government. In many parts of the as respects the counties of Burke, Jef-state the Volunteer Companies have no ferson and Richmond, Reported saidlarms, but those furnished by themselves They therefore recommend the fol-

which was received and read first time. Derson having the care of the arms be-Mr. Owens notified the Senate, that longing to this state, directing him to dehe will on Monday next move for a com-liver to the officer commanding the Aumittee to be appointed, to prepare and custa Volunteer Artillery, 30 stand of report a bill to authorize the Inferior Arms and 30 cartouch boxes. To the Court of Baldwin county to levy a coun | fficer commanding the Augusta Ranty tax, and an extra tax for building | ers, 64 stand of arms and 64 cartouch poxes. To the officer commanding the

Augusta Volunteer Blues, 64 stand of Those who voted in the affirmative arms and 64 cartouch boxes, and the are Messrs. Davies (of Burke), Hamsame being read, on the question, was mond, Hardee, Hogan, Lanier, Moore, determined in the negative, and the Park, Powell, Pray, Rimson, Spalding, Yeas & Nays being required, are, Yeas Stewart, Talbot, Walker, and Williams. 5---Nays 26.

are Messrs. Davies (of Burke) Ham-Hardin, Henderson, Hurt, Little, Mt mond, Powell, Stewart, and Walker.

Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, Davis Watts (of Telfair.) [of Walton], Foster, Hardee, Hardin, There being an equal number, the Henderson, Hogan, Hurt, Lanier, Lit-President decided in favor of the report tle, M'Lendon, Moore, Owens, Park, as amended. Pray, Reed, Rimson, Runnells, Scruggs, The Senate took up the report of the Spalding, Talbot, Watts (of Washing-committee on the state of the republic, ton), Watts [of Telfair], and Williams. on the three following resolutions, viz:

as follows:

pany of Richmond county. And

the Governor be requested, upon appli-the same is hereby disapproved by the cation to him made, for that purpose, to Legislature of this state, and that the purchase a similar piece of Ordance for Senators and Representatives in Conevery company which shall be organi-gress from this state in the Congress of zed in this state.

In each and every case, the officer pose the said alteration. receiving the Ordnance to be held re- Resolved, that his Excellency the sponsible that proper care shall be taken Governor be requested to transmit a coof them, and that they shall be returned py of the foregoing Resolution to each to the state when called for.

it was determined in the affirmative, Executive of each state. and the Yeas and Nays being required, Resolved, that the alteration proposed are Yeas 15.... Nays 15.

Those who voted in the negative, are Those who voted in the affirmative, Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, Foster. Lendon, Owens, Reed, Runnells. Those who voted in the negative, are Scruggs, Watts [cf Washington] and

The Senate took up the remainder of Resolved, that the alteration proposed the report, which was amended to read to the constitution of the United States by a resolution of the General Assem-Resolved, That His Excellency the bly of the State of Virginia, passed the Governor be also requested to have pur- 13th day of Janury, 1808, in the followchased, out of the contingent fund, two ing words: "That the Senators in the pieces of Brass Ordnance, of three Congress of the United States, may be pounds Calabre. The one for the use of removed from office by the vote of a mathe Artillery of Jefferson county, and theliority of the whole number of the memother for the use of the Artillery com-bers of the respective State Legislatures by which the said Senators have Resolved also, that his Excellency|been or may be appointed," Be, and the United States be requested to op-

of the Schators and Representatives in On the question to agree to the same, Congress from this state, and to the

to the constitution of the United States,

ga resolution of the state of Massa-Constitution of the United States, that jusetts, passed the 20th June, 1809, an impartial tribunal may be establish. ds tollowing:

bllowing article to be proposed by the existing difficulties."

m Embargo, or for prohibiting com-sche said alteration. and the same is hereby disapproved by tive of each state. the Legislature of this State, and that Which being severally read, to oppose the said alteration.

Congress, and to the Executive of each was agreed to, and is as follows: state.

by the Governor of that State, the 3d to submit the following report. day of April, 1309, in the words follow- Whilst the committee view the just ing:

ad approved by the Governor, in the ed to determine disputes between the General and State Governments; and Resolved, That the Senators of that they be further instructed to use Commonwealth, in the Congress of their endeavours, that in the mean while he United States be instructed, and the such arrangements may be made bedepresentatives thereof requested to tween the Government of the Union, se their best endeavors to cause the and of this state as will put an end to

wo Houses of Congress to the legis. Be and the same is hereby disapprovatures of the several states, as an a-led by the Legislature of this State, and pendment to the Constitution of the U-that the Senators and Representatives in the Congress of the United States. "No law shall be enacted for laying from this state, be requested to oppose

merce for a longer period than until the Resolved, That his Excellency the expiration of thirty days from the com-Governor be requested to transmit copies mencement of the sesion of Congress of the foregoing Resolution to each of the gest succeeding that session, in which benators and Representatives in Consuch law shall have been enacted," Be, gress from this state, and to the Execu-

the Senators and Representatives in Resolved, that the 2d and 3d resoluti-Congress from this state, be requested ons be agreed to, and the 1st to lie on the table.

Resolved, That his Excellency the They also took up a further report of Covernor be requested to transmit a the committee on the state of the recopy of the foregoing resolution to each public, relative to the establishment of of the Senators and Representatives in a Penitentiary, and the same being read,

The committee on the state of the re-Resolved, That the amendment pro-public to whom was referred so much of posed to the Constitution of the United the communication of his Excellency states, by a resolution of the General As-line Governor, as relates to the estamiles of Pennsylvania, and approved blishment of a Penitentiary, take leave

proportion between crimes and their "Resolved, that our Senators in punishment, as among the most impor-Congress be instructed, and our Repre-tant features of a free government; and sentatives requested to use their influ-whilst they believe that the condition of nce to procure an amendment to the those unfortunate misguided citizens

who may at any time violate the laws of state, they are of opinion, that for wan society, might be ameliorated by the revision of funds, it is inexpedient at this time sion of our Penal Code, & the establish-commence the building of a Penitential ment of a Penitentiary. It is with deep ry, and the consequent revision of our regret they are constrained reluctantly Penal Code.

Treasurer's abstract, and from a pros-nance was also taken up, read & agreed

pective view of the resources of the to, and is as follows:

The committee of Finance report, that they have carefully examined the state of the Treasury, and with satisfaction announce, that they find the books and accounts of the department to have been fairly, neatly, and correctly kept; they have compared the Treasurer's abstract with the Comptroller General's statement, and find them to agree, except in two small items, in which the Treasurer's books and abstract account for the receipt, in the political year 1809, of nine dollars ten cents, more than has been charged to him by the Comptroller General. They have examined all the items contained in the abstract, and find the same to agree in every particular. They have also examined the Yazoo deposit, and find the different packages as sealed up under the hands of a former committee, to be complete and entire as follows:

Yazoo Deposit—Return Orders taken in by John Berrien,	63,423 87 1-3
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Ditto S 7684:53	
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20,473:46 S-	-4
President and Speaker's Warrants, • • • 9031:23	
President of Convention's Warrants, 68:00	
A joint and approved Resolution, - 574:50 3	4 59.147 20 1-2
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6 2 of dis. 50 ea. 100; (
7 297 of dls. 30 ca. 8910 : 0	1;
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		500,000	(nî.

And that they left the scaled Factages belonging to the Yazoo deposit in the me situation in which they idea diem.

Your committee focommend that this report, with the general Abstract of e Treasurer be entered on the Journals. [For Treasurer's Abstract, see exa sheet.

The report of the committee to whom ture cannot consistently with the fundaas referred the petition of Samuel mental principles of the government inoyd of Camden county was read and terfere in the present or any other cases greed to, and is as follows: of a like nature.

The committee to which was refer- Mr. Williams from the committee red the petition of Samuel Boyd of ported a bill to be entitled an act, to aamden county; Respectfully Report, mend the 5th section of an act, to sell & That upon a view of memorialist's dispose of the fractional parts of surveys se as presented by his memorial, and in Baldwin and Williamson counties, e acts of confiscation and banishment which was received and read the first this state, they perceive no ground or time.

inciple which operates to prevent the Mr. Hogan from the committee reid memorialist or any ortizen of this ported a bill to authorise the Inferior the from proceeding against the pro-courts of Laurens and Pulaski counties sty of persons named on the said acts to levy an extra tax for the purpose of confiscation and banishment, when defraying the expenses of running the **E** same may be found within the in-dividing line between said counties diction of any of the courts of this which was received and read the first ite; but as the question resulting from time.

coccurrence of circumstances, such. The following bills were severally tae properly cognizable by the judicial ordered for committee of the whole.

are stated in the said memorial, is ken up and read the second time, and

partment of the government, the com- A bill to amend an act, to revive and titee are of opinion, that the Legisla-continue in force an act, for the limitatian of actions

Abill to authorise William Garre and Leroy Ham . od, and Walter Leggs and Edward Rowell to creet tell bridge es at the places therein mentioned.

A bill to amend and continue in force an act, to point out the mode of render ing void all grants and ct or pasceed, ings founded on false and franchise returns.

A bill to authorise Sharwood MrC. to erect a toll bridge.

mond county.

A bill to amend the tax acts now it force, so far as respects the counties commend of the Superior court, for said Tattnall, Bullock, and Montgomery.

A bill to authorise James Smith to A bill to be entitled an act for the bet collect taxes due in Camden county for her regulating fences on Harris's ned the year 1802.

pecting bastardy and other immoralities in act, entitled an act, to incorporate And,

A bill to alter and amend an act, to leading thereto. And, establish Tobacco Inspections at the A bill to be entitled an act, for the bet places therein mentioned, and for miles regulation and government of the proving the navigation of Browl and O- own of Chaton in the county of Jones. conee rivers, so far as respects the navigation of the Oconee rives.

The following bills were severally taked up and read the second time, and ordered for a third reading.

A bill to authorise the Trustees of the Richmond Academy to convey a lot to Governor, by Mr. Bozeman his secretathe Baptist Society, and to lay off and ther range of lots in the city of Augusta

A bill to exonerate recallers of spire tuous liquors in Milledgevine from paying county license.

A bill to earble the commissioners of the Camlen Ac demy to ascertain an collect the amount of funds of said ins thuon. And,

A bill to after and change the ram of creain paymens therein mentioned The following bills were several sen up, read the third time, and pas ed under their respective titles.

Abilito be enailed an act, to esta is the site of the public buildings in He county of Laurens, and to approfit as the monies aroung from the sales

A full to be entitled an act, to author the usuans of the inferior court of A bill to add a part of Eurle to Ricaline country of Wayne, with the clerk and satisfied said county to draw grant and petit jurors for the next cusuing konntv.

in the county of MIntosh.

A bill to carry into effect an act, res- A bill to be entitled an act, to amene Augusta, and improve the public roads

> The Senate then adjourned unit Rionday morning 10 o'clock.

MONDAY, 27th November, 1809. A message from his Excellency the

Mr. President,

His Excellency the Governor has aproved of a concurred resolution fizing m this day at one o'clock for the lection of a Senator from this state, in e Congress of the United States, in place of the Honorable John Mik die, resigned; and has directed to not this branch of the General Assemmend Hospital Society. And he withby thereof, it being the branch in lrew. which it originated; and be withdrew

The Honorable David McCormick, alon the table. Sena or elect from the county of Mont- Mr. Lanier moved the following regomery, attended, produced his creden-solution: United States being administered topplace for the erection of a Government him, took his seat.

F Mr. Talbot presented a petition from one or more persons to confract, as his Joseph Anthony, which being read was Excellency may think proper, to carry referred to a special committee, consist into effect the busing Moresald. And Ing of Messrs. Talbot, Barnett and Lit- Be it further Resolved, that the sum

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. To lie on the table.

Mr. President,

passed the following bills:

this state, so far as relates to the Caval-of the Constitution of this state; which

militia duty.

A bill for the relief of certain wharf-being required, are, Yeas 19. Nays 14. holders in the City of Savannah.

Mills.

crime of horse stealing, &c.

A bill to divide the county of Wilkin-Telfair) and Williams.

of the Judiciary, passed the 9th of Fe-Scruegs, Stewart, Walker, and Watts. bruary, 1797; and

incorporate the Savannah Poor-Houseljority, the bill was lost.

Ordered, that the said message do lie

tell, and the usual oath to support the Resolved, that His Excellency the (enstitution of this state and that of the Governor be requested to point out the House, and to contract wall, or appoint

of —— doll irs be appropriated for that A Message from the House of Re-purpose; which was read and ordered

The Exhate took up the report of the The House of Representatives have committee of the whole on the bill to be lentitled an act to alter and amend the A bill to amend the Millitia Laws of 4th and 5th sections of the third article being read was agreed to.

A bill for the relief of all ordained. Whereupon the said bill was read the Ministers of the Gospel, so far as residing time, and on the question "shall prints their serving as jurors or doing this bill now pass," it was determined in the negative, and the yeas and nays

Those who voted in the affirmative A bill to authorise Zachariah Simms are, Messrs. Carter, Davis, (of Walton) to erect a bridge over the Oconee at his Foster, Hammond, Hardee, Hardin, Henderson, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon; A bill more effectually to punish the Cornack, Powell, Reed, Rimson, Kunnells, Spalding, Talbot, Watts, (of

son, and to form one other new county. Those who voted in the negative, are A bill to make permanent the site of Mesors. Barnett, Brown, Davies (of the public buildings in Morgan'county. Burke) Davies (of Chathem), Hogan, A bill to alter and amend the 83d sec. Furt, Moore, Owens, Park, Pray, (of Washington).

A bill to amend and explain an act to There not being a Constitutional ma-

The Senate resolved itself into a com- the public buildings of said county of mittee of the whole on the bill to be en Camden.

Moore in the chair; Mr. President re-titled an act, to repeal an act, to comon the question, "Shall this bill now with an amendment. pass?" it was determined in the affir- . The Senate took up the report, and mative; and the year and mays being the amendment was agreed to. required, are, Yeas 22. Nays 9.

Those who you i in the affirmative land passed under the title thereof. are, Messra. Brown, Carter, Pavies (oi) Ordered, that Messrs. Owens, Brown. Burke) Hardee, Harden, Henderson, and Carter, be a committee, to pre-Hogan, Lanier, M Levelon, MK ormick, pare & report a bid, empowering the In-Moore, Park, Emson, Panaells, Spald-ferior court of Baldwin county to raise ing, Scragge, Stewart, Tabot, Walker, a county and extra tan for the purpose Waits (!! Washington), Waits (of Tel-of building a court-house and jail in said Lir) and Williams.

Messrs. Barnett, Davis (of Chatham), ley was taken up and read the second Foster, Hammond, Hurt, Little, Owens, time. Powell and Pray.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be mend an act, entitled an act, to approentitled an act to quiet the claim of Syl-priate the funds heretofore set apart for vanus Church; Mr. Hardin in the the redemption of the public debt, was whair; Mr. Fresident resumed the chair, read 2d time. and Mr. Hardin reported, that they had Ordered for committee of the whole. gone through the same with amendments.

the amendments being read were agreed of land obtained from the Creek Nation.

Whereupon the said bill was read the Ordered for a committee of the whole.

titled an act for the relief of Thos. B. The Senate resolved itself into a com-Sample and Airon Springfield; Mr. mittee of the whole, on the bill to be ensumed the chair, and Mr. Moore report-pensate the just cus of the Inferior court ed, that they had gone through the bild-IIr. Pray in the chair, Mr. President and made no macadizent. Whereup-fresumed the chair, and Mr. Pray reporton the bill was read the 3d time, and d, that they had gone through the same

Whereupon the bill was read 3d time,

county.

Those who voted in the negative, are, The bill for the relief of John Brad-

Ordered for committee of the whole. The bill to be eniitled an act, to a-

The bill to be entitled an act, explanatory of the 13th section of an act, to dis-The Senate too up the report, and pose of, and distribute the late cession was taken up and read the second time.

3d time and passed under the title of a The bill to be entitled an act, to abill to quiet the claim of Sylvanus mend the proviso in the 5th section of Church to so much of a tract of land an act, entitled an act, to sell and dislying and being on the Great Satilla in pose of the fractional parts of surveys of the county of Camden, as has been laid and in the counties of Eclawin and officer the town of Jenterson, the stat of Wilkinson, was taken up and read the

2d times

The bill to author se the Justices of sentatives, by Mr. Holt their clerk. the Inferior courts of Laurens and Pulaski counties to levy an extra tax, to I am directed to inform the Senate defray the expense of running the divi-that the House of Representatives are ding lines between the said counties, now in readiness to receive them in the was taken up and read the 2d time.

counties of Burke, Jefferson, Richmond, And he withdraw. Greene and Morgan, so far as respects The Senate then repaired to the Re-Richmond, was read 2d time.

Joseph Anthony, which was read and daly elected. referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Talbot, Bar-Chamber, and took their seats. nett, and Little, be that committee.

On Motion of Mr. Scruggs.

Resolved, That William King and remainder of the present session. John Boston, jr. be and they are hereby The Senate adjourned 'till to-morrow appointed Lumber Measurers for the morning 10 o'clock. port of Savannah.

The Senate took up the resolution Frequiring the commissioners of confisca-

Mr. Foster from the committee on ber of the House of Representatives. nrolled bills, reported, That they enalined, found correct, and signed by the The Senate chose the Honble John Speaker, an act, to give further time to Davies [of Burke] their President pro the Inferior court of Elbert county, to leaftern. the building of the jail thereof.

Wh. reupon the President of the Se-presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

mate signed said act.

llency the Governor for his revision.

Ordered for committee of the whole. A message from the House of Repres

Mr. President,

Representative Chamber, for the pur-Ordered for committee of the whole pose of proceeding to the election of a The bill to be entitled an act, to alter Senator from this State in the Congress. and amend an act, entitled an act, to resofthe United States, in place of the bon, gulate and keep in repair the public John Milledge, resigned, agreeably to a roads, causeways, and bridges, in the concurred and approved resolution.—

the counties of Burke, Jefferson, and presentative Chamber, and being sented, proceeded by joint ballot to said electi-Ordered for committee of the whole, on, and on counting out the tickers, it Mr. Talbot presented a petition from appeared that the hon. Charles Tait was

The Senate then returned to their

On Motion,

Mr. Pray had leave of absence the

Monday, 3 o'clock.

ted estates to postpone the sales of lands. The Senate met for the sole purpose advertised for sale in January next, and of joining in the tunural procession of the same being read, was agreed to. Mr. Thomas Gilbert, a deceased mem-

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President,

Ordered, That the committee of on- I am directed to inform the Senate. allment do carrry said act to His Excel-that the House of Representatives is in readiness to receive them to attend the Tic committee as the petition of funeral procession of Thomas Gilbert, Drury Williams report, that for want of Est deceased.

procession accordingly.

TUESDAY, 28th November, 1809.

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of vestor by, so far as respects the reso-same with amendments. Iulion appointing William King and The Sinate took up the report, and Joan Biston, June. Lumber Measurers the amendments were read, amended & for the port of Savannah.

table.

Mr. Brown presented a petition from act to account the tax acts in this state. David Maddox, which being read, was The Schate resolved heelf into a referred to a special committee consist-committee of the whole on the bill to be ing of Messrs. Brown, Owens, & Watts entitled an act to as and me third secti-(of Washington), with power to report on of an out, entitled an act to establish by bill or otherwise.

pointed, reported a bill to be emitted an instabilitants thereof in their rights to act, to add a part of the county of Jones certain hands of proprieted to their beneto the county of Randolph, which was fit, and to incomparate the same, passed received and read the first time.

Wilter Munnelly and James F. Mun-lite chair, and W. Hardin reported, nelly, which being read, was referred to chartiley had gone through the bill withthe committee on Petitions.

Mr. Owens from the committee ap- The laft was read the third time and pointed, reported a bill to authorise the passed under the foregoing title.

Inferior court of Maldwin's anty to levy an extra tax for the purposes thereinimittee of the whole on the bill to be enmentioned, which was received and read to alter the names of Rebecthe 1st time.

the committee on the petition of Drury Bartlett MCreary-1. t. Fowell in the Williams, which being read, was agreed chair-his President resumed the chair to, and is as follows:

vouchers, they are unable to form an o Wherespon the Senate joined the pinion on the propriety of the request of the retition.

The Senate resolved itself into a com. mittee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act, to amend the tax acts now in force, so far as respects the counties of Tattnall, Bullock and Montgomery— On motion of Mr. Davies (of Chat-Mr. Foster in the chair; Mr. President resusted the chair and Mr. Foster re-The Senate reconsidered the Journal board, that they had gone through the

agreed to. Whereupon the said bill Ordered, That the same do lie on the was read the third time and passed under the title of a bill to be entitled an

the town of Wrightsborough in the Mr. Carter from the committee ap-country of Colombia, and to secure the loa the 19th of F.S. 1709; Mr. Hardin Mr. Barnett presented a petition from in the chair-ile. President resumed

jout any amendment.

lea Burnet to that of hebecca Turner,

Bir. lackson called up the report of and the name of Darriet King to that of land hir. Fowell reported that they had

through the same without any committee of the whole, on the bill to hdment. be entitled, an act to amend an act to The bill was read the third time and regulate the weighing of Cotton and the question, "shall this bill now other commodutes in this state. Bir. iss," it was determined in the above Harnet in the chair. Her. President renative, and the Yeas and Nays being sumed the chair, and Mr. Barnet reportmuired, are Yeas 20. Nays 4. ed, that they had gone through the Those who voted in the affirmative, same, and recommend that the fure Messrs. Brown, Davies (of Burke) ther consideration of this bill be postpowies (of Chatham) Davis (of Walton) ned until the first Monday in June

ster, Henderson, Hogan, Hurt, Jack-mext. Lanier, Little, M'Cormick, & Len- The Senate took up the report, and Vatts (of Telfair) and Williams.

lin and Reed.

on of the Judiciary of this state. Mr. Washington) and Williams. Lanier in the chair. Mr. President ıgain.

The Senate resolved itself into a comith amendments.

The Senate took up the report and he amendments were agreed to.

Ordered that the report do lie on the it was determined in the affirmative.

on, Moore, Owens, Park, Powell, Kim on the question to agree to the same, it on, Scruggs, Spalding, Stewart, Tal-was determined in the affirmative; and iot, Walker, Watts, (of Washington) the Yeas and Nays being required, are Yeas 21, Nays 9.

Those who voted in the negative, Those in the affirmative, are Messrs. he Messrs. Barnett, Hammond, Har-Barnet, Brown, Carter, Davis (of Walton) Davies, (of Chatham) Foster, Har-The Senate resolved itself into a com-|dee, Hogan, Hurt, Jackson, M'Lendon, nittee of the whole on the bill to be en-Owens, Park, Reed, Rimson, Spalding, itled, an act, to amend the 26th secti-Stewart, Talbot, Walker, Watts (of

Those in the negative are, Messrs. esumed the chair, and Mr. Lanier re-Davies (of Burke) Hardin, Henderson, ported progress and had leave to set Lanier, M'Cormick, Moore, Powell, Scruggs and Watts (of Telfair.)

The Senate resolved itself into a fittee of the whole on the bill to be committee of the whole, on the bill to ntitled an act to alter that part of the be entitled an act to repeal an act entisecond section of the Judiciary, past the tled an act for inflicting penalties on 6th of February 1799, so far as re-pertain persons therein named, so far as ects the time for holding the Inferior respects the banishment of Stephen purts of the county of Warren. Mr Torker. Mr. Hogan in the chair. Mr. ark in the chair; her. President resum-President resumed the chair, and Mr. d the chair, and Mr. Park reported Hogan reported, that they had gone iat they had gone through the bill brough the same without any amendment.

> The bill was read a third time, & on the question, "shall this bill now pass,"

A message from the House of Repre-The Senate resolved itself into alsentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk.

Mr. President,

which relates to the appointment o The House of Representatives have William King and John Boston, jung passed a resolution discount tie com Lumber Masurers for the port of Sa missioners of coldinated esistes to be seven man, and the resolution authorising pone the sale of a Lot in Savannah, said appointment being read, was a claimed by John Harrison—and mended and agreed to as follows: 🔞

A resolution appointing a countitied. It sorved, That William King and on their part to join such as my bring for it closton, jr. be and they are hereby pointed by Senate, to prepare and report appointed Lumber Measurers for the a bill to point out the tenare by winch port of Cavannah, provided that they lands are, or hereafter may be held in the s. al William King at d John Bos. that part of the state colled Wallord's ion, s. all, before they enter upon the dudes of their said appointment, besettlement—and

They have passed a bill to divorce come residents of the City of Savannah. William Sorrow and Priscilla has whe A me sage from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. -and he withdrew. Tir. President,

Ordered that the said message do lie on the table.

The House of Representatives have The Senate resolved itself into a passed a bill to encourage the Female committee of the whole, on the bill to Asylum of Savaniah. And he withbe entitled an act to amend an act, to drew.

revive and continue in force an act for Ordered, That the said message do the limitation of actions, and the avoid-lie on the table.

ing suits at law. Air. Little in the Air. Spalling presented a memorial chair. Mr. President recumed the from Col. Thaddeus Holt, which was chale, and Mr. Little reported, that read, and referred to a special committhey had made progress and requestiee, consisting of Messrs. Spalding, Barheet, and Foster, to report by bill or oleave to set again.

The Senate took up the report, which there is e. was agreed to.

to-morrow morning.

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WEDNESD IY, 29th Nov. 1869. Mr. Fester from the committee on whom the reference the periods of De ! vid Maddox, rejected a bill to be en titled, an act or the relief of him d Mart! dor, which has received and read the vas presented to, and signed by the 1s' time.

tan foruge called un the rooms detailor of the Journal c. yestile.

Mr. Owens from the committee ap-The Senate adjourned all 10 o'clock pointed, reported a bill to appropriate the monies arising from lifteen 20 acre lors in the town or common of Milledge, halle.

Idr. Brown from the complitude to problement, reported as any amount has signed by the backer, an act to concorate the conmissioners of the reademy of Lahngham county, which irestdeut.

> Onlere I, That the committee do car-The said set to his little liency the Go-. Carlor for attack town,

he will on to-morrow move for a com-pointed Mesors. Barnett, Hammond, mittee to be appointed to prepare and Park, Hardin, and M'Cormick, a comreport a bill to aher and change the mittee on their part. name of the town of Milled, earle.

whom was recommitted the bill to be pursue such measures as he may think entitled an act, supplemental to the Judi proper for the recovery of the sum of cial law in force, and to establish andolls. 4538: 38 cts. due by John Eeruniform practice in Superior and In-rien, esquire, former Treasurer to the ferior courts of this state, reported a Treasury of this state. And, bill under the above title, which was In the resolution requiring the comreceived and read the 1st time.

following resolution.

Lagislature, that no power ought to be contract for the printing of the Laws, vested in a Degislature to alter the Concurred Resolutions, and Journals Constitution, (that instrument forming of the present session, reported, which the only rule for their government), the was ordered to lie on the table. formation of which rule of government On motion of Mr. Jackson, does solely belong to the people, and Whereas, there remains a number of can only properly be exercised by them the Digests of the Laws of this state in or their representatives in Convention. the different counties, deposited with

from Eliza Irvine and others, which the state; was read and referred to a special com- And whereas it appears that a nummittee, consisting of Messrs. Walker ber of the civil officers of the counties of Lanier, and Hammond.

titions, reported on the petition of Need-Yelfar, and Wayre, have never been ham Bryant and Josiah Drew, and the furnished with sa d books, as the officers petition of sundry inhabitants of Jones's other counties have; county, which was read and ordered to Ee it therefore resolved by the Selie on the table.

the House of Representatives, and con- le is hereby audiorised and required to curred in the resolution appointing a call in as many of said Digest as will committee on their part, to join such as furnish the different officers not heremay be appointed by Senate, to report a colore provided for in the aforesaid bill to be entitled an act, to point out the counties with one, and distribute them tenure by which lands are, or may here las heretofore done to other counties, after be held in that part of this state, which being read,

Mr. Owens notifies the Senate, that called Wafford's settlement, and ap-

They have concurred in the resoluti-Mr. Park from the committee tolon that his Excellency the Governor

missioners of confiscated property to Mr. Hammond laid on the table the postpone the sale of a lot of land in the town of Savannah.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Mr. Jackson from the committee to

Fir. Walker presented a petition the clerks to make sale of in behalf of

Morgan, Randolph, Putnam, Jones. Mr. Hurt from the committee on pe-Baldwin, Wilkinson, Laurens, Pulaski,

hate and House of Representatives. The Senate took up the message from that has Excellency the Governor be, & Orlars I to He on the tible.

The Bornto resolved it on into a compand Warts (of Terfair.) w. Fort any amendment.

\$ 1 time, and passed tables the speed bird time, and goosed under the tide

i. title.

The Senato resolve lite. If into a committee of the whole, on the bill to be easthered of the whole on the lill to be easthered tilled on act, to amend and communitated an act to and onse James South force an act, entitled an act, to sometion to collect takes doe in Canadan for 1802 the mode of realering void, all granes, and Mr. Seewast to the chair; M. Sie and or other proceedings founded on this object, recumed the class and Mr. Stowof frinduled retains, made by norsons are is sorted, that they had gone that not enobled to draws in the life limitally state without any amonthment. losteries in this state—Mr. Foster in The bill was taken up and read the

the cheer; M. President resumed the blind time, and passed under the title chair, and Mr. Hoser resoned, the furthereof.

ther consideration of this bill be post- The Senate resolved itself into a componed until Jane next.

Less 15-Nays S.

Those who voted in the affirmative, state - provide for the maintenance of are Blessrs. Barnett, Drown, Carter foastard clothen; Mr. Walker in the Davies (of Burke), Davies (of Chat-schair; Mr. President resumed the Lam), Davis (of Walton), Foster, Ham-Jeasir and Mr. Walker reported, that mond, Hardin, Henderson, Normalthey and gone through the same Wine Liurt, Linde, M'Cormick, M'London, but any amendment.

Owens, Reed, Ramson, Rusnels, Thebiliwas tak n up and read the Seruggs, Spading, Stewart, Talberghird time, and on the gaustion, "Chall Watter and Widlams.

Those who voted in the negative, are in the unimmitve, and the year and may of Liesers. Jackson, Lamer, havore, Park, being required, are, Meds Ly. Mays 2.

Powell, Spiver, Watts (of Washington)

mittee of the whole on the bill to be en- The Senate resolved itself into a comdided an act, to comparise William Gar bridge of the whole on the bill to authore to all lenor Hammond, and Wellerland Sherwood Mrdall to erect a bridge Leigh and Ed and Marvell to erect touliones the river Great Oceance at High brilles at the places parton more out dishly her. Dernot in the chair; Mr. Mr. Talbot in the coole; Mr. Prisident for eddent result in the chair, and she. resurced the chair, & Mr. T. Potreoort | Ernen rejeated, that they had gone e I that they had gone tenous Is the same arong a the some armout any amendmu t.

The bill was taken up on 1 rend that the bill was taken up and rend the

Michigan.

mittee of the whole, on the bill to be en-The Senate took up the report, and titled an act, to carry into cheer me 1st on the question to agree to the same, insection of an act, enabled, an act response was determined in the affirmative, anding Pastardy and other immorabiles, & the Yeas and Kays being required, are the more fully to empower the Interior Courts of the several counties in this

quis bil now pass?" it was determined

Those who voted in the affirmative, mittee of the whole on the bill to be enfair) and Williams.

Messrs. Hogan and Powell.

read the third time and passed under amendment. their respective titles, to wit;

A bill to be entitled an act to author-was agreed to. ize the trustees of the Richmond Aca-| Whereupon the bill was read a third lots in the City of Augusta.

A bill to be entitled an act to alter & required, are Yeas 22. Nays 10. change the names of certain persons Those who voted in the affirmative, therein mentioned.

wine, cider or beer. And the amount of the funds belonging to Hogan, Jackson, Park, Scruggs, and said institution.

The Senate resolved itself into a comfitled an act to define more particularly entitled an act, to amend an act, entitled ported progress and had leave to sed Ar. Moore reported, that they had gone

The Senate resolved itself into a com-ment.

are, Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, titled an act to amend an act entitled an Davies (of Chatham), Davis (of Wal-act to alter and amend an act, to estaton), Foster, Hammond, Hardin, Hen-bish Tobacco Inspections at the sevederson, Hurt, Jackson, Lanier, Little, ral places herein after mentioned, and M. Lendon, M. Cormick, Moore, Owens, for improving the navigation of Broad Park, Rimson, Runnells, Scruggs, Spi-river and Occide river, passed the 15th vey, Spalding, Stewart, Talbot, Walker, day of February, 1799, so far as res-Watts (of Washington), Watts (of Tel-peets the navigation of the Oconce river; Mr. Davies (of Chatham) in the E Those who voted in the negative, are, chair; Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Davies reported, that they had * The following bills were severally gone through the same without an

The Senate took up the report, which

demy to convey a lot to the Baptist So-time, and on the question "shall this ciety, and to lay off another range of bill now pass?" it was determined in the affirmative, & the year and mays being

lare, Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Davics A bill to be entitled an act to exone-(of Chatham), Davis, (of Walton), rate the citizens within the town of Mil-Foster, Henderson, Hurt, Lanter, Litledgeville from paying for county li-tle, MLendon, Facote, Owens, Powcence for retailing spirituous liquors, ell, Keed, Rimson, Runnells, Spalding, Spivey, Stewart, Tabot, Watts, (of A bill to be entitled an act to enable Washington), and Watts, (of Telfair). the Commissioners of the Camden coun- Those who voted in the negative, are

ty Academy to ascertain and collect Messrs. Carter, Hammond, Hardin, Wilhams.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be en-mittee of the whole, on the bill to be the jurisdiction of the courts of Ordina-, an act, to appropriate the finds heretory and Inferior Courts; Mr. Hender-sfore set apart for the redemption of the son in the chair; Mr. President resum-public debt-Mr. Moore in the chair; ed the chair, and Mr. Henderson re-Mr. President resumed the chair, and through the same without any amendThe bill was taken up and read the the first time, viz.

third time and passed under the forego-

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The Lengte resolved itself into a com-of this state. mittee of the whole, on the bill to be entilled an act to amend the proviso in the the county of Williason, and to form fill section of an act charled an act to one other new county. self and dispose of the fractional parts. A bill to be entitled, an act to amend of surveys of Land in the counties of and explain an act, entitled an act to in-Estimin and Wilkinson. Mr. Powell|corporate the Savannoli Poor House in the chair. Mr. President resumed and Hospital Society, passed Dec. 10, the chair and Mr. Poweil reported, that 1803. they had made progress, and requested Abill to be entitled an act for the releave to set again in June next.

The Senal took up the report, which of Savannah.

was read and agreed to.

that purpose, reported a bill to pointistate, and to repeal the 8th and 10th out and define the tenure by which lands sections of an act entitled an act to alare to be held in that part of this state, ter and amend the several militia Laws called Wahord's settlement, which was of this state, & to organize the Cavalry. read the first time.

Mr. Foster from the committee on Prischia his wife. enrolled bills reported, as duly enrolled A bill to be entitled an act to give reand signed by the Speaker, An actilist to all Ordained Ministers of the to establish the site of the public build-Gospel so far as respects their serving ings in the county of Laurens, and tolas juvers or doing Militia duty. appropriate momes arising from the A bill to be emuled an act to author-Swith Lois.

An act to amend an act entitled an over the Ocome at his mills. act to incorporate Augusta and improve A bill to be entitled an act more efthe public roads in the neighbourhoodifectually to punish the crime of horsethereof-and

An act for the relief of Thomas D. Sample and Daron Springfield-which permanent the the of the public buildwere severally presented to, and signed higs in program county at the town of by the President.

Ordered, that the committee do carry and the said acts to his Execulency the Go- Abill to be entitled an act, to alter & vernor for his revision.

The several messages from the passed the mil of February, 1797. The House of Re; resentet ves were taken. The bilitable entided an act, to au-

A bill to be enrished an act to compile and arrange the Laws and Resolutions

A bill to be entitled, an act to divide

llief of certain whar-holders in the chy

A bill to be entitled an act to alter and Mr. Barnett, from the committee for amend the several raditia Laws of this

A bill to diverse Vi attum Sorrow and

lise Lachar an Dimms to erect a budge

stealing.

A bill o be entitled an act to make Madison, and to moon orate the same.

amend the 33d section of the Indiciary,

up, and the sollowing bins were readidionise the includious of the Interior court

was taken up and read the 2d time.

Ordered for a third reading.

county of Randolph, was taken up and Barnett, be that committee. read the 2d time.

John Alberton, which was read and re-wit: ferred to the committee on the state of the republic.

whom was referred the petition of Bri-ought not to be granted. M'Collours, reported, which was order-•d to lie on the table.

Mr. Spalding had leave to be absent mend the same to read as follows: from Senate after Saturday next.

On motion of Mr. Park,

the places therein mentioned, and for required, are Yeas 11—Nays 22. improving the navigation of Broad river | Those in the affirmative, are Messrs. navigation of the Oconee river.

Ordered, That the same do lie on Watts (of Telfair.) the table.

On motion of Mr. Lanier,

ties of Baldwin and Wilkinson.

Baldwin county to levy an extra tax, ed for the appointment of a committee to change the name of the town of Millledgeville.

The bill to be entitled an act, to add Ordered, that Messrs. Owens, Walka part of the county of Jones, to theler, Davies (of Chatham), Park, and

Mr. Hurt from the committee on pe-Ordered for committee of the whole. |titions, reported on the petition of Wal-Mr. Spivey presented a petition of ter Nunnally, reported as follows, to

Your committee are of opinion, having taken the same under their consider-Mr. Jackson from the committee to ation, that the prayer of the petitioner

> The Senate took up the report, which being read, Mr. Barnett moved to a.

"Your committee are of opinion, having taken the same under their consideration, that the prayer of the petitis THURSDAY, 30th November, 1809. oner ought to be granted, and that a committee be appointed to bring in a The Senate reconsidered the Journal bill to answer the prayer of the petitionof yesterday, so far as respects the bill to er; on the question to agree to the aamend an act, to alter and amend an mendment, it was determined in the neact, to establish Tobacco Inspection at gative, and the Yeas and Nays being

and Oconee river-passed the 15th Barnett, Carter, Davies (of Burke), February 1799, so far as respects the Henderson, Hogan, Jackson, Lanier, M'Lendon, Scruggs, Spalding, and

Those in the negative, are Messrs. Brown, Davis (of Walton), Davies (of The Senate reconsidered the Journal Chatham), Foster, Hammond, Hardee, of yesterday, so far as respects the bill to Hardin, Hurt, Little, M'Cormick, amend the proviso in the 5th section of Moore, Owens, Park, Powell, Reed, an act, to sell & dispose of the fraction-Rimson, Runnells, Spivey, Talbot, al parts of surveys of land in the coun-Walker, Watts (of Washington), and Williams.

Ordered that the same do lie on the Whereupon the original report was again read and agreed to.

Mr. Owens agreeably to notice, mov- Mr. Runnells from the committee to

contract for the building a Covernmen Britton in Collors making an apprepre House Reported,

delay and trouble of ontracting for the privices, which being read was agreed building of a suitable dwelling, & other to. out houses for the accommodation of the The Cenate resolved itself into a Governor.

visable, if suitable buildings could belact, entitled an act, to regulate & keep purchased to adopt that mode, and hav-in repair the public roads, causeways, ing made known their intentions, they and bridges in the counties of Eurke, received proposals from several of the Jefferson, Richmond, Greene, and Mora sitizens, (which proposals accompany gan, so for respects the counties of this report.) They accordingly went Burke, Jefferson, and Richmond-Mr. and examined the premises, and recom- Loore in the chair; A.r. Presidentremend the following resolution.

sand dollars be appropriated for the same without any amendment. purpose of buying a House for the use. The Senate took up the report, which of the Governor of the State, in the fol-was agreed to. Jowing manner, to wit: Two thousand The bill was read the third time, and dollars of the bonds that are in the passed under the foregoing title. Trearury, for the purchase of fráctions, The Senate resolved itself into a and three thousand dollars in cash, out committee of the whole, on the bill to be of such monies as may be in the I real entitled an act, explanatory of the 13th sury. And your committee do further section of an act, entitled an act, to disrecommend that a joint committee beloose of, and distribute the late cession appointed to close the contract with of lands obtained from the Creek Nati-General John Scott, on the terms afore-on by the United States, in a treaty ensaid, for the lot and buildings at present tered into and concluded at the City of occupied by him, which being read,

Ordered to lie on the table.

the petition of Britton M Collors, in the Lanier reported, that the committee rise words following.

The committee to whom was referred set again in June next. the petition of Britton M-Collors, report. The Senate took up the report.

oner under their consideration, and are be disagreed to, and that " The comof opinion that the prayer of the petiti-mittee have leave to set again;" on the

fation in the same manner as others have That taking into view the necessary long claims to compensation for similar

committee of the whole, on the bill to Your committee thought it most ad fee entitled an act to alter and amend an sumed the chair, and Mr. Moore re-Resolved, That the sum of five thou-ported that they had gone through the

Washington, on the 14th day of Nov. 1805—Mr. Lanier in the chair. Mr. Mr. Jackson called up the report on President resumed the chair, and Mr. and report progress and have leave to

That they had the case of the petiti- Mr. Hammond moved that the report oner is just, and ought to be granted. | question to agree to the amendment, it The commettee therefore recommend was determined in the negative, and the that an act b passed in favor of the said Year and Nays being required, are,

Yeas 9—Navs 23.

Those in the affirmative, are Messr. Davies (of Burke) Hammond, Hardee. Henderson, Jackson, Little, Moor. Park, and Williams.

Those in the negative, are Messre. Barnett, Brown, Carter, Davies (of the question, "shall this bill now pass," Chatham) Foster, Hardin Hogan, Flurt, it was determined in the affirmative, & Lanier, M'Lendon, Owens, Powell he Yeas and Nays being required, are, Reed, Rimson, Runnells, Scruggs Yeas 26.... Nays 8. Spalding, Spivey, Stewart, Talbot Those in the affirmative, are, Messrs. Walker, Watts, (of Washington) and Barnett, Brown, Carter, Davies (of Watts (of Telfair.)

mitte of the whole, on the bill to be en-Hurt, Jackson, Lanier, Little, M'Lentitled an act, to afford relief to John don, M'Cormick, Park. Powell, Rimson, Bradley—Mr. Park in the chair; Mr. Spalding, Spivey, Talbot, Walker, President resumed the chair, and Mr. Watts, (of Washington), Watts, (of Park reported, that they had gone thro Telfair), and Williams. the bill without any amendment.

The bill was read the third time and Davies (of Burke) Hammond, Moore, on the question, "shall this bill now Owens, Reed, Runnells, Scruggs, and pass," it was determined in the affir-Stewart. required, are Yeas 20. Nays 11.

Walker, Watts (of Telfair), and Wil-the same with an amendment. liams.

Those in the negative are, Messrs. the amendment was agreed to. Barnet, Davis (of Walton) Foster, Whereupon the bill was read the Hogan, Moore, Owens, Rimson, Spi-|8d time, and passed as amended. vey, Stewart, Talbot, and Watts (of) The Senate again resolved itself into Washington.)

President resumed the chair, and Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr.

arnet reported, that they had gone rough the same, without any amendent.

The Senate took up the report and the same was amended and agreed to.

The bill was read the third time, & on

Chatham), Davis, (of Walton), Foster. The Senate resolved itself into a com-Hardee, Harden, Henderson, Hogan,

Those in the negative, are Messrs.

mative, and the Yeas and Nays being The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be en-Those in the affirmative, are Messrs, titled, an act, to amend the 26th secti-Brown, Carter, Hammond, Hardee, on of the Judiciary Law of this state. Hardin, Henderson, Hurt, Jackson, Mr. Foster in the chair. Mr. President Lanier, Little, M'Cormick, Park, Pow-resumed the chair, and Mr. Foster ell, Reed, Runnells, Scruggs, Spalding, reported, that they had gone through

The Senate took up the report, and

a committee of the whole on the bili to The Senate again resolved itself in the entitled an act to amend an act, to to a committee of the whole, on the bil evive and continue in force an act, for to be entitled an act, to alter the time he limitation of actions and avoiding of the meeting of the General Assem-buits in law, passed the 8th December, bly. Mr. Barnet in the chair. Mr. 1806.... Mr. Barnett in the chair. Mr.

Barnett reported, that they had gone & three cents per sheet for the Journals through the bill without an amendment.

The Senate took up the report, anchowing resolutions. the amendment was read and agreed to

3d time, and passed under the foregoing Concurred Resolutions of the present

name of the town of Milled eville, first day of February next, and also the which was read the 1st time.

time.

ing read, was referred to a special com-thousand dollars. mittee.

Ordered, mic be that committee.

joint committee to contract for printing of each House be printed and distributhe Laws, Concurred Resolutions, and ted as heretofore....which being read Journals of the present session, which was agreed to. is as follows:

received proposals from seven different and signed by the Speaker, the followpersons, and upon opening and examin-ing acts, to wit: per sheet for the Laws and Resolutions, or Stephen Corker.

They therefore recommend the fol

Resolved, That Seaton Grantland The bill was taken up and read the have the printing of the Laws and Legislature, at the rate of two and three Mr. Owens agreably to notice, intro Fourth cents per sheet of sixteen pages, duced a bill to alter and change the lo be delivered to the Executive by the printing of the Journals of both brane! • Mr. Spaiding from the committee teles of the present Legislature, at, and whom was referred the memorial of liter the rate of three cents per sheet Thaddeus Holt, Reported a bill to be of eight pages, to be delivered to the entitled an act, to amend & continue in Electric by the first day of March force an act, to authorise Thaddeus lext, the Laws and Journals to be of the Holt, esquire, to creet a bridge across same size, as small a type, or the page the Oconee river, passed 10th Decem-to contain as much matter, & of as good ber 1007, which was read the first paper as those of the last year—and Ithat the said Seaton Grantland do give The President laid before Senate abond and security to his Excellency the communication from Daniel Sturges, Governor for the due performance of esq. late Surveyor General, which be-the contract, in the penal sum of three

Resolved, That fifteen hundred co-That Messrs. Walker, pies of the Laws and concurred Resolu-Moore, Stewart, Hammond, and M'Cor-tions, (except such resolutions as relate to elections) of the present session, & The Senate took up the report of the twelve hundred copies of the Journals

Mr. Foster from the committee on Your committee report, that they have enrollment, reported as duly enrolled

ing the same, they are of opinion tha | An act, to repeal an act, entiled "an the proposals made by Mr. Seaton an act, for inflicting penalties on, and Grantland, are the most advantageous confiscating the estates of such persons to the State, being little more if any thanks are therein declared guilty of Treahalf the sum paid last year for the same son & for other purposes therein menwork, to wit: two and thee fourth cents tioned" so far as respects the benishmen? Hhtosh. And

wernment of the town of Clinton, in 10 o'clock.

county of Jones.

Ordered, that the committee do carry aid acts to his Excellency the Goveror for his revision.

entatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk.

Mr. President,

assed the following bills, to wit:

A bill for the better regulation and therwise. overnment of the town of Louisville, in that subject.

is and the heirs of James Sims.

Jugusta to Petersburg. And

ind,

ecting the taxes due the State by Watts (of Telfair.)

on the table.

Mr. Davies, (of Chatham) notified Stewart, Walker, and Williams. for leave to bring in a bill for al-presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. the time of holding the General **sons** in this state.

d to a special committee.

An act for the better regulating fen- Or Icred, That Messrs. Owens, My on Harris's neck, in the county of Lendon, and Carter, be that committee

An act for the better regulation and Adjourned 'till to-morrow morning

FRIDAY, 1st December, 1809.

Mr. Reed presented a memorial Amessage from the House of Repre-from the Justices of the Inferior court of Putnam county, which being read, was referred to a special committee, con-The House of Representatives have sisting of Messrs. Reed, Park, and Talbot, with power to report by bill or o-

The Senate took up the reconsiderand to repeal an act heretofore passed tion of the Journal of yesterday, relative to the navigation of the Oconee river, A bill for the relief of Peter H. Col-which bill being read, on the question shall this bill pass, it was determined in a bill to secure to Joshua Grinage the the affirmative, and the Yeas and Nays ight of establishing a ferry over Little being required, are Yeas 22—Nays 11.

iver, on the main road leading from Those in the affirmative, are, blessrs Barnett, Brown, Davis (of Walton) A bill supplemental to an act, to ap-Davies (of Chatham), Foster, Hardse, ropriate the funds heretofore set apart Henderson, Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'or the redemption of the public debt. Lendon, Moore, Owens, Powell, Reed, Rimson, Runnells, Spalding, Spivey, 'They have passed a resolution res-Talbot, Watts (of Washington), and

Firge Sibbald—and he withdrew. | Those in the negative, are, Messrs. Ordered, That the said message do Carter, Davies (of Burke) Hammond, Hardin, Hogan, Jackson, Park, Scruggs,

Senate, that he would on to-morrow A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have Mr. Owens presented a petition from disagreed to the amendment made by the mber of the inhabitants from Jones, Senate to the bill to continue in force an ring to continue the old line of Bald-act, passed the 22d December 1808, county, which being read, was re leving further time to the fortunate lauvers in the late land lotteries to

take out their grants.

And ne withdrew.

Ordered, That the said message do An act to alter and change the nat lie on the table.

be entitled an act, to incorporate Mount signed by the President. Enon Academy, and the same being Ordered, that the committee do i again read the 3d time, on the questi-the said acts to his Excellency the on, shall this bill now pass, it was de-vernor for his revision. termined in the negative, and the Yeas Mr. Talbot notifies the Senate, that and Nays being required, are, Yeas 14 he willon to morrow move for leave: —Nays 16.

Carter, Davis (of Burke) Davies (of river, in the county of Wilkes, at his Chatham), Davies (of Walton), Foster, mills. Hogan, Jackson, Little, M'Lendon, Mr. Davies [of Chatham] agreeably Spalding, Spivey, Stewart, Talbot, to notice introduced a bill to alter the and Walker.

Barnett, Brown, Hammond, Hardin, the first lime. Henderson, Hurt, Lanier, Moore, Ow- Mr. Lanier from the committee on ens, Park, Reed, Rimson, Runnells, the state of the republic reported, on Watts (of Washington), Watts [of Tel-the petition of Charles Smith, which fair], and Williams.

Mr. Foster from the committee on ble. enrollmment reported, as duly enrolled Mr. Little laid on the table the foland signed by the Speaker, the follow-lowing resolution. ing acts, to wit:

an act, entitled "an act, to establish dary of Walton county remains undethe town of Wrightsborough in the fined, no delegation therefrom ought the county of Columbia, and to secure to be received in the General Assembly of the inhabitants thereof, certain lands this State, except those who adhere w appropriated for their benefit, and to the laws thereof. incorporate the same," passed the 16th Mr. Jackson called up the resolution of February, 1799.

An act to alter the name of Rebeccalof the Laws of this State....which was & Burnett, to that of Rebecca Turner, & mended and agreed to....and is as tolthe the name of Bartlett King to that of lows:

Bartlett M'Creary. Whereas, there remains a number o An act to author ze the trustees of the Digests of the Laws of this state! the Richmo d Aca emy to convey althe different counties, deposited will lot to the Baptist Society, and to laylthe clerks to make sale of in behalf

off another range of lots in the of Augusta. And,

of certain persons therein mentioned. The Senate again took up the bill to which was severally presented to, and

lintroduce a bill to authorise Charles R. Those in the affirmative, are, Messrs, Carter to erect a toll bridge over Little

time of holding the General Elections of

Those in the negative, are Messrs. this state, which was received and read

was read and ordered to lie on the ta-

Resolved that it is the sense of this An act to smend the 3d section of Legislature, that so long as the boun-

relative to the distribution of the Digest

the state;

cers in other counties have;

Be it therefore resolved by the Se-boncurred with the House of Represent nate and House of Representatives, latives. sofore provided for in the aforesaid with the following amendment. heretofore done to other counties.

said laws.

the also furnished with the said laws.

The Senate took up the several mesrelative to the taxes due by George Sib-nate.

ly read the first time, to wit:

A bill supplemental to an act, to appropriate the funds heretofore set apart are held in Wafford's settlement. for the redemption of the public debt.

A bill to encourage the Female Asy-whole. lum of Savannah.

A bill to alter & amend the 83d section of the Judiciary.

A bill for the relief of Peter H. Collins, and the heirs of James Sims.

A bill to secure to Joshua Grinage the in the Superior and Inferior courts. right of establishing a ferry over Little river. And,

g vernment of the town of Louisville, • And whereas it appears that a num- and to repeal the acts heretofore passed ber of the civil officers of the counties of on that subject, and they receded from Morgan, Randolph, Putnam, Jones heir amendment made to the bill, to Baldwin, Wilkinson, Pulaski, Laurens Lontinue in force an act, passed the 22d Telfair, and Wayne, have never been of December, 1808, giving further time furnished with said Digests, as the offi-to the fortunate drawers in the late land otteries to take out their grants—and

that his Excellency the Governor be, & The Senate took up the report of the he is hereby authorised and required to committee laid on the table yesterday, 'gall in as many of said Digests as will contract for building a government furnish the different officers not here-house, which being read, was agreed to

counties with one, and distributed as Your committee are of opinion that a Government House for the accommo-And whereas new districts have been dation of the Governor ought to be built, laid out in the several counties in this and recommend that a committee of state, since the late distribution of the both branches of the Legislature be appointed, whose duty it shall be to re-* Resolved, That such new districts port a plan of the said House, and the most eligible site for fixing the same.

Ordered, That Messrs. Barnett, sages from the House of Representa-Spalding, Foster, Runnells, and Walktives, and concurred in the resolution er, be the committee on the part of Se-

The following bills were severally And the following bills were several-taken up and read the second time, to wit:

A bill to define the time in which lands

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill for the relief of David Maddox. Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill supplemental to the Judiciary law, and to establish an uniform practice.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill for the better regulation and A bill to vest the estate of Lewis

Tohnson which remains unsold in Eliza. Those who voted in the affirmation Irvine, Rachael John on, and Saral are Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Cari Drysdale, children of said Lewis John Davies (of Burke), Davies (of Charles) son.

whole.

an act, to authorize Tharldeus Holt tollagran.) build a bridge across the Oconce river.

whole.

of the town of Milledgeville.

whole. And,

A bill to appropriate the funds ari-wit: sing from leases of the twenty acre lots leased out for the term of seven years, laws and resolutions of this state. in the town tract or commons of Mil- Ordered for a committee of th ledgeville.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

The Senate took up the reconsideration of the Journal, relative to the re-whole. port of the committee of the whole on A bill to amend and explain an act the bill to amend the proviso in the 5th to incorporate the Savannah Poor section of an act, to sell and dispose of House and Hospital Society. the fractional parts of surveys of land Ordered for a committee of the in the counties of Baldwin and Wilkin-whole. son, and the said report being again. A bill to make permanent the site of read, was disagreed to.

Whereupon the Senate again resolv-Morgan. ed itself into a committee of the whole, on the said bill, Mr. Park in the chair, Mr. President resumed the chair, and Ministers of the Gospel. Mr. Park reported progress, and asked leave to set again in June next.

which being read, on the question to a Priscilla his wife. gree to the same, it was determined in Ordered for a committee of the the affirmative—and the Yeas and Navs'whole. being required, are, Yeas 20-Nays, A bul for the relief of certain What 12.

ham), Hammond, Hardee, Hardin Ordered for a committee of the Hurt, M. Lendon, Moore, Owens, Reed Rinnson, Runneils, Spivey, Stewart A bill to amend & continue in force Tulbon Walker, and Watts (of Wash.

Those who voted in the negative, are Ordered for a committee of the Messrs. Foster, Henderson, Hogan. Jackson, Lanier, Little, Park, Powell. A bill to alter and change the name scruggs, Spricing, Watts [of Telfair,] and Williams.

Ordered for a committee of the The following bills were severally taken up and read the second time, to

A bill to compile and arrange

whole.

Labill to divide the county of Wilkin

Ordered for a committee of th

the public buildings in the county of

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to give relief to all Ordained

Ordered for a committee of whole.

The Senate took up the report, A bill to divorce William Sorrow at

holders in the Cit, of Sayannah.

Ordered for a committee of the trodited a bill to authorise Charles R. whole.

A bill to authorise Zachariah Simmsfile over, in Wilkes county....which was to erect a bridge over the Oconee at his becelved and read the 1st time. mills.

whole. And,

crime of horse-stealing, &c.

Ordered for a committee of the 1st time. whole.

three of the Justices of the Inferior liam Goodlett, which was received and sourt of Baldwin county, which being read the 1st time. read, was referred to a special commit- Mr. Reed from the committee to tee, consisting of Messrs. Owens, Hurt whom was referred the memorial of inand Talbot.

sundry inhabitants of Washington coun-town of Eatonton and county of Putty, which being read, was referred to a nam, by the name of Union Acadespecial committee, consisting of Messrs. my, which was received and read the Owens, Foster, and Watts (of Wash-1st time. ington.)

ral, reported, which was read and or-ted to report the following bill. dered to lie on the table.

10 o'clock.

SATURDAY, 2d December, 1809.

Mr. Foster laid on the table a letter the Columbia county Academy.

On motion of Mr. Foster,

Resolved that William Magruder be, A bill to render valid the plats and and he is hereby appointed a Trustee records made and signed by Daniel Stu. of the Columbia county Academy, in the ges, late Surveyor General, so far as replace of Thomas Cobb, esq. resigned. spects the land comprized within the o-

Carter to erect, a toll bridge across Lit-

Mr. Owens agreeably to notice intro-Ordered for a committee of the duced a bill to sell and dispose of six licts in Milledgeville, and to appropriate A bill more effectually to punish the the monies arising from the sale thereof ... which was received and read the

Mr. Runnells from the committee to Mr. Owens presented a petition from who a was released the petition of Wil-

ferior court of Putnam county, report Mr Owens presented a petition from a bill to establish an Academy in the

Mr. Talbot moved that the rule re-Mr. Walker from the committee to quiring one days notice to be given prewhom was referred the memorial of Da-vious to the introduction of a bill, be niel Sturges, esq. late Surveyor Gene-dispensed with, and that he be permit-

A bill to be entitled an act, to author Adjourned 'till to-morrow morning rise the holding of an extra session of the Superior court in the county of Wilkes, which was read and agreed to.

Whereupon Mr. Talbot reported said bill, which was read the 1st time.

Mir. Walker moved that the rule refrom Thomas Cobb, notifying the Se-figuring one days notice to be given nate of his resignation as a Trustee of previous to the introduction of a bill, be dispensed with, and that he be permitted to report the following bill.

Mr. Talbot agreeably to notice, in-riginal counties of Baldwin, Walkinson,

and Wayne, which was read & agreed rafty read the 1st time.

Whereupon Mr. Walker reported message do lie on the table. said bill, which was read the 1st time.

pointed, reported a bill to add a part of lord, which is as follows, to wit: the county of Jones to Baldwin county time.

pointed, reported a bill to add a part orlland situate, lying and being in the 4th the county of Washington to Baldwin District, Wilkinson county, and known country, which was received and read is No. 21, and said to contain 161 1-2 the 1st time.

Mr. President,

passed a resolution appointing a joint/be relieved in such way as the Legislacommittee to express the sentiments of ture may think proper. the Legislature of the state upon the is- Your committee beg leave to report, sucofa negotiation late pending between that whilst it becomes the state to husthe United States and Great Britain. band with economical grasp, all her legi-And,

sed the following bills, to wit:

Scriven.

nent provision for the poor. And,

A bill to prombat dueling, &c.

And he withdrew.

Ordered that the remainder of said

The Senate took up the report of the Mr. Owens from the committee an committee on the petition of Jesse Sand-

"The committee to whom was rewhich was received and read the first ferred the petition of Jesse Sandford, setting forth that he purchased at the Mr. Owens from the committee ap sales of fractional surveys, a tract of lacres, but which he the said Jesse has A message from the House of Re-ascertained to fall very for short of that presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk quantity, and not to contain much more than one half of the quanty for which The House of Representatives have the state's grant calls; and praying to

timate funds; Yet it would be derogatory A resolution appointing John Full-to the dignity and magnanimity of the wood, John Thomas, and Jethro B. state, to take from her citizens their mo-Spivey, Justices of the Inferior court of ney without a proper and fair eqivalent. Laurens county. And they have pas-They therefore recommond the following resolution.

Abill to repeal an act, compeling Resolved, That his Excellency the clerks to keep their offices at, or within Governor be requested to appoint a fit one mile of their respective court-hou-and proper person to resurvey the said ses, so far as respects the county of fraction No. 21, in the 4th District of Wilkinson, as well as all other fractions A bill to amend an act, to protect the in that District, and that an accurate estate of orphans, and to make perma-plat of such resurvey be returned to the next Legislature, to the end that equal and impartial justice may be done the good citizens of this state."

The Senate took up the message, & And the same being read, on the concurred in the resolution appointing question to agree to the same, it was de-In tees of the Interior court of Edurens termined in the negative, and the Yeas county...and the said bills were severand mays being required, are Yeas & Nays 23.

which is amended in the words follow-

Those who voted in the affirmative, ing, to wa:

Davis (of Walton), Davies (of Burke), port; Foster, Hammond, Hardin, Henderson, That after taking the said memorial Watts (of 'Telfair), and Williams.

bought not to be granted. of Jones county.

sure to relieve the petitioners.

On motion of Mr. Davies (of Chat-, Mr. Hardin then moved, that the

Foom of William Smith resigned.

me Messrs. Davies (of Chatham), Har- The committee to whom was referlee, Hogan, Jackson, Park, and Walker red the memorial of Zachariah Simus, Those who voted in the negative, as to the establishment of a paper maare Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, nufactory in this state, beg leave to re-

Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, Moore, into their serious consideration, they Owens, Powell, Reed, Rimson, Run-conceive that the object of the menells, Scruggs, Spalding, Spivey, Stew-Imorialist is a desirable one, both priart, Talbot, Watts (of Washington) vately & publicly—privately, because lit will afford sale for articles now of no The Senate took up the report of value in the Western part of this state the committee on the petition of Need-publicly, because it will supply one ham Bryant and Josiah Drew, and on'of the means of general information of the petition of sundry inhabitants of great and primary object in a republican Jones county, which reports are as fol-government. They therefore recomlmend the following resolution;

On the petition of Needham Bryant! Beitresolved, that his Excellency the and Josiah Drew, your committee hav-Governor advance to the said Zachariah ing taken said petition under their con-Simms the sum of three thousand dolsideration, view it as all others of like lars, out of the contingent fund, taking description, and think that releasing pe-his bonds with good and sufficient secuutioners as aforesaid, is a bad policy, rity, under the penalty of ten thousand and that the prayer of the petitioner dollars, conditioned to establish a paper manufactory in this state, within three * On the petition of sundry inhabitants years from the time of his receiving such advance from the state, and condi-Your committee cannot at this time tioned also, for the repayment of the mecommend the adoption of any mea-said sum of three thousand dollars, within the same period, to repay the same And the same being read were agreed within three years from the time of his receiving such advance from the state.

words "with lawful interest," be in-Resolved, That John Grimes be, and inserted in the said resolution, and on the is hereby appointed a Justice of the the question to agree to the same, the Inferior court of Chatham county, in the Yeas and Nays being required, are, Yeas 11—Nays 14.

The Senate took up the report of the Those who voted in the affirmative, committee on the memorial of Zachari fire Messrs. Barnett, Foster, Hardin, ah Simms, amended the said report logan, Hurt, Lanier, Little, Whendon, Owens, Rimson, Runnells,

Scrungs, Watts, (of Washington) and passed under their respective titles, to Watts (of Telfair.)

Those who voted in the negative. are Messrs. Brown, Davies (of Wal-permanent the site of the public buildton), Davies (of Chatham) Hardee, lings in Morgan county, at the town of Henderson, Jackson, Moore, Park, Madison, and to incorporate the same.... Powell, Spalding, Stewart, Talbot, And, Walker, and Williams.

President decided against the amend- The Senate took up the report of the

as first amended, on the question to a time spent in the consideration of said gree to the same, it was determined in report, it was ordered to lie on the tathe affirmative, and the Yeas and Nays ble. being required, are Yeas 16.... Nays 12.

Those in the affirmative, are Messrs morning 10 o'clock. Brown, Davis (of Walton) Davies (of Chatham), Hardee Henderson, Jackson Lanier, Moore, Park, Powell, Runnells Spalding, Stewart, Talbot, Walker, and Williams.

Mas rs Barnet Foster, Hardin, Hogan, port of the committee on the petition of Thurt, Little, he Leadon, Owens, Kim-Zachariah Simms. son, Seru 598, Watts (of Washington) The same being taken up and read, and Watts (of Telfair.)

On motion,

mer to-day, until Monday morning serted, on the question to agree to the next.

On motion of Mr. Foster,

Resolved by the Senate and Househuired, are Yeas 20 Nays 10. of the presentatives, that his Excellene, the Governor be authorised and re Parnett, Davies (ef Burke), Foster, quested to proceed to take such mead fammond, Hardin, Henderson, sives as he may deem expedient, to re | ran, Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, cover all such money from the person or Owens, Reed, Rimson, Runnells, persons who have heretofore borrowed Scruggs, Spivey, Stewart, Watts [of money from the state of Georgia, and Washington, and Watts (of Telfair.) has not returned the same.

he following bills were severally ta-Carrer, Davies (of Walton), Davies ken up and read the third time, and (of Chathem), Hardee, Moore, Park

Wit:

A bill to be entitled an act, to make

A bill to authorise the Inferior court There being an equal number, the of Baldwin county to levy an extra tax.

committee on the petition of Charles The said resolution then being read|Smith, which was read, and after some

The Senate adjourned 'till Monday

MONDAY, 4th December, 1809. On motion of Mr. Hardin,

The Senate reconsidered the Journal Those who voted in the negative are, of Saturday, so far as respects the re-

Mr. Barnett moved that the words "lawful interest" after the words "three The Messenger had leave of absence thousand dollars," in said report be insame, it was determined in the affirmative, and the Yeas and Nays being re-

Those in the affirmative, are Messrs.

Those in the negative, are Messrs.

Powell, Talbot, Walker and Williams | Mr. President resumed the chair, and

port of the committee be stricken out, consideration of this bill be postponed and that the prayer of the petition of antil the first day of June next. Zachariah Simms be not granted.

on the question, it was agreed to, & was agreed to. the year and nays being required, are The Senate resolved itself into a com-Yeas 17, Nays 13.

Those in the negative, are Messrs.

der the foregoing title.

mittee of the whole on the bill to add for a third reading. chair, and Mr. Hammond reported, the 2d time. that the further consideration of this Ordered for a third reading.

bill be postponed 'till the 1st day of The Senate took up the following bills, June next.

The Senate took up the report, which viz. was read and agreed to.

propriate the monies arising from the of the public debt. wenty acre lots in the town common | Ordered for a third reading.

Mr. Barnett moved that the whole reddir. Foster reported, that the further

The Senate took up the report, which

Imittee of the whole on the bill to be en-Those who voted in the affirmative, tiled an act to, define the tenure by are Messrs. Barnett, Davis (of Walton) which lands are held in that part of this Foster, Hammond, Hardin, Hurt, Ho-state known by the name of Wafford's gan, Little, M'Lendon, Owens, Powell, ettlement; Mr. Lanier in the chair; Reed.Rimson, Scruggs, Spivey, Watts Mr. President resumed the chair and (of Washington), and Watts (of Tel-Mr. Lanier reported progress and had leave to set again.

The Senate resolved itself into a com-Carter, Davies (of Burke), Davies (of mittee of the whole on the bill to be en-Chatham) Hardee, Henderson, Jackson, titled an act for the relief of David Made Lanier, Moore, Park, Runnells, Stew-dox; Mr. Moore in the chair; Mr. art, Talbot, Walker, and Williams. President resumed the chair, and Mr. The bill to authorise the justices of Moore reported, that they had gone Inferior courts of Laurens and Pulaski thro' the bill, & ask leave to set again.

counties to levy an extra tax to defray Ordered, that the bill for the relief of the expense of running the dividing David Maddox, and the bill to amend & line between said counties was taken up continue in force an act entitled an act and read the third time, and passed un-to authorise Thaddeus Holt to erect a bridge across the Oconee river, passed

The Senate resolved itself into a com-the 10th December, 1807, be engrossed

part of the county of Jones to the coun- The bill to be entitled an act to alter ty of Randolph, Mr. Hammond in the the time of holding the General Electichair; Mr. President resumed the ons of this state was taken up and read

which were severally read the 2d time,

A bill to be entitled an act supple-The Senate resolved itself into almental to an act to appropriate the funds **committee** of the whole on the bill to heretofore set apart for the redemption

Milledgeville, Mr. Foster in the chair: A bill for the relief of Peter H. Col-

lens and the heirs of James S.ms. | mittee of the whole on the bill to been,

Ordered for committee of the whole, add an act for the relief of certain

to Joshua Grinage the right of establish. Mr. Davies (of Murke) in the chair; Mr. ing a ferry over Little Hiver, on the Tresident resumed the chair and Mr. main road leading from Lugusta to Davies reported, that they had gone Petersburg.

Ordered for a committee of the whole

A bill to be entitled an act to alter eithe amendment was agreed to. amend the 83rd section of the Judiciary, The bill was read the third time and passed the 9th of February, 1797.

Ordered for a third reading.

better regulation and government of the town of Louisville, and to repeal me acts heretofore passed on that subject concurred in the resolution relative to

Ordered for a third reading.

rage the Female Asylum of Savannah. | session—and they have passed the fol-

Ordered for a third reading.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be en-benger. titled an act to compile and arrange the A bill to regulate the elections of Laws and Resolutions passed since the Receivers and Collectors of Taxes in political year 1800; Mr. Park in theithis state. chair: Mr. President resumed the chair A bill to regulate the rates of Tavern and Mr. Park reported progress & had license in this state. leave to set again.

committee of the whole on the bill to of the same with Savannah river, to the be entitled an act to alter and amend mouth of Hudson's river in Franklin the several militia laws of this state, & county. to repeal the 8th and 10th sections of an A bill to amend an act, to compel act, entitled, an act to alter and amendelerks to keep their offices at, or within the several militia laws of this state, & one mile of their respective court-houto organize the Cavairy; Mr. Talbot in ses, so far as respects the counties of the chair; Idr. President resumed the liulaski and Telfair. chair, & Mr. Talbot reported, that they A bill to authorise the clerks of the had gone through the same with an a-Superior and Inferior courts, clerks of mendment.

The Senate took up the report, which ers, and Surveyors, to hold their offices was read and ordered to be on the table. Juring the intervention between the

A bill to be entitled an act to seeme what sholders in the City of Savannahi through the bill with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and

pa sed under the foregoing title.

A message from the House of Re-A bill to be entitled an act for the presentatives by for. Holt their clerk.

Mr. Preadent,

The House of Representatives have the printing the Laws, Concurred Rev A bill to be entitled an act to encou-solutions and Journals of the present llowing bills, to wit:

A bill for the relief of David Lime.

A bill to keep open the main chan-The Senate resolved itself into anel of Broad river from the confluence

the courts of Ordinary, Sheriffs, Coron-

The behate resolved itself into a complete in and commissioning of their successors, and to requirate the transfer papers and monies.

ertificate therein mentioned.

A bill to extend the power of the Comptroller General.

ion, in the county of Putnam.

A bill to amend the 7th section of andrew. act, to amend the several militia laws, and to organize the Cavalry.

bridges, &c. in said county.

A bill to repeal the 3d section of an The Senate resolved itself into a comlact, respecting military schools, &c.

book of entry. And

consolidate the several militia laws of ment.

fact of the Congress of the United which was agreed to. States.

And he withdrew.

A message from his Excellency the Yeas 20. Nays 7. Governor by Mr. Early his Sccretary. Mr. President,

solutions.

Montgomery county, commissioners tel Those in the negative, are Messrs. counties.

One appointing Frederick II. Lis-fair.) senhoff, a Lumber Measurer for the Whereupon the bill passed under the Port of Savannah. And

Justice of the Inferior court for the A bill for the renewal of an audited county of Warren, in place of E. Hurt, resigned;

And has directed me to return them to the Senate, it being the branch of Abill to regulate the town of Eaton-the General Assembly in which they respectively originated. And he with-

The bill to be entitled an act, to give relief to all Ordained Ministers of the A bill to levy an extra tax upon the Gospel, so far as respects their serving lands of absences in the county of as juncts or doing rall barduty, was tak-Ulyan, to be applied to the erectinglen up and read the 3d time, and passed under the foregoing title.

mittee of the whole, on the bill to di-Abill to compel the Justices of 'eace vorce William Sorrow and Priscilla his m this state to keep a fair and regular wife. Mr. Henderson in the chair— Mr. President resumed the chair, and A bill to amend and repeal the first Mr. Henderson reported, that they had section of an act, to revise, amend, and gone through the bill with an amend-

this state, and to adapt the same to the The Senate took up the amendment,

The bill was read the third time, and on the question, shall this bill now pass. Ordered, That the said message dolt was determined in the affirmative, and the Yeas and Nays being required, are,

Those in the affirmative, are Messrs. Barnet, Carter, Davies (of Burke), Dak His Excellency the Governor has vies (of Chatham), Davis (of Walton), approved and signed the following re | Fienderson, Jackson, Lanier, M'Lendon, Moore, Owens, Park, Reed, Rim-P One appointing Arthur Lott, senr. of son, Runnells, Stewart, Talbot, Walker, Tattnall county, and Joseph Collins of Watts (of Washington), and Williams.

mark the dividing line between said Foster, Hammond, Hardin, Little, Scruggs, Spivey, and Watts (of Tel-

libregoing title as amended.

One appointing Turner Persons, a Jar. Moore from the committee on

Linance reported.

Ordered to lie on table.

The President laid before Senate an illes county. the Treasurer, which was read and referred to the committee on Finance.

A petition addressed to the Ge-ht his mills in Walkes county. neral Assembly, how a munber of Sub scribers, was read and referred to a special committee.

Or level, That Morrys Walker, Bar-Sturges, late Surveyor General. ne : and Hamin and be that committee.

Mr. Poster from the committee of curoflment reported as duly enrolled & to Baldwin county. aigned by the Speaker, an act to carry into effect the first section of an act, entitled an act respecting Bestardy and win county. other immoralities, and the more fully to empower the Inferior courts of the next. several counties in this state to provide A bill to establish an Academy in the maintainance of Bastard chil-the town of Eatonton, in Putnam coundron.

An act to authorise James Smith of Condencounty, to collect me taxes due in said county for the year 1802, and in Milled reville, and to appropriate the which remained uncollected by James monies arising from the sale thereof. M. Lindsay, dec'd.—viich were presented to, and signed by the President. next.

Ordered, That the committee do carry said acts to his Excellency the Go-clerks to hold their offices at, or within vernor for his revision.

morning.

TUESDAY, 5th December, 1809.

Stephen Heard, which was read and te-hent provision for the poor. ferred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Barnett, Talbot, and Har-whole. And din.

The following bills were severally triten up, and read the second time, to wit:

A bill to authorise the Judge to hel n entra session of the Superior count

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to authorise Charles R. Carte ho erect a foll brid racross Little river

Ordered for a Sd reading.

A bill to render valid, the plats and records made and signed by Danie

Ord red for a 3d reading.

A bill to add a part of Washington

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to add a part of Jones to Eald

Ordered for a third reading in June

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to sell and dispose of six lots

Ordered for a third reading in June

A bill to repeal an act, compelling one mille of their respective court-hou-Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow|ses, so far as respects the county of Scriven.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to amend an act, to protect the Mr. Barnett presented a petition from estate of orphans, and to make perma-

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to prohibit Dueling, &c. Ordered for a third reading.

The Senate took up the message from the House of Representatives of yesgerday, and the bills therein contained. The House of Representatives have were severally read the first time.

resolution.

Legislature will convene in the Repre-drew. Thursday next, in order to elect a Judge on the table.

Ordered to lie on the table.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to de-red the memorial of Daniel Sturges, vide Wilkinson county. Mr. Barnett late Surveyor General, with amendments.

which being read, was agreed to with prayer of the petitioner be granted. amendments.

Yeas 24. Nays 5.

and Williams.

Presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk, mit e deem it but just & right that the state should remunerate the Memorial-Mr. President,

passed the bill from Senate to amend an Mr. Runnells moved the following act, to alleviate the condition and the ors, passed the 21st day of December Resolved, that both branches of the 1808, with amendments. And he with-

sentative Chamber at 12 o'clock on Ordered, That said message do lie

of the Eastern District, in the room of The Senate took up the report of the the hon. Charles Tait, elected a Scha-committee on the memorial of Daniel tor in the Congress of the United States. Sturges, which is in the words followling.

The committee to whom was refer-

in the chair. Mr. President resumed Report, that they have taken the same the chair, and Mr. Barnett reported, under consideration, and are happy that that they had gone through the same the claims of justice unite with the finer feelings of humanity, in constraining The Senate took up the report, the committee to recommend that the

Upon an examination of, and refer-Whereupon the said bill was read the rence to the plats in the Surveyor Gethird time, and on the question, shall neral's office, it will be found that they this bill now pass as amanded? it was are neatly recorded, & certificates preedetermined in the affirmative, and the pared for surveys yet to be carried into Yeas and Nays being required, are, grants. In these preparatory steps for the dispatch of business, the Memorial-Those in the affirmative, are Messrs list must have incurred considerable ex-Brown, Carter, Davies (of Burke), pence. The indulgence allowed to for-Davies (of Chatham), Davis (of Wal-tunate drawers in the late land lotterics, ton), Foster, Hammond, Hardin, Hen-and the frequent extension of the time derson, Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'Len-within which the grants should have don, Park, Reed, Rimson, Runnells, been taken out, have prevented a remu-Scruggs, Spivey, Talbot, Walker, Watts neration to the Memorialist for the ser-(of Washington) Watts [of Telfair,] vices thus performed. These extensilons could not have been rationally cal-Those in the negative, are Messrs culated on by the Memorialist. As Barnett, Hogan, Jackson, Moore, and therefore the acts of the State have deprived him of that compensation to A message from the House of Re which he was entitled, your commit-

tike into view the very many services een hundred," which was agreed to: wine's he has rendered the state in the and on the question to agree to the 2d capacity of Surveyor General, and that bection of said report, it was determined without the not reference of the Legis-In the negative, and the year and nave betwee he will be entirely remediless; being required, are, Yeas 13, Nays 14. denrived of the means of meeting the Those who voted in the affirmative. demands of his creditors, and in the pa | we Messrs Carter, Davies (of Burke) tratellinguage of the Memorialist "lenglavies (of Chatham), Fester, Hamdestitute of suporting a wife with six and, Hogan, Jackson, Moore, Park, candren."

that gee t benefit will result to the good Messrs. Barnett, Hardin, Henderson, citizens of this state as well as those offclurg, Lanler, Little, M'Lendon, Owthe United States, by the promulgation ens, Read, Ramaells, Scruggs, Spivey. of an accurate map of the state of Geor-Watts (of Washington), and Watts (of gia; such a map the Memorialist is Telfair.) preparing, and from bis skill no doubt. A message from the House of Reprecan be entertained of its accuracy: It'sentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk. must be a source of recret therefore Mr. President, that the want of pecuniary resources. The Ponse of Representatives have should prevent the Memorialist from bassed a bill to keep open, remove, and progressing with such a variable work forevent of sirrections in Savannah river, under these considerations your com-calculated to implie the free passage of mittee beg leave to oder the following fish, and the pavigation of said river by resolutions:

and dollars be paid to Dadiel Sturges, and Frenklin, so for as respects the for services rendered as Surveyor Ce-mouth of Tugalo and Reowee rivers, & neral, for which no fees of office have A bill supprementary to the Judiciabeen paid; and for the better enablingly system of this state, and he withthe Memorialist to publish the Map of drew.

are state of Georgia, hundred dollars be loaned the said Dallame. niel Sturges, upon his giving good and Chanofon of Mr. Davies (of Chatsufficient security to his Executively the hain.) Governor, for the return of the sand sum | Resolved that the person employed of sixteen hundred dollars out of the first to print the Laws and Journals of the sales of said map; and the same being present session be directed to strike of

Mr. Hogan moved to strike out the fol the heri-laure one hun fred & fifty words "two chousand" in the first sec-copies of the amendment proposed to

ist, and the more especially when they on of the said report, and insert "ff.

Acmson, Talbot, Walker and Williams.

Your committee also are of opinion, Those who voted in the negative, are

boats, so far as respects the counties of

Resolved, that the sum of two thou-Richmond, Columbia, Lincoln, Elbert

The Senate took up the message, and Resolved also that the sum of sixteen the bills were severally read the first

fimnica ately for the use of the members

Representatives.

The Senate resolved itself into a Daniel Sturges. ommittee of the whole, on the bill foil he relief of David Maddox; Mr. kable. Moore in the chair, Mr. President revithout any amendment.

which was read and agreed to.

he third time, and passed under the thro' the same with amendments. itle thereof.

he special committee on the petition mendments.

services rendered in the revolution, Yeas 24. Nays 5. of the said state;

on the state of the republic.

The rule of Schate being dispensed Williams. with, Mr. Owens had leave to intronald to plead and practice law in the se-Powell and Watts [of Telfair.] ceived and read the 1st time.

10 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 6th Dec. 1809. On motion of Mr. Barnett, The Senate reconsidered the Jour-

is act for the alleviation of debtors by hal of yesterday relative to the report of the committee on the Memorial of

Ordered, That the same do lie on the

The Senate again resolved itself inaimed the chair, and Mr. Moore report to a committee of the whole, on the bill d that they had gone through the same to define more particularly the jurisdiction of the courts of Ordinary and In-The Senate took up the report ferior courts. Mr. Moore in the chair; Mr. President resumed the chair, and Whereupon the said bill was read Mr. Moore reported, that they had gone

The Senate took up the report, The Senate, took up the report of which was read, and agreed to with a-

of William Goodlet, which is as follows: Whereupon the said bill was read the The special committee to whom was third time, and on the question, shall referred the petition of William Good-this bill now pass? it was deteret, praying compensation for a negro gi-mined in the affirmative, and the ven him by the State of Georgia, for Yeas and Nays being required, are,

which negro has since been proven and Those who voted in the affirmative, taken from him by one of the citizens are Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, Davies (of Burke), Davis (of Walton), Recommend that the petition and do-Davies (of Chatham), Hammond, Harcuments be referred to the committee dee, Hardin, Henderson, Hogan, Hurt, Little, M'Lendon, Moore, Park, Reed, And the same being read, was agreed Rimson, Scruggs, Spivey, Talbot, Walker, Watts (of Washington) and

Those who voted in the negative, duce a bill to admit Cresswell M'Do-are Messrs. Foster, Lanier, Owens,

veral courts of this state, which was re- The Senate took up the report of the committee of the whole on the bill Adjourned 'till to-morrow morning to be entitled an act, to alter that part of the second section of the Judiciary, passed the 16th February 1799, so far as respects the time of holding the Inserior court of the county of Warren, which was amended and agreed to.

The bill was read the third time, and

passed.

mittee of the whole on the bill to be en-porate the Savannah I cor house and tided an act to compile and arrange the Hospital Society"-passed 10th De-Laws and Resolutions of this state pas comber 1808. Mr. Lattier in the chair. sed since the political year 1800; Mr. Dir. President resumed the chair, and Pack in the chair: Mr. President resum-Mr. Lamer reported, that they had goneed the chair and Mr. Park reported, that through the same with an amendment. they had gone through the same with The Senate took up the report. amendments.

The Senate took up the report, and the table. agreed to the amendments.

third time, and passed under the title the election of a Judge of the Superior thereof.

committee of the whole, on the bill sup-United States, which was agreed to. plemental to the Judiciary law in force | A message from his Excellency the in this state, and to establish an uniform Governor by his Secretary Mr. Early, practice in the proceedings of the Suclas follows: perior and Inferior courts of this state; Mr. Powell in the chair, Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Powell reported that the further consideration of said bill be postponed until June next.

which was read and agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

name of the town of Milledgeville, was taken up and ordered for committee in June next.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. Mir. President,

The House of Representatives have passed a bill securing to Joseph H.li liable. his heirs and assigns, the right of ereco ing three toll bridges across Savannah whom was referred the petition of sunriver, Son. And ne with a rew.

Or tered, that the said message do follows, to wit:

"The committee to whom was referfie on the table. The Sen te reso sed leself in a gred the petition of suremy inhabitarts committee of the whole, on the bir to or this state, praying relief from the

be entitled an act, to amend and ex-The Senate resolved itself into a com-plain an act, entitled " an act to incor-

which being read, was ordered to lie on

The Senate took up the resolution Whereupon the bill was read the laid on the tible yesterday relative to court, in place of the honorable Charles The Senate resolved itself into a Tait, a Senator in the Congress of the

Executive Department, Georgia, the 5th December, 1809.

Mr. President,

and Gentlemen of the Senate.

I have received a letter from the hon. The Senate took up the report, Charles Tait, signifying his acceptance of the appointment of Senator from this state, in the Congress of the United The bill to alter and change the States. His seat on the bench of the Superior court of the Western Circuit is therefore become vacant, and as the Legislature are now in session, it rests with them to fill that vacancy.

D. B. MITCHELL

Ordered, that the same do lie on the

Mr. Walker from the committee to dry inhabitants of this state, reported as urthens and expences heaped upon on the table. nem, by that description of personal

alled Lawyers;

an institutions—and whilst it must lows: cadily be acknowledged, that the Con haps the most incomparably excellent, pectfully Report; of Georgia guarantees to every one, althe following resolution. right to be heard in his own cause;

the courary notwithstanding."

The Senate took up the report of the committee to whom was referred the Report, That whilst in common with petition of Griffin L. Lamkin, which he petitioners, they venerate republishes amended, agreed to, and is as fol-

The committee to whom was referred stitution of the State of Georgia is per-lithe petition of Griffin L. Lamkin, Res-

that ever guaranteed the rights of man. That the certificate referred to by the -and whilst under that Constitution, petitioner Griffin L. Lamkin, was prefreedom's banners are unfurled in eve-dicated upon a joint and Concurred ry part of this growing and prosperous resolution of the General Assembly in State—It is with deep concern your the year 1799, and is not one of those committee have recognized the fact, contemplated by the act of Assembly, that this Constitution, whose vivifying passed in the year 1798, for calling rays might give health and vigor to the in the outstanding evidences of debts life of man, has not been productive of due from the State of Georgia. It also complete happiness to all the good citi-appears from a certificate of Edwin zens who live under its general influ-Mounger, esq. late Treasurer of this The committee however with State, that the said certificate was prepleasure recognize the right of the citi-sented to the then Comptroller General zens to petition the Legislature of their soon after it had issued, in order that he country for a redress of grievances—might in terms of the law of 1798 re-And as an equality of rights is the pride & new the same, but that the said Compboast of all the good people of this state troller refused to receive the same for -And as the property of each indivi-the reasons before stated, he not believdual is equally protected by the laws—ing that this certificate was one of that And as a lawyer has no right to de-description contemplated by the said mand a fee without being employed—law; under these circumstances, your And as the Constitution of the State committee recommend the adoption of

Resolved, that the Comptroller Ge-Be it therefore Resolved, That from neral be, and he is hereby required to and after the passing of this resolution, receive the certificate granted by Edwin no one of the good people of this Mounger, esq. late Treasurer of this state shall employ an Attorney to ma-state to John F Gardener, on the 27th nage or transact any business in anylof November 1801 for one thousand court of justice within this state, or else-heres of land, and that in lieu thereof, where, unless he shall choose so to do the do grant to Griffin L. Lamkin a any thing in any former resolution to certificate for the same number of acres In the usual form, and as contemplated

Which was read and ordered to lie by the act for calling in the outstanding

evidences of debt. Provided it shall prection, shall this bill new rass, it was appear to the said flot on of the Comp. troller, that the said & fan !. Lan kin is the rightful proprietor of said ce. [21. Nays 6. tificate, so intended to be renewed; an provided also, that the said crathen La, not before been received.

A missing from his Excellency th Governor by Mr. Thirly his becretary Mr. President,

His Excellency the Governor has approved and signed the joint resolutions on the subject of printing the Laws Resolutions and Journals of the pre-face Messes. Formett, Foster, Hamsent session, and has directed me to in-mood, thart. Hoose, and Memson. form the Senate thereof, it being the The bill to establish military schools, branch of the Legislature in which the sec. And same originated. And he wandrew.

taken up, read the third time. and pas-becond time, and ordered for a commitsed under their respective tales, to wit face of the whole. And

section of the Judiciary, passed 9th Fe-fread the 2d time, and ordered for a ord bruary, 1797.

A bill to amend & continue in force A bill to regulate the town of Eatonan act, to authorise Thaddeus Holt, ton, in the county of Putnam. (esq. to erect a bridge across he Oco- A bill () amend the 7th section of an

A bill to secure to Joshua Grinage and to organize the Cavalry. the right of establishing a ferry over. A bill to levy an extra tax upon the Little river, on the main road leading lands of absentees in the county of from Augusta to Petersburg, with a-Glynn, to be applied to the erecting mendments—and

propriate the funds beretofore set to practice in the several courts of law appet for the redemption of the public and equity in this state. debt, with an amendment.

and personal of Lewis Johnston, dec'd, to the bill for the alleviation of denters. which remains ansold, in Thea Irvine And the amendments being read for: Evolution Johnston, and Sirch Day dale, Foster moved that the amendments be. of hirea of the social bears to instrigue graces to; can the question, it was to was read the mind time, and on the

become din the affirmative, and the Liens & Nano being required, are, Yeas

Those who voted in the affirmative. re Messrs. Brown, Carter, Davis (of Valton), Hardee, Hardin, Henderson, Bogan, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, wens, Park, Fowell, Reed, Runnells, spivey, Talbot, Walker, Watts (of Wahiligton), Watts (of Telfair) and Williams.

Those who voted in the negative,

The bill to extend the powers of the The following bills were severally comptroller General. &c. were read the

A bill to alter and amend the 83rd The following bills were severally readence to wit:

nce river, passed toth December, 1807, act, to amend the several militia laws,

bridges, &c. in said county. And

A bill supplemental to an act, to ap- A bill to admit Cresswell M Donald

The Senate took up the amendments The bill to vest the estate both reallmade by the House of Representatives

termined in the negative, and the yeas Messrs. D. and T. have called upon, and nays being required, are Yeas 13. and informed me, that the said tents Nays 15.

liams.

Talbot, and Walker.

nate do adhere to their original bill, and mand. ed by the House of Representatives to mereon. confer on the subject matter in dispute.

Ordered, That Messrs. Barnett, State-House, Milledgeville, ? Walker, Davies (of Chatham), Powell, Runnells, Foster, and Hammond, be the committee on part of Senate.

The following communication from the committee on Finance. His Excellency the Governor by his Secretary Mr. Early, was received, viz : clock.

Mr. President,

By the 6th section of the act of the On motion Mr. Foster, 22d December 1808, "for the esta-"any way he may deem most advisa-quired, are, Yeas 11. Nays 18 "ble for a number of tents for two Regi- Those who voted in the affirmative, to Messrs. Devereux and Thweatt Watts (of Telfair), and W. Lams. Merchants of Milledgeville, to procure Those who voted in the negative, are fifty tents in terms of the said act. Messrs. Barnett, Carter, Davies (of

lare now ready for delivery, and have Those in the affirmative, are Messrs presented their account, amounting to Brown, Davis (of Walton) Foster, Hen-11.96 dollars 59 cents as the cost of said derson, Lanier, Little, Owens, Remson, tents; a copy of which you will re-Runnells, Spivey, Watts (of Wash-ceive herewith. The act before mentiington), Watts (of Telfair), and Willoned does not direct out of which fund the expences incurred in carrying it into Those in the negative, are Messrs, effect should be paid, and although it is Barnett, Carter, Hammond, Hardee, presumable it was intended they should Hardin, Hogan, Hurt, M'Lendon, be charged to the comingent fund, I am Moore, Park, Powell, Reed, Scruggs, precluded from giving it that course, in consequence of the balance of that Whereupon, Resolved, that the Se-sfund being insufficient to meet the de-

that a committee of conservence be ap- I therefore communicate the matter pointed to join such as may be appoint-to the Legislature, for their decision

D. B. MITCHELL.

5th December, 1809.

Which being read was referred to

Adjourned 'till to-morrow 10

and Gentlemen of the Senate. THURSDAY, 7th December, 1809.

To reconsider the Journal of yes-"blishment and support of Military terday, so far as respects the allevia-"Schools, &c. &c." the Commander ting bill, it was determined in the nein Chief is "empowered to contract in gative, and the yeas and nays being re-

"ments, &c." and my immediate prede-are Messrs Foster, Henderson, Jackcessor, (it would appear), has acted up-son, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, Uwon the said section, by giving directions, ens, Remson, Watts (of Washington),

mond, Hardee, Hardin, Hogan, Hurt, mond, Hardee, Hogan, Jackson, Lanier, Moore, Park, Powell, Reed, Runnells, Park, Powell, Scruggs, Spivey, Talbot, Scruggs, Spivey, Talbot, and Walker. Walker, and Williams.

was referred the petition of sundry in-lare Messrs. Barnett, Davis (of Walhabitants of this state, praying relief aslton), Hardin, Henderson, Hurt, I ule. to using and vending cotton machines, M'Lendon, Moore, Owens, Reed, Remfor which it is said one Eli Whitney had son, Runnells, Watts (of Washington) obtained a patent, report, which was and Watts (of Teifair.) ordered to lie on the table.

tion of the Journal, relative to the re-port be stricken out, and on the questiport of the committee on the memorial on to agree to the same, it was deterof Daniel Sturges.

blank in consideration for the services Nays 13. of the said D. Sturges be filled up with Those who voted in the affirmative. the sum of 2000 dollars; on the ques-lare Messrs. Barnett, Davies (of Burke) tion to agree to the same, it was deter-Davis (of Walton), Hardin, Henderson mined in the negative, and the yeas & Hurt, Lamer, Little, M'Lendon, Ownays being required, are Yeas 10—lens, Reed, Runnells, Scruggs, Watts Nays 20.

Those in the affirmative, are Messrs. fair. Carter, Hammond, Hardee, Hogan, Jackson, Park, Powell, Talbot, Walker, Messrs. Carter, Davies (of Chatham), and Williams.

are Messrs. Barnett, Davies (of Burke) Walker, and Williams. Davis (of Walton), Davies (of Chat- The following bills were severally ham), Foster, Harden, Henderson, read the third time, and passed under Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, Moore, their respective titles, to wit: Owens, Reed, Remson, Runnells, Scruggs, Spivey, Watts (of Washing-to erect a toll bridge across Little river, ton) and Watts (of Telfair.)

said blank be filled with fifteen hundredlextra session of the Superior court of dollars; and on the question to agree Wilkes county. to the same, it was determined in the A bil to establish an Academy in affirmative, and the year and mays be-like town of Eatonion, in the county of

are Messrs. Carter, Dayles (of Burke), And

Burke), Davies (of Chatham), Ham-|Davies (of Chatham), Tester, Ham-

Mr. Watts (of Washington) to whom Those who voted in the negative,

Mr. Barnett then moved that the The Senate took up the reconsidera-whole of the second section of said remined in the affirmative, and the Yeas Mr. Walker then moved that the and Nays being required, are Yeas 15.

(of Washington,) and Watts [of Tel-

These who voted in the negative, are Foster, Hammond, Hardee, Hogan, Those who voted in the negative, Jackson, Moore, Park, Powell, Talbot,

A bill to authorise Charles R. Carter lat his mills in Wilkes county.

Mr. Scruggs then moved that the A bill to authorise the holding of an

ing required, are Yeas 16.... Nays 14. Putnam, by the name of Union Aca-Those who voted in the affirmative, demy, and to incorporate the same.—

pourts of law and equity in this state. rior court of said county. And

an act, to incorporate the Savannah county. And sed December 10, 1808.

ment.

The bill to be entitled an act, to en-States. courage the Female Asylum of Savansed under the title thereof.

title thereof.

signed by Daniel Sturges, late Survey-ses.

June next.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

passed a resolution appointing George And he withdrew. Moore a Trustee of Mason Academy, The Senate took up the message, & in Oglethorpe county.

A bill to admit Creswell M'Donald county, & appo. ing Joshua Hightowto plead and practice in the severaller & James Walea, Justices of the Infe-

The Senate took up the report of the A resolution confirming the Execucommittee of the whole, on the bill to tive appointment of Jesse Bull, a Jusbe entitled an act, to amend and explain tice of the Inferior court of Columbia

Poor-house and Hospital Society—pas-| They have concurred in the resolution from Senate, appointing this day at Which was agreed to with an amend-[12 o'clock for the election of a Judge of the Western District, in the place of Whereupon the said bill was readlihe honorable Charles Tait, elected a the third time, and passed as amended. Senator to the Congress of the United

The House of Representatives adnah, was read the third time, and pas-here to their amendments made to the bill for the alleviation of debtors, and The bill to be entitled an act, to re-concur in the appointment of a commitpeal an act to compel clerks to keep tee of conference thereon, and have their offices at, or within one mile of appointed a committee on their part, their respective court-houses, so far as consisting of Messrs. Ware, Williams, respects the county of Scriven, was Bryan, Allen, Byne, Wellborn, Housread the 3d time, and passed under the ton, Bacon, Montgomery, Greene, and Chandler, to join the committee appoint-

The bill to be entitled an act, to ren-led by Senate, to confer on the subject der valid the plats and records made & matter in dispute between the two Hous

or General, so far as respects the land They disagree to the amendments comprised in the original counties of made by Senate, to the bill to divide the Baldwin, Wilkinson, and Wayne and county of Wilkinson, adhere to their o-The bill to add a part of Washington riginal bill, and request a committee of to Baldwin county, were postponed 'till|conference, and have appointed Messrs Hutchinson, Bryan, Williams, Fort, A message from the House of Re- and Holt, a committee on their part, to join such committee as may be appointed by Senate, to confer on the subject The House of Representatives have matter in dispute, relative to said bill.

concurred in the appointment of the A resolution confirming the Executive committee of conference on the bill to appointment of Robert L. Troup, a Jus-divide the county of Wilkinson, and tice of the Inferior court of Montgomery appointed Messrs, Jackson, Park, Walk-

part. And the resolution, were seve which was read the 1st time. rally concurred in.

A message from his Excellency the read the 2d time, to wit: Governor by Mr. Early his Secretary. A bill to regulate the election of Re-Mr. President,

His Excellency the Governor has state. approved and signed a joint resolution, Ordered for a committee of the whole fixing on this day at 12 o'elock for the in June next. election of a Judge of the Western Dis- A bill to authorise Clerks, Sheriffs, trict in the room of the hon. Charles Coroners, & Surveyors to hold their of-Tait, lately elected a Senator in the Con-fices during the intervention between gress of the United States, and has di-the election and commissioning of their rected me to inform the Senate thereof, successors, and to regulate the transfer it being the branch of the Legislature in of monies and papers. which the same originated. And he Ordered for a third reading. withdrew.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk one mile of their respective court-hou-Mr. President,

I am directed by the House of Re-Pulaski and Telfair. presentatives to inform the Senate that | Ordered for a 2d reading. they are now in readiness to receive them in the Representative Chamber|state. for the purpose of proceeding to the election of a Judge of the Superier courts for the Western District, in place berger. of the hon. Charles Tait, elected a Senator in the Congress of the United States, agreeably to a concurred and ap-certificate therein mentioned. proved resolution. And he withdrew.

The Senate then repaired to the Representative Chamber, and being seat-nel of Broad river from the confluence ed, proceeded by joint ballot to said of the same with Savannah river, to the election, and on counting out the votes, aouth of Hudson's river in Franklin it appeared that Col. Thomas P county. Carnes was duly elected.

Chamber, and too't their seats.

The Senate took up the bill from the try. House of Representatives, securing to Ordered for a third reading. Joseph IIIII, his lears and assigns, the A bill to keep op in, remove, and pre-

or, and Foster, a canatitee on their bridges across Savannah river, &c.

The following bills were severally

ceivers and Collectors of Taxes in this

A bill to repeal an act, to compel A message from the House of Re-clerks to Leep their offices at, or within ses, so far as respects the counties of

A bill to regulate tavern license in this.

Ordered for a 3d reading.

A bill for the relief of David Lime.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill for the renewal of an audited

Ordered for a 3d reading.

A bill to keep open the main chant

Ordered for a 3d reading.

The henate then returned to their A bill to compel Justices of the Peace of this state, to keep a fair book of en-

exclusive right or creating three tollivent obstructions in Savannahriver, so

far as respects the counties therein men- is (of Walton), Foster, Hardee, Hentioned, &c.

Ordered for a 3d reading.

section of an act, to revise, amend, and Washington), Watts (of Telfair), and consolidate the several militia laws of Williams. this state, and to adapt the same to the Those who voted in the negative, are act of the Congress of the United States. Messrs. Hammond, Hardin, Hogan,

Ordered for a committee in June Jackson, Moore, Park, Powell, and

And next.

ary system of this state.

Ordered for a committee of the Glynn, to be applied to the erecting

whole.

The Senate took up the bill to be en- The bill to amend the 7th section of titled an act, to prohibit dueling, &c. an act, to amend the several militia laws which being read;

Mr. Walker moved that the bill bery-passed the 17th December, 1808.

postponed 'till June next, and on the And

question to agree to the same, it was de- The bill to regulate the town of Eatermined in the negative, & the Yeas & tonton, in the county of Putnam, were Nays being required, are Yeas 8. Nays severally taken up, read the third time, 22.

Those who voted in the affirmative, The Senate resolved itself into a are Messrs. Hammond, Hardin, Hogan, committee of the whole, on the bill the Walker.

Those who voted in the negative, are the chair, Mr. President resumed the Messrs. Barnett, Carter, Davies (of chair, and Mr. Henderson reported, Burke) Davies (of Chatham), Davis (of that they had gone through the same Walton), Foster, Hardee, Henderson, without any amendment.

Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, Owens, The Senate took the report, which Reed, Remson, Runnells, Scruggs, was agreed to.

Spivey, Talbot, Watts (of Washington,) Whereupon the said bill was read the Watts [of Telfair], and Williams.

The said bill was then read the third of. time, and on the question, shall this bill The Senate took up the bill which now pass, it was determined in the affixes ordered for a committee of the firmative, and the Yeas and Neysbeing I hole, to be emitted an act, further exrequired are Yeas 22. Nays 8.

derson, Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, Owens, Reed, Remson, Runnells, A bill to amend and repeal the first Scruggs, Spivey, Talbot, Watts (of

Walker.

A bill supplementary to the Judici- The bill to levy an extra tax upon the lands of Absentees in the county of bridges, &c. in said county.

of this state, and to organize the Caval-

and passed under their respective titles.

Jackson, Moore, Park, Powell, and more effectually to punish the crime of horse-stealing, &c. Mr. Henderson in

|30 time, & passed under the title there-

lending the powers of the Comptroller Those who voted in the affirmative [General, so far as to relieve the heirs of are Messrs. Harnett, Carter, Davie William Pierce, a soldier in the late (of Burke), Davies (of Chatham), Da Jame Troops, which was read the 34 time, and passed under the title there-tion, and shall be found qualified," and like same was agreed to. υf.

clock.

FRIDAY oth December, 1809. On motion of Lar. Owens,

of yesterday so for as respects the bililition shall this bill pass as amended? it which was passed relative to the ad was determined in the affirmative, and mission of Creswell LTD mald to pleadline year and mays being required, are, and practice in the several courts of Yeas 20. Rays 10. law and equity in this state.

stage and order in which it was consi-Hurt, Jackson, Lanter, Lutle, MLendered at its passage.

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

Senate that the bill is in order, and can are Messrs. Davies (of Burke), Davies be amended.

firmative, and the year and nays being Mr. Barnett from the joint comenirequired, are Yeas 27 Nays 3.

are, Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, the alleviating bill, Reported, which Davis [of Walton], Hammond, Hardee, was ordered to lie on the table. Hardin, Henderson, Hogan, Hurt, On motion of Mr. Barnett, Jackson, Lanier, Little, M. Lendon, Resolved, that his Excellency the Moore, Owens, Park, Powell, Reed Governor be, and he is hereby request-Remson, Runnells, Spivey, Talbot, ed to pay out of the contingent fund, Walker, Watts (of Washington) Watts the accounts of the several printers wio (of Telfar) and Williams.

are, Messrs. Davies (of Chatham) Fos-present General Assembly, on their beter and Geruggs.

Mr. Owens then moved, that the promissioners of confiscated property. viso in said bill be stricken out, which Mr. Walker laid on the table the folis in the words following: "Provided lowing resolution;

Adjourned 'till to-morrow 10 o'- Nir. Foster then moved that the name of George Walton, and Mr. Plaraee that the name of James C. W. Stewart be inserted in said bill, which was also reed.

Vibercupon the said bill was then The Senate reconsidered the Journal lead the third time, and on the ques-

Those who could in the affirmative, On motion of Mr. Davies Jof Chat are Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, Davis (of Walton) Foster, Hammonl, Resolved, that the bill is now in the Hardee, Hardin, Henderson, Hogan, don, Owens, Remson, Spivey, Talbot, and Williams.

Resolved, that it is the sense of this Those who voted in the negative, (or Chatham), Moore, Park, Powell, On the question to agree to the lastiRunnells, Scruggs, Walker, Watts (of resolution, it was determined in the al-Washington), and Watts (of Tellair).

tee of conference to whom was referred Those who voted in the affirmative the subject matter of disagreement on

have published the sales of confiscated Those who voted in the negative property, postponed by order of the ling certified by a majority of the com-

he undergoes the customary examina. Resolved, by the Senate & House of

acre lots, under the same restrictions Nays 12. and regulations as lots have been here- Those who voted in the affirmative, to be laid out below Fishing Creek on and Williams. the river.

Superior and Inferior Courts, Clerkston). of papers and monies.

ses, so far as respects the counties of reading.

Pulaski and Telfair.

certificate therein mentioned.

A bill to compel the Justices of Yeas 10. Nays 19. the Peace in this state to keep a fair and regular book of entry.

license in this state.

The bill to be entitled an act to keepler, and Watts (of Washington.)

Representatives of the State of George from the confluence of the same with in General Assembly met, that the Com-Savannah river, to the mouth of Hudmissioners of Milledgeville be, & they son's river in Franklin county, was are hereby authorised to dispose of an read the third time, and on the question additional number of Lots in the town of shall this bill now pass, it was deter-Milledgeville, not to exceed twenty, and mined in the affirmative, and the Yeas to lease out not exceeding ten twenty and Nays being required, are, Yeas 19.

tofore sold and leased. Ten of said are Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Davis (of lots to be sold lying adjacent to the Pe-Walton), Foster, Hardee, Handerson, nitentiary square, the other ten where Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, Moore, the Commissioners may deem most ad Owens, Reed, Remson, Runnells, vantageous; and the twenty acre lots Scruggs, Talbot, Watts (of Telfair),

Those who voted in the negative, The following bills were severally are Messrs. Carter, Davies (of Burke) taken up, read the third time, and pas-Davies (of Chatham), Hammond, Harsed under their respective titles, to wit idin, Hogan, Jackson, Park, Powell, Spi-A bill to authorise the clerks of the vey, Walker, and Watts (of Washing-

of the Courts of Ordinary, Sheriffs, The bill to be entitled an act, to keep Coroners and Surveyors, to hold their open, remove, and prevent obstructions offices during the intervention between in Savannah river, calculated to impede the election and commissioning of their the free passage of fish, and the navisuccessors, and to regulate the transfer gation of said river by boats, so far as respects the counties of Richmond, Co-A bill to amend an act to compellumbia, Lincoln, Elbert, and Franklin, clerks to keep their offices at, or within as far as the mouth of Tugalo and Keeone mile of their respective court hou lowe rivers, was taken up for a third

Mr. Walker moved that so much of A bill for the renewal of an audited the bill as relates to Richmond county be stricken out; on the question, it was \$\text{\$\pi\$ A bill for the relief of David Lime-determined in the negative, and the Yeas and Nays being required, arc.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are Messrs. Davies (of Burke), Davies A bill to regulate the rates of tavern (of Chatham), Hammond, Hardee, Hardin, Hogan, Park, Scruggs, Walk-

open the main channel of Broad river Those who voted in the negative,

(of Wohon), Foster, Herderson, Hurt, the Congress of the United States, La ner, Little, M'Lendon, Moore Ow which being again read, was agreed to, en, Powell, Reed. Remson, Runnells, The Senate resolved itself into a Sorvey, Talbot, Watts [of Teliair], committee of the whole, on the bill to and Williams.

heirs and assigns, the exclusive right of that they had gone through the same erecting three toll bridges across Sa-with an amendment. vanual river, &c. was read the 2d time, The Senate took up the report and ordered for a third reading.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. the third time, and passed under the

Mr. Fresident,

passed the bill from Senate, to provide the joint committee of conference, on for taking the Census of this state, as the alleviating bill, which is as follows: required by the constitution.

made by Senate to the bill to repeal an our with the Senate in their 2d. act, to compensate the Justices of the 2d Section. The Senate recede and Inferior courts.

They have passed a resolution on the lives. petition of John M'Leod.

A resolution on the petition of Gibson tarives recede. and Fort. And

A resolution on the petition of concur. Charles Harris. And he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message & concur. receded from their amendment to the bill to repeal an act, to compensate the concur. Justices of the Inferior court, and concarred with the House of Representationeur. tives, and the said resolutions were severally read and concurred in.

of the committee on the state of the re-concur. public, on the resolution passed by the 10th Section. The Senate recede and State of Virginia, recommending an a-concur. mendment to the constitution of the U- 11th Section. Add in the 87th line

are Messrs. Parnett, Prown, Davis|gislatures to remove their Senators in

be entitled an act, supplementary to the W rereupon the said bill was read the Judiciary system of this state; Mr. Ow-3d time, & passed with amendments. Jens in the chair, Mr. President resumed The bill securing to Joseph Hill, his the chair, and Mr. Owens reported

which was agreed to.

A message from the House of Re- Whereupon the said bill was read ritle thereof.

The House of Representatives have The Senate took up the report of

That the House of Representatives They still disagree to the amendments recode from their first clause, and con-

concur with the House of Representa-

3d Section. The House of Represen-

4th Section. The Senate recede and

5th Section. The Senate recede and

6th Section. The Senate recede and

7th Section. The Senate recede and

8th Section. The Senate recede and concur.

The Senate again took up the report 9th Section. The Senate recede and

nited States, empowering the State Le-after the word "peace" " such securi-

y," the balance of the clause, the Se-the resolution was concurred in. rate recede and concur.

entatives recede and concur with the nate. Senate on their 4th section.

13th Section. The Senate recede and the 1st time.

concur.

ham.)

Resolved, That the printer employof the Legislature.

clock.

Mr. President,

committee to examine certain books in ment. the Executive Office, mentioned in the

December, made to the House of Re-| The Senate resolved itself into a presentatives.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hardee and 12th Section. The House of Repre-Foster be the committee on part of Se-

And the appropriation act was read

The bill to be entitled an act, secur-14th. Section. The Senate recede and ing to Joseph Hill, his heirs and assigns. the exclusive right of erecting three toll 15th Section. The Senate recede & bridges across Savannah river and its branches, & raising causeways across . And the same being read was agreed Hutchinson's island, and other islands in the said river, was taken up, read the . On motion of Mr. Davies (of Chat-third time, and passed under the foregoing title.

The Senate took up the report of ed to print the Laws and Journals of the the committee of the whole, on the bill Legislature, be required to strike off to be entitled an act, to alter and amend three hundred copies of the bill to allevi-the several militia laws of this state, & ate the condition of debtors, as agreed to repeal the 8th and 10th sections of upon and reported by the committee of an act, entitled an act, to alter and a-Conference, for the use of the members mend the several militia laws of this state, and to organize the Cavalry, and Adjourned 'till to-morrow 10 o'-the same being amended, was ordered to lie on the table.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to SATURDAY, 9th December, 1809 authorise Zachariah Sims to erect a A message from the House of Re-bridge over the Oconee river at his presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. |mills. Mr. Powell in the chair, Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. The House of Representatives have Powell reported that they had gone passed a resolution appointing a joint through the bill without any amend-

The bill was read the third time, and Governor's communication of the 8th passed under the foregoing title.

committee of the whole, on the bill to They have passed a bill to be enti-be entitled an act, to amend an act, entled an act, to appropriate monies for titled an act, to protect the estate of orthe political year 1810. And he with-phans, and to make permanent provision for the poor, passed 18th December The Senate took up the message, and 1792. Mr. Lanier in the chair, Mr.

President resumed the chair, and Mr. klin, Hogan, Hurt, Little, Moore, Ow. Lander reported that they had gonelens, Park, Powell, Reed, Stewart, Tal. through the same without any amend-bot, Walker, and Watts [of Telfair]. ment.

pessed under the foregoing title.

peal the 3d section of an act, for the es-conference, on the bill to divide the tablishment of a military school, was county of Wilkinson, in the words foltaken up, read and postponed 'till June lowing;

to sell and lease lots in the town of ter of disagreement between the two Milledgeville, laid on the table yester-Houses on the bill to divide Wilkinday, which was amended to read as fol-son county, Report; lows:

Representatives of the State of Georgia the name of the Ocmulgee division of in General Assembly met, that the Com-said county, and concur with the House missioners of Milledgeville be, & theylof Representatives—& that the House are hereby authorised to dispose of an of Representatives recede and concur additional number of Lots in the town of with Senate in their amendments to the Milledgeville, not to exceed twenty, un-remaining parts of said bill. der the same restrictions and regulatid. On the question to agree to the same, ons as lots have heretofore been sold lit was determined in the affirmative.

committee of the whole, on the bill to clock. be entitled an act, for the relief of Peter Collens and the heirs of James Sims. Mr. Barnett in the chair, Mr. President MONDAY, 11th December, 1809. resumed the chair, and Mr. Barnett Mr. Foster moved that the Journal reported, that they had gone through of Senate of Saturday be re-considered, the same; and that the further consiliso far as respects the report of the comderation of said bill be postponed 'till mittee of the whole, on the bill for the June next.

The Senate took up the report, and James Sims. on the question to agree to the same, On the question to re-consider, it was it was determined in the affirmative, & determined in the negative. the Yeas and Nays being required, are Yeas 13—Nays 6.

Barnett, Carter, Pavis (of Walton) was referred the memorial of Hines Davies (of Chatham), Hammond, Har I lolt, together with the accounts from

Those in the negative, are Messrs. The bill was read the third time, and Foster, Jackson, Lanier, M'Lendon, Scruggs, and Spivey.

The bill to be entitled an act, to re- Mr. Jackson from the committee of

The joint committee of conferrence Mr. Walker called up the resolution to whom was referred the subject mat-

That the Senate recede from their a-Resolved by the Senate and House of mendments to the bill so far as respects

The Senate resolved itself into a Adjourned 'till to-morrow 10 o's

relief of Peter Collens and the heirs of

Mr. Moore from the committee on Finance made the following final reports: Those in the affirmative, are Messrs 1 1st The committee of Finance to whom of opinion, that the account of Hines pear to be justly due on such investi-Holt is correct, with the exception of gation, out of the Contingent Fund of one charge, amounting to two hundred the present year. and seventeen dollars fifty cents, com- 3dly. The committee of Finance to dollars, including forty dollars advanced ted the 23d of November ult. him by Hines Holt, for his trouble in re-surveying the Knoxboro' lands; appropriated the sum of 347 dols. 37 1-2 Office from the following counties, viz. cts. in favor of Hines Holt, and that From the county of there be appropriated the sum of 40 dols Camden for the years 1805, 6, & 7. in favor of E.B. Jenkins; also the sum of Effingham 10 dols. in favor of John Moore, in full Bulloch for their services as above stated.

2dly. The committee of Finance, to Scriven whom was referred the communication Montgomery of his Excellency the Governor, enclosing an account of Devereux and Wilkinson Thweatt for Tents,

Further Report,

opinion, that the charge of commissionlies for the following years, to wit. is in one instance too high, and in the other, being connected with other charges, we are thereby precluded the power of judging of its correctness.

· We therefore recommend the following resolution;

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be requested to cause a pro- Having in contempt of said Resold-

Edm. B. Jenkins and John Moore, are ed to pay to them such sum as may ap-

missions on lands sold to George Baily. whom were referred the communication They are further of opinion, that Ed-of the Comptroller General and Treamund B. Jenkins is entitled to eighty surer, under a resolution of Senate, da-

Further Report,

That on an examination of said com-& that Ino. Moore is entitled to 10 dols munication, they find that no digest of for drawing a map of the said lands. taxable property has been returned or Whereupon, Resolved, that there be transmitted to the Comptroller General's

1806. 1887. McIntosh 1800 & 1807. 1807.

1800, 1801, 2, 3, Fand 4.

1807

And that the jusutices of Inferior courts of the aforementioned counties, That your committee are of opinion, who were required by a resolution of the account is well calculated to evade the last Legislature to shew cause why a proper investigation of its correctness, they should not be removed from ofas we are neither furnished with the fice for having failed to transmit to the makers bills, or the bills of Buller, Bur proper department the Bonds of the roughs & Sturges; and we are also of Receivers and Collectors of said coun-

> Glynn for the year 1807 Lincoln 1807. 1300 & 1302. McIntosh Montgomery 1801. Tatnall 1805, 6, and 7. Wilkinson 1207. For this county Collector's bond only wanting.

per investigation of the correctness of tion neglected to shew cause for not he accounts of Devereux & Thygati, having forwarded said bonds.

and that he be authorised and riquir-

The committee therefore recommend the following resolution:

Resolved, that his Excellency their Governor be requested to have the the following resolution: bonds now in the Treasury-Office, of Resolved, that the Justices of the Insuch Receivers of taxable property, as ferior courts of the said last above menhave failed or neglected to make return tioned counties do cause the aforesaid of their digest agreeably to law, immediands to be returned to the proper of diately put in suit.

courts of the above mentioned counties or shew good cause why they should ought by the next General Assembly to not be removed from office for failing be removed from office, unless they so to do. transmit the bonds which are wanting as 4thly. Et also The committee of Finance aforesaid to the proper officer, or shewlto whom was referred the statement good cause why the same is not done of the Commissioners of Milledgeville,

On the second communication on this farther Report, subject, from the Treasurer, the com- That on examination of that statemittee find that the bonds of the Collec-ment it appears that there is due too tors whose accounts are not closed for said commissioners for services and the following counties and years, are al-Printers bills the sum of dots. 145 25

so wanting, to wit;

Baldwin for 1309. Bryan 180, & 1809. Camden - Idol & 1869. Chatham 1809. Columbia 1808. Effingham 1807, 8 & 9. Glynn 1808 and 9. Greene 1809. Hancock 1808. Jackson 1809. Jones 1808. Laurens 1000. Liberty 1808. Lincoln 1808 and 9. MIntosh 1801 Morgan 1809. Montgomery 1809 Oglethorpe 1800 Pulaski 1000 Scriven 1809 Teliair 1890 and 9

Warren TäÚS 1303 and 9. Wilkinson

The committee therefore recommend

lice on or before the first day of the And that the Justices of the Inferior meeting of the next General Assembly.

cts. which we recommend be provided

for in the appropriation law.

It also appears, that agreeably to the appropriation law of last year Messrs Thomas and Scott have received the sum of dols. 29,999 99 cts. in addition to what they had before received, on their contract for building the State-House, and which house they were bound to have completed on the 1st day of October, 1807, and which, altho' the great indulgence those Contractors have received, and the liberal advances made them, it appears is not yet completed, by which it would appear by the report of the commissioners, they have been unable to obtain a valuation of the work, as directed by a resolution of the last Legislature; your committee thereliore recommend the following resolu-

Resolved, that his Excellency the Go-

vernor be and he is hereby authorized of the General Assembly. and requested immediately to have the Ordered, That Messrs. Davies (of bond of the contractors for building the Chatham), Jackson and Lanier be that State-House put in suit.

And be it further resolved, That the valuation of the work now done on the ken up and read the 2d time. State-House, and report the same to the The Senate resolved itself into a next Legislature.

ports, which being read;

to the 1st, 2d and 3d reports.

dols. 25 cents be agreed to; and on the acts, viz: report relative to the bond of the under-and Priscilla his wife. takers of the State-House being put in Anact to regulate the town of Easuit, it was determined in the negative tonton in the county of Putnam.

Resolved, that his Excellency the taken, by suit or otherwise, for the pur-bridges, &c. in said county. pose of establishing the right and title of An act to prohibit Dueling. of land, lying on Savannah river in the the Judiciary law of this state. ment and confiscation.

On motion of Mr. Davies (of Chatham),

Resolved, that a committee be ap-for the redemption of the public debt.

committee.

The bill to be entitled an act, to apcommissioners of Milledgeville be, and propriate monies for the political year they are hereby required, to procure aleighteen hundred and ten, was ta-

committee of the whole, on said bill, The Senate took up the several re-Mr. Moore in the chair, Mr. President resumed the chair and Mr. Moore re-Resolved, that the Senate do agree ported progress, and had leave to set again.

Resolved, that so much of the 4th Mr. Foster from the committee of enreport as relates to the balance due the rollment, reported as duly enrolled & commissioners of Milledgeville of 146 signed by the Speaker, the following

question to agree to that part of said An act to divorce William Sorrow

On motion of Mr. Davies (of Chat- An act for the relief of certain Wharfholders in the City of Savannah.

An act to levy an extra tax upon the Governor be and he is hereby request-lands of Absentees in the county of ed to cause the necessary steps to be Glynn, to be applied to the erecting

the state to nine hundred & forty acres An act to amend the 26th section of

county of Chatham, being part of a tract | An act to alter and amend the 83rd of land called Knoxboro' and which was section of the Judiciary, passed the 9th formerly the property of some person of February 1797, and to amend the or persons named in the bill of banish-Judiciary, passed the 16th February 1799.

An act supplemental to an act, to appropriate the funds heretofore set apart

pointed to adjust the accounts of the An act to repeal an act, compeling members of the Senate and its officers clerks to keep their offices at, or within against the state for their attendance one mile of their respective court-houand services during the present sessionless, so far as respects the county of Scrive ...

An act to amend the 7th section of an ed to, and signed by the President. act, entitled an act, to alter and amend Ordered, That the committee on enthe several militia laws of this state, & colled bills do carry said acts to his Exto organize the Cavalry, passed the 17th cellency the Governor for his revision. December, 1808.

ministers of the Gospel, so far as res-Smith, and the same being read, was apects their serving as jurors or doing mended and agreed to, & is as follows: militia duty.

the right to erect a ferry over Little ri-kitton of Charles Smith, are of opinion ver, at or near his mills in the county that his petition deserves the attention of Lincoln, on the road leading from of the Legislature, and recommend the Augusta to Petersburg.

laws and resolutions of this state, pas-of Representatives in General Assemsed since the political year eighteen bly met, and by the authority of the hundred.

passed on the 22d day of December, duals in this state, touching the inaccueighteen hundred and eight, giving fur-racy of any survey or surveys of lands ther time to the fortunate drawers in as stated to have been made by either the late land lotteries to take out their of the surveyors, under, and by virtue grants.

of the public buildings in Morgan plainant or complainants shall have due county, at the town of Madison, and to recourse to the bond or bonds of the incorporate the same.

Census of this state, as required by the the Superior court. Constitution.

of the Camden county Academy to as-hereby required to cause a certified cocertain and collect the amount of the pv of the Surveyor's bond, on applicafunds belonging to said institution.

of the Comptroller General, so far as to duly certified as choresaid, under the relieve the heirs and legal representa-privy seal of his Excellency the Govertives of William Pierce, a soldier in the nor, for the time being, shall be deemed, late state troops. And

oring of Horse-stealing.

The said acts were severally present.

The Senate took up the report of the An act to give relief to all ordained committee on the petition of Charles

The committee on the state of the An act to secure to Joshua Grinage republic to whom was referred the pefollowing resolution:

An act to compile and arrange the Resolved by the Senate and House same, That in case of any complaint An act to continue in force an act, being had by any individual or indiviof the several lottery laws of the late An act to make permanent the site ceded Territory of this state, such com-Surveyor of the district as the case may

An act to provide for taking the require, for a redress of grievances in

And be it further resolved, That his An act to enable the commissioners Excellency the Governor be, and he is Ition to be given to said complainant, An act further to extend the powershis agent or attorney, which copy when held and taken as good and sufficient An act more effectually to punish the in the place of the said original bond, and mits or principle of law to the contract the real motivities tanding.

The Senate took up the report of the committee on the petition of Brittain M'Cullers, to wit:

red the petition of Brittain M'Cullers, kinson county, in the words following: REPORT,

commend the following resolution:

tain M'Cullers, & which has been des-thereon. And he withdrew. al surveys, at the rates specified by and din, Park, Spivey, and Scruggs. act, entitled an act, &c. Provided the On motion of Mr. Powell, demnifying the State against any con-vin, removed out of the county. sequence which may result from the renewal of the said certificate, and the same sentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. being read, was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

the Representative Chamber to-morrow|court for the county of Chatham; ral Assembly.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. Journals to strike off 300 copies of the

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives disagree to the report of the committee of The committee to whom was refer-conference on the bill to divide Wil-

" And that the House of Represen-That the prayer of the petitioner is atives recede and concur with Senate reasonable and just, and therefore re-in the remainder of their amendments to said bill," and the House of Repre-> Resolved, That the Comptroller Ge-sentatives request a second committee neral be, and he is hereby required to of conference to take into consideraissue a certificate in favor of Brittain that subject matter of disagreement M'Cullers, for 640 acres of land in lieu between the two branches—and have of a certificate for the same number of appointed a committee on their part, acres of land in favor of the said Brit-consisting of eleven members to confer

troved by fire, as stated in the petition The Senate took up the message, of the said Brittain M'Cullers, which agreed to a second committee of concertificate when issued, is to be receiv-serrence on the bill, and appointed ed by the Treasurer in payment of the Messrs. Jackson, Lanier, Stewart, Dadebts due for the purchase of fraction-|vies (of Burke), Owens, Talbot, Har-

said Brittain M'Cullers shall before the Resolved, That William Knight be, cissuing of the said certificate, give aland he is hereby appointed a commissibond with good and sufficient security oner of the court-house and jail for the to his Excellency the Covernor for in-county of Wayne, in lieu of Jones Be-

A message from the House of Repre-

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have Resolved, That both branches of concurred in the resolution appointing the General Assembly will convene in John Grimes a Justice of the Inferior at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of elect-the resolution making distribution of the ing a person to digest and arrange the remaining Digest of Marbury & Craw-Laws and concurred resolutions of this ford to the new counties and districts; state, passed since the political year In the resolution appointing Joseph 1800, agreeably to an act of the Gene-Lain a justice of the Inferior court of Morgan; In the resolution requiring A message from the House of Re-the printer of the present Laws and bill to alleviate the condition of debtors ; Ogechee, at 111,5h Dluff.

In the resolution appointing William A bid to authorise the Inferior court M'Gruder a Trustee of the Columbia of Wayne county, together with the Academy; In the repolution requiring clerk and sheriff, to draw grand and pethe commissioners of confiscated estatt jurors for said county. tates to postpone the sale of property; A bill to authorise the Inférior court In the resolution requesting the Go of Laurens and Pulaski counties to levy vernor to pay the several painters whean extra tax, to defray the expence of have published the sales of confiscated authing the dividing line between said property. And

The House of Representatives have Abili to alter and amend an act, to passed the following bills from Sensial, and forise the Justices of the Inferior to wit:

force in this state.

dox.

A bill to authorise the Inferior coundPulassi. And

Aldermen of the City of Savannah, solon of actions, and avoiding suits in law, far as relates to the regulation of the passed 8th December eighteen hundred market.

A bill to authorise the Inferior court | They have passed a bill to be entiof Pulaski county to draw grand and tled an act, to alter and amend an act, petit jurors.

A bill to authorise the Inferior court/respects the county of Camden, with an of Telfair county, together with the amendment. And clerk and sheriff, to draw jurors for said The bill to add a part of Liberty to

A bill to alter and amend an act, to And he withdrew. regulate and keep in repair the public The Senate took up the message, & roads, causeways and bridges in the the amendment made by by the House counties of Burke, Jefferson, Richmond, of Representatives to the bill entitled an Greene, and Morgan, so far as respect-lact, to alter and amend an act, regulatthe counties of Burke, Jefferson, and mg reads, so far as respects the county Richmond.

run and ascertain the dividing line be-like beli to add a part of Liberty, to Tatttween the counties of W tyne and Cam-nall county, be disagreed to. den.

The Selate adjourned 'till 4 o'clock Ability autorise Sharwood Meralliches aftern on.

to elect a bridge across the river Groun The Benite met agreeably to ad-

counties.

courts of this state to discharge insol-A bill to amend the tax acts now in heart lebrors, confined by any process, from any court of this state.

A bill for the relief of David Mad | A bill to make permanent the seat of file public buildings in the county of

of Baldwin county, to hery an entra tank. A bill to amend an act, to revive and A bill to limit the Jurisdiction of the continua in force an act, for the limitatiand eight.

regulating roads in this state, so far as

Tattnall county, with an amendment.

of Camden, was agreed to.

A bill to appoint commissioners to Ordered, That the amendment to

journment.

a committee of the whole, on the bill Walker and Williams. to appropriate monies for the political The report of the committee being ayear 1810. Mr. Moore in the chair, mended, and agreed to, Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Moore reported, that they had gone passed as amended. through the bill with amendments.

Ordered, that the report do lie on the ham),

table.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

and he is hereby appointed a Notary on the State-House for the sum of se-Public for the county of Morgan.

TUESDAY, 12th December, 1809. paid out of the contingent fund.

The Senate took up the report of the committee of the whole on the bill to ham), appropriate monies for the political year 1810.

"On motion of Mr. Barnett,

the clause to read,

Excelleney the Governor. was determined in the affirmative, and Yeas 19, Nays 10.

Powell, Reed, Scruggs, Spivey, Watts tween the U. States and Great Britain, (of Washington) & Watts (of Teliair).

Messrs. Carter, Foster, Hardin, Jack-The Senate again resolved itselfinto son, Moore, Runnells, Stewart, Talbot,

The bill was read the third time and

On motion of Mr. Davies of (Chat-

Resolved, that His Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby request-Resolved, That Sterling Grimes beled to procure insurance to be effected venty thousand dollars, in some one of Adjourned 'till to-morrow 10 o'clock. the Insurance offices of the United States, and that the amount of such insurance, and the expenses thereof, be

On motion of Mr. Davies (of Chat-

Resolved, that His Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby requested to pay to Seaton Grantland out of Resolved that the Senate do disagree the Contingent Fund, the amount of to the section in said bill appropriating his account for printing 150 copies of 4,500 dollars to John Scott for a Go-the bill from the Louse of Representavernment House; and that they amend lives for alleviating the condition of debtors, and three hundred copies of "The sum of five hundred dollars the same bill as reported by the combe appropriated for house-rent for Hismittee of conference, provided the said On the account shall appear to be reasonable & question to agree to the amendment, in according to the usual rates of charges.

Mr. Davies (of Chatham) from the the year and nays being required, are joint committee of both branches, apcointed to draught an address to the Those who voted in the affirmative President of the United States, expresare Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Davis for live of the sense of the Legislature on Walton], Davies (of Burke), Davies (of the conduct of Francis James Jackson, Coatham) Hardee, Hogan, Hurt, Lanier, the resident Minister from the Court of Little, M'Lendon, McCormick, Owens, St. James, in the late negociation be-

Reported as foliows:

Those who voted in the negative, are The deep and solemn affection of a

people for the government of their But while in Alging in the pleasing exchange... The proud Independence of pecunions, that an effect so desirable formen disdaining a quiet submission was about to be produced, while repost to repeated injuries.... The long continuing in the grateful retrospection of the ed our eggs and insults which have vertuous and patriotic policy which had obstracted the conduct of the British dien field the last administration; and Cabinet towards our country, urge the contemplating an equally honorable in Legish stare of Georgia at this momen to present, we have been roused from tous crasis to an elementation of their a confidence so magnanimous to the resentiments.

While with an eye of prudent suspicion. Heads of Department in our government, the wards the rapid strides of that ment, in whose hands are intrusted all imperious government, towards the desagociations with foreign powers... pour-m of the ocean, we could not but And feeling as we do, that an insult to recognize the pointed jealousy of her of the resonant the interpretation of the desagociations with foreign powers... Orders in Council, which have with something the interpretation of the desagociations with foreign powers... Condens in Council, which have with something the interpretation of the desagociations with foreign powers... Orders in Council, which have with something the interpretation of the desagociations with foreign powers... Condens in Council, which have with something the interpretation of the desagociations with foreign powers... Orders in Council, which have with something the interpretation of the desagociations with foreign powers... Orders in Council, which have with something the interpretation of the desagociations with foreign powers... Orders in Council, which have with something the interpretation of the desagociations with foreign powers... Orders in Council, which have with something the interpretation of the desagociations with foreign powers... Orders in Council, which have with something the interpretation of the desagociations with foreign powers... or the council of the coun

The Legislature half at one time minister, is an insult to the nation at sympathized in the find hope of their large....and deeply impressed with the best trenations in the union, that a classimportance of supporting the Executive reperformance and integrity, sanction in all actions sanctioned by justice, ed by the manifestations of a prince-when the rights and dignity of our Naliving community, would have entitled tional Government are involved.

Them to reciprocal moderation and [45] BE it therefore Resolved by the Se-

them to reciprocal moderation and [us-] BE it therefore Resolved by the Setice from the governments of the old nate and House of Representatives of the world. But the steady determination State of Georgia in General Assembly met, evinced by the two great beligerents That we conceive the conduct of Francof Europe, to a continuation of their cis James Jaceson, late resident Mieneroachments and an unrelenting ad-nister from the Court of St. James, has herence to their violations of the uni-been highly insulting and censurable, versally received principles of National and that with one voice we approve the Law, served entirely to eradicate the spirited and decisive manner of the Eafond hope, that a steady and virtuous centive of the United States in refusing neutrality would be adequate to the further to negociate with the British maintainance of our rights upon the government through the medium of ocean; and hence resulted throughout that minister.

the State of Georgia, that animated and he it further resolved, That we approbation of the principles of an emass Chizens of Georgia and members of bargo, which they deemed best calculate the Union, while ever he found in willed to restore the proud despots of Europe to a sense of justice and of right rights & digary of our country when

ty of our National Republic,

resented to the President of the Unit-house, which they disagree to.

agreed to.

sentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk.

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have son, a committee on their part. passed a resolution on the memorial of lames Holt, and he withdrew.

the resolution was concurred in. A message from the House of Repre-cavalry, which was amended sentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; Mr. President;

concurred in the resolution appointing ing required, are, Yeas 17, Nays 4. this day for the purpose of electing a Those who voted in the affirmative, three o'clock this afternoon.

The Senate took up the Message, & and Watts (of Washington). the amendment was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Park;

Resolved, that Messrs. Hammond, nells. Jackson and Owers be a committee to join such committee as may be ap-passed as amended. pointed by the House of Representatives, to see the Great Seal of the state sentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; affixed to the several laws passed this session, and to examine the balance of be allowed three days for the same.

Mr. President;

ver called upon by the proper autho. The House of Representatives have lagreed to all the amendments made by And be it further Resolved, That his Senate to the bill appropriating monies xcellency the Governor be requested for the political year 1810, except the transmit these our resolutions to our amendment to strike out 4,500 dollars enators in Congress, to be by them to John Scott, for the purchase of his

The Senate took up the message Which being read, was unanimously and adhere to their amendment, and request a committee of conference on A message from the House of Repre-the subject matter in dispute, and have appointed Messrs. Barnet, Davies (of Chatham), Hardin, Powell, and Jack-

The Senate took up the report of the committee of the whole on the bill The Senate took up the message, & to alter and amend the several militia llaws of this state so far as respects the

And on the question to agree to the ameendments, it was determined in the The House of Representatives have affirmative, and the year and nays be-

fit and proper person to arrange and are Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Carter, digest the laws &c. with an amend-Davis (of Walton), Hardin, Hogan, ment; strike out "eleven" and insert Hurt, Lanier, M'Lendon, Powell, Remlson, Scruggs, Stewart, Talbot, Walker,

Those who voted in the negative, are Messrs. Foster, Owens, Park, & Run-

The bill was read the third time and

A message from the House of Repre-

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have the Journal of Senate, and that they concurred in the several reports of the committee on the state of the republic, A message from the House of Re-relative to the amendments proposed presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; by the several States to the Constitutilon of the United States.

In the reports of the committee of Mr. President,

Finance of yesterday.

In the resolution on the petition of Mr. Speaker, and Charles Smith.

In the resolution relative to the Knoxboro' lands, with an amendment.

the amendment to the last resolution Legislature of this state, at their sessiwas agreed to.

Mr. Lanier from the second committee of conference on the bill to divide February last, and was received at the the county of Wilkinson, Reported;

with the H of Representatives in the gislature should be informed of its rename of the Oconee division of said cou ception and contents, and my being nty, & that it retain the name of Wilkin-without any information that such a pason. And that the Senate recede & con-per was in the office until this morning, cur with the House of Representatives, will account for its being communicate to strike out that section of said bill de-led at this late period of the session. fining the dividing line between Wilkinson and Baldwin counties.

the same being read, on the question to ted being an original, and no copy taagree, it was determined in the affirma-ken, the Senate will please communicate tive, and the year and mays being re-the same, together with this message, to quired, are Yeas 22. Nays 6.

Those in the affirmative, are Messrs. Executive Department, Barnett, Brown, Carter, Davies (of the 12th December, 1809. 5 Burke), Davis (of Walton), Foster, Hardin, Hurt, Lanier, Little, M'Lendon, M'Cormick, Owens, Powell, Reed, To the Legislature of the State of Geor-Rannells, Seruggs, Spivey, Stewart, Watts (of Washington), Watts (of The address which the Legisla-Telfair), and Williams.

Davies (of Chatnam), Frammond, ents, has been pleased to present

Excellency the Governor by his Secre-portable a state is calculated to inspire. tary Mr. Larly, enclosing an answer During the unexampled contest which from the President of the United States has so long afflicted Europe, which has to the address of the Legislature at their prestrated all the laws which have hisession of 1808, viz:

and G. ntlemen of the Senate.

Centlemen of the H. of Representatives. You will herewith receive the answer of Thomas Jefferson, late President of The Senate took up the message and the United States, to the address of the on of 1808.

This address bears date the third of Executive Office some time in the same That the Senate recede and concur month. I deem it proper that the Le-

(Signed)

D. B. MITCHELL.

The Senate took up the report, and P. S. The address herewith transmitthe House of Representatives.

THE ANSWER TO THE ADDRESS.

ture of Georgia, the immediate or-Those in the negative, are Messrs. gan of the will of their Constitu-Hardee, Hogan, Talbot, and Walker. | me, is received with that high satisfac-A mess Ge was received from His tion which the approbation of so restherto been deemed sacred among natiourselves towards all parties, would them, and our beloved countries. shield us from its baleful effects; but that commerce indispensably necessary for the exchange of the produce of this great Agricultural country, for the things which we want, increased by a On motion of Mr. Jackson, temporary succession to the commerce | Whereas there appears some uncervortex of their contests.

adopted in consequence of them, and out of the county in which he resides." ed that the State of Georgia will zea-win or Wilkinson. lously emulate her sister states in sup- Ordered to lie on the table. porting the Governments of their choice, A message from the House of Re-& in maintaining the rights and interest presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. of the nation. Our soil, our industry, and our numbers with the bravery to maintain such a contest.

ver become an indifferent spectator, the year 1300. And he withdrew. Her prosperity will be my joy-Her The Senate then repaired to the Reealamities my affliction.

ons, and have so long constituted the Thankful for the indulgence with rule of their intercourse, we had vain-which my conduct has been viewed by ly hoped that our distance from the the Legislature of Georgia, and for the scene of carnage, and the unvariable kind expression of their good will. I justice with which we have conducted supplicate the favour of Heaven towards

> (Signed) TH: JEFFERSON. 3d February, 1309.

of other nations, as being ourselves the lainty as respects the present line beonly neutrals, has brought us into contact tween the counties of Wilkinson and with the lawless belligerents in every Baldwin, as there is two lines; and sça, and threatens to involve us in the some persons do not know to which county they belong; and suits are now The privations from the want of alinstituted against persons living bevent for our produce, have been the un-tween the two lines, under a law subavoidable result of the edicts of the bel-lighting any person to a fine of thirty ligerent powers. Should the measure dollars "who shall vote at any election

which meets your approbation, still save Be it therefore resolved by the Senate the lives and property of our brethren and House of Representatives, That from the insults and rapacity of these there shall not be any fine or fines impowers, it will be a fortunate addition to posed upon any person or persons livthe other benefits derived from it; on the ing betwen the two lines as aforesaid other hand should our present embar-for any vote or votes heretofore given in rasments eventuate in war, I am satisfi-either of the aforesaid counties of Bald-

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives are in which will be engaged in the cause, readiness to receive the Senate for the can never leave us without resources purpose of proceeding to the election of a fit and proper person for to arrange . To no events which can concern the and digest the Laws and Concurred future welfare of my country, can I e-Resolutions, which have passed since

presentative Chamber, and being seat-

ed, proceeded to said election, and up | ulaski and Telfair. on counting out the votes, it am earned. An act to authorise the clerks of the that Smith Clayton, esq. Attorney in the Seperior & Inferior courts, clerks of the

ber and took their scats.

enrollments reported as duly enabled of a republic the transfer of papers and signed by the Speaker, the following nonles. acts to vit:

Anacito amend an act, to alleviate/certificate therein recutioned. condition of Debiors.

regalate and keep in repair the problem has same with the Savannah river, roads, causeways, and bridges, in the the mount of Eludson's river in counties of Burke, Joffenson, Richmon Wranklin courty. Greene and Morgan, so far as respected. An ext to authorise the Inferior court

the counties of Burke, Jefferson, and I Puinski county, to draw a grand & Richmond.

An act to authorise the Inferior court | An act for the relief of David Madof Baldwin county to levy an extra tax, dox.

sate the Justices of the Inferior courts, on of actions, and avoiding suits in law.

Inscrior courts of this state to discharge of Telfair county, together with the insolvent debtors confined by process, clerk and sheriff, to draw grand & pefrom any court of this state whatever. tit jucors.

to keep a fair and regular book of en-berger.

Aldermen of the Chy of Savannah, Wayne and Camden counties.

An act to authorise the Inferior force in this state. court of Wayne county to draw grand An act to make permanent the sect and petit jurors, &c.

An act to encourage the Female Asy-Pulaski. sum of Savaanch.

An act to amend an act, to comp clerks to keep their offices at, or which Great Oceanice, at High Bluff-and one rille of their respective court con An act to authorise the Inferior

Western Circuitt was duly elected. | coorts of Crilinary, Sheriffs, Coroners, & The Senate returned to their Cham-Journeyors, to hold their offices during the intervention between the election & Mr. Potter from the committee objectional of their successors, and

An act for the renewal of an audited

An act to keep open the main chan-An act to after and amend an act, to build Broad river from the confluence

best jury. Co.

An act to amend an act, to revive and An act to repeal an act, to compen-confinue in force an act, for the limitation

An act to authorise the Justices of the An act to authorise the Infector court

An act to compel Justices of the Peace. An act for the relief of David Lime-

An act to appoint commissioners to An act to limit the jurisdiction of the ascerttin the dividing line between

An act to amend the tax acts now in

of the public bulldings in the county of

An act to authorise Sherwood Mc fall to erect a brige across the river

ses, so far as respects the escantes of Laurens and Pulacki counties

pence of running and ascertaining the curts of this state, with amendments; dividing line between said counties.

his Excellency the Governor for his re-mentioned bill.

day 12 o'clock.

Adjourned 'till to-morrow 10 o'clock.

WIDNESDAY, 13th Dec. 1809.

sentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk:

Mr. President;

concurred in the resolution appointing Governor by Mr. Early his Secretary. William Khight a Commissioner of the Mr. President; his Excellency the Go-Court House and Jail in the county of vernor has assented to and signed the Wayne.

tled an act to authorise the holding of sus of this state agreeably to the constian extra session of the Superior Court tution. in the county of Wilkes: and

Holt Esq. to erect a bridge across the seal affixed to the same.

Oconee River, passed 10th Dec. 1807. A message from the House of Re-

Also, the bill to establish an acade-presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk. my in the town of Eatonton and county of Putnam, by the name of Union Aca-

They have passed the bill to authorize Creswell M'Donald and others tolagreed to the amendments. practice law in the courts of law and Mr. Foster from the committee of enequity in this state, with an amendment; rolled bills,

to levy an extra tax to defray the ex-lihe Superior courts in the several circ and he withdrew.

Ordered, That the committee of en- The Senate took up the message, and rollment do carry the said several acts to agreed to the amendments in the last

Ordered, that the amendments to the Mr. Moore had leave of absence for bill, admitting Creswell M'Donald and the remainder of the session, after this others to practice law &c. do lie on the table.

> On motion, of Mr. Watts (of Washlington).

Resolved, That Francis Powell, John Lawson, Robert Glynn and Arthur A message from the House of Repre-Fort be, and they are hereby appointed Justices of the Inferior Court for the county of Twiggs.

The House of Representatives have A message from his Excellency the

following act, viz.

They have passed the bill to be enti- An act to provide for taking the cen-

Ordered, that the committee of en-The bill to amend and continue in rollment do carry said act to the Secreforce an act to authorise Thaddeus tary of State's Office, and have the big

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have demy, and to incorporate the same. passed the bill to authorise William And also, the bill to authorize Charles Garrett, Leroy Hammond and Walter R. Carter to erect a Toll-bridge across Leigh and Edward Rowell to erect toll-Little Piver at his Mills in Wilkes coun-bridges at the places therein mentionled, with amendments,

The Senate took up the message, and

and the bill to after the times of hording. Reported as duly enrolled and signed

by the Speaker, the following acts;

to erect a bridge over the Oconee River in as many of the digests of the Laws at his mills.

ry system of this state.

licence in this state.

An act to keep open remove & pre-one copy &c. vent obstructious in Savannah river calculated to impede the free passage of esq. a trustee of the Columbia county fish, and the navigation of said river Academy, in the place of Thomas Cobb by boats, so lar as respects the coun-lesq, resigned. ties of Rectimend, Columbia, Lincoln, Une appointing Joseph Lain, esq. a Figurand Franklin, as far as the mouth justice of the Inferior court for the o. Lagalo & Reowee rivers, which was couty of Morgan in the place of William presented to & signed by the President. Randle, resigned.

rollment do carry said acts to his Excer-Justice of the Inferior court for the lency the Governor for his revision.

On motion of Mr. Park,

be required to strike off one hundred print the Laws and Journals of the Lecopies of the act for taking the censusgislature be required to strike off 300 of this state, for the use of the members copies of the bill to alleviate the condiand information of the courts.

Mr. President;

disagreed to the joint report of the confiscated estates to posipone the sale committee of conference on the appro- of property by them advertised to be priation act; and he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, & until the 3d Monday of Nov. 1310. Resolved that the Senate do adhere to One requesting his Excellency the

Governor by Mr. Early his Secretary. confiscated property, postponed by or-

Mr. President,

red resolutions:

One that his Excellency the Gover-An act to authorise Zacharian Sims nor be authorized and required to call of this state as will furnish the different An act supple ventary to the Judicia-fofficers not beretofere provided for in the counties of Morgan, Randolph, Put-An act to regulate the rates of tavern nam, Jones, Batthvin, Wilkinson, Laurens, Pulaski, Telfair and Wayne, with

One appointing William M'Gruder,

Ordered, that the committee of en- One appointing John Grimes, esq. a county of Chatham, in place of Willi-

lam Smith, resigned.

Resolved that the Printer of the Laws! One that the Printer employed to tion of debtors, as agreed upon and re-A message from the House of Re-sported by the committee of conference, presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. for the use of the members of the Legislature.

The House of Representatives have One requiring the commissioners of sold on the —— day of January next,

their amendments made to said bill, and Governor to pay out of the contingent agreed to in committee of conference. [fund the accounts of the several print-A message from his Excellency the ers, who have published the sales of ler of the present General Assembly, His Excellency the Governor has ap- on their being certified by a majority proved and signed the following concur- of the commissioners of confiscated property.

And one that in case any complaint

ate touching the inaccuracy of any and the resolution was agreed to. reral lowery laws of the late ceded ter-llowing acts, viz: course to the bonds of the surveyor of ty. court, &c. &c.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

Legislature, to wait on his Excellency vannah river, its branches, &c. whether he has any further communi-bassed December 10th, 1803. cation to lay before them.

to the bill to be entitled an act to admit county of Camden. ments being read were agreed to.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk.

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have county.

drew.

seing had by any individual in this The Senate took up the message,

survey or surveys of land as stated to Mr. Foster from the committee of have been made by either of the sur-enrolled bills reported as duly enrolreyors, under and by virtue of the selled and signed by the Speaker, the fol-

itories of this state, such complainant An act to divide the county of Wilor complainants shall have due re-kinson and to form one other new coun-

the district, as the case may require, for An act to amend an act, to protect a redress of grievances in the Superior, the estates of orphans, and to make permanent provision for the poor, passed the 18th day of December, 1792.

Resolved, that a committee be ap- An act securing to Joseph Hill, his pointed to join such committee as may heirs and assigns, the exclusive right be appointed by the other branch of the of erecting three toll bridges across Sa-

the Governor and inform him that the An act to amend and explain an act, Senate and House of Representatives entitled an act, to incorporate the Savanare ready to adjourn, and to knowlnah Poor-house and Hospital Society,

An act to quet the claim of Sylvanus Ordered, that Messrs. Walker, Da-Church, to so much of a tract of land vies (of Chatham) and M. Cormick bellying and being on the Great Satilla, the committee on the part of Senate. In the county of Camden, as has been The Senate took up the amendments laid off for the town of Jefferson, the made by the House of Representatives seat of the public buildings of said

Creswell M'Donald and others to Ordered, That the committee of enpractice law in the courts of law and rollment do carry the said acts to his equity in this state, and the amend-Excellency the Governor for his revision.

> A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have unanimonsly concurred in the memo-passed a resolution on the subject matrial to Congress, relative to Walton er of selling the 7th district of Baldwin county, &c.

They have passed a resolution on the A resolution on the report of the subject of re-surveying the 8th District committee of Finance on that part of the of Williamson county, and he with Freasurer's Abstrac, relative to the bonds for reverted confiscated property and bonds and notes for Indianlof Finance, authorising his Excelleng Goods.

pointing Daniel Hicks and Willoby House. Sykes, Justices of the Inferior court for And they do still disagree to the report

the county of Wilkinson.

tion, that his Excellency the Governor appropriation act. And have appoint be requested to pay Seaton Grantlandled a second committee to confer on the for printing copies of the alleviating act; same subject matter. And he with-In the resolution requiring the printer drew. to strike off 100 copies of the act for taking the Census of this state;

committee to have the seal fixed to the the appropriation act. laws and resolutious, and have added Ordered, That Messrs. Barnett. on their part, Messrs. Cullens, Day, & Walker, Park, Talbot, Remson, Stews

and ordered that the resolution on the subject of selling the 7th district, do lie on the table.

tive to bonds for confiscated property Contractor for building the State-house and bonds for Indian goods.

ing Justices of the Inferior court for the year and navs being required, are the county of Wilkinson, with the fol-Year 16. Nays 9. lowing amendment.

Hicks and Willoby Sykes," and inserdiffication, Jackson, Lamer, M'Lendon, Stephen Johnson and William Cauley. MCormick, Owens, Park, Stewart,

On motion of Mr. Walker,

Resolved, That the Secretary of ton), Watts (of Telfair), and Williams. Senate beauthorised to deliver to the Those in the negative, are Messrs hon. Allen B. Powell a receipt of the Barnett, Brown, Hammond, Hardee, Sheriff of Glynn county to Gibson and Logan, Poscall, Reed, Remson and Fort for their taxes for the year, 1807. Services.

sentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President.

agreed to the report of the committee jeet matter in dispute.

the Covernor to put in suit the bond o They have passed a resolution ap-the Contractor for building the State

of the committee of conference on the They have concurred in the resolu-subject matter in dispute relative to the

The Senate took up the message, & Resolved, That the Senate agree to In the resoultion appointing a joint a second committee of conference on

lart, Hogan, Foster, and M'Cormick be The Senate took up the message, the committee on part of Senate. And On motion,

That the report of the committee of Finance authoris ag his Excellency the They concur in the resolution rela-Governor to put in suit the bond of the do lie on the table; on the question, it They agree to the resolution appoint was determined in the affirmative, and

Those in the affirmative, are Messrs. Strike out the names of "Daniel Carter, Davies (of Chatham), Foster, Taibot, Walker, Watts (of Washing-

A message from the House of Repre- Mr. Bernett from the 2d committee of Conference, Reported that the Senate do recede and concur with the The House of Representatives have House of Representatives on the subit was determined in the negative, and members, and he withdrew. the yeas and nays being required, are Park, Remson, Stewart, Talbot, Wal-House of Representatives. ker and Williams.

Those in the negative are, Messrs. and Spivey.

Mr. President;

mittee of conference on the bill to ap-fund. propriate monies for the political year Adjourned 'till to-morrow 10 o'clock 1810, and he withdrew.

Ordered, that the message do lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

ed by the House of Representatives to which was agreed to. whose report shall be conclusive.

Ordered, that Messrs. Barnett, Wal-determined in the negative. Carter be that committee.

sentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk.

Mr. President.

concurred in the resolution appointing termined in the negative. a joint committee to finally adjust the branches on the appropriation act, so far as respects the appointment of that com-

The Senate took up the report, and mittee only, and have appointed a comon the question to agree to the same mittee on their part, consisting of ten

The Senate took up the message and Yeas, Messrs Foster, Hardin, Jackson disagreed to the amendment of the

On motion of Mr. Jackson,

Resolved, that the Secretary of Se-Barnett, Brown, Davies (of Chatham), nate and the Clerk of the House of Re-Hogan, Lanier, M Lendon, M'Cor-presentatives be, and they are hereby mick, Owens, Powell, Reed, Scruggs authorised to have made and placed in each of their offices, suitable book ca-A message from the House of Re-sees and escruitors for the books and papresentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; pers belonging to their offices respectively; and the Governor is hereby au-The House of Representatives have thorised and required to pay the exagreed to the report of the 2d com-pence thereof out of the contingent

THURSDAY, 14th December, 1809. Mr. Jackson moved that the Journal

Resolved, that a committee be ap-of yesterday be reconsidered, so far as pointed on the part of the Senate, to relates to the appointment of Justices of join any committee that may be appoint-the Inferior court of Twiggs county,

finally adjust the difference between the Mr. Jackson then moved that the two Houses on the subject matter of name of Francis Powell be stricken out, difference on the Appropriation Law; and the name of John Williams be inserted; on the question to agree, it was

ker, Davies (of Chatham), Park and Mr. Foster-moved that the Journal of yesterday, so far as respects the dis-A message from the House of Repre-agreement of Senate to the second report of the committee of conferrence on the appropriation law, be reconsider-The House of Representatives have ed; on the question to agree, it was de-

A message from the House of Redifference in dispute between the two presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have

concurred in the resolution appointing of a concurred resolution, viz. a joint committee to adjust the subject matter in dispute, relative to the appropriation act, and have added a committee on their part.

enrollment, reported as duly enrolled report of the committee on Finance.

and signed by the Speaker,

political year 1810.

by the President.

ry said act to his Excellency the Go-|ceed from any want of disposition on vernor for his revision.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk to do justice between these parties and

Mr. President,

passed a resolution requesting his Ex-ling so far expended, that the balance cellency the Governor to pursue mea-in the Treasury was insufficient to sures to compel the return of all monies meet the demand. I am therefore comloaned to the respective persons, ex-pelled to say, that the report of the comcept the money loaned to the Univer-mittee has been made without a due resity. And he withdrew.

concurred in the resolution.

appointed to wait on his Excellency the to investigate the accounts, every do-Governor, and inform him that both cument in this office would have been branches of the Legislature are ready furnished, and the parties interested to adjourn, and to know whether he had would have been notified to attend to. any further communication to lay be-make such explanations as might have fore them, reported, that his Excellency been required. the Governor would be ready to lay a I cannot therefore approve the resocommunication before this branch of lution, because I should thereby admit the Lagislature in a few minutes.

A message from his Excellency the were honest and fair. Covernor by Mr. Early his Secretary.

Mr. President,

I am directed by his Excellency the Cover for to lay b fore Senate the fol-

Mr. President,

and Gentlemen of the Senate.

A concurred resolution of the 11th instant, originating in your house, has Mr. Foster from the committee of been presented to me, founded on a on the subject of Messrs. Devereux & An act to appropriate monies for the Thweatt's account for the purchase of tents, communicated to the Legisla-Which was presented to, and signed ture on the 5th instant. The commitliee appear to have mistaken the nature Ordered, that the committee do car-of my communication. It did not 1970my part to investigate the account of A message from the House of Re-Messrs. Devereux and Thweatt, and the state; it proceeded from a want of The House of Representatives have funds, the Contingent Fund of 1809 begard to my communication, and ought 'The Senate took up the message, and not to have imputed motives to individuals for which there was no just cause. Mr. Walker from the joint committee Had the committee expressed a wish

reflections upon persons whose motives

D. B. MITCHELL.

Executive Department, Georgia, 7 the 14th December, 1809.

The following is a copy of the Resor lowing communication, with the return lution disapproved of by his Excellency the Governor;

In Senate, 11th Dec. 1809.

The committee on Finance to whom Excellency the Governor, enclosing an to wit: account of Devereux and Thweatt for Tents,

Report,

the account is well calculated to evade the 21st day of December 1808. opinion that the charge of commission this state whatever. is in one instance too high, and in the other being connected with other char-the Inferior court of Baldwin county to ges, we are thereby precluded the pow-levy an extra tax for county purposes, er of judging its correctness; we there-for building a court-house in said counfore recommend the following resoluti-ity, and for paying for a bridge built a-

Resolved, that His Excellency the to be justly due on such investigation Richmond. out of the Contingent Fund of the present year.

Read and passed,

HENRY MITCHELL,

Predident.

Attest,

William Robertson, Secretary.

In the House of Representatives. rors, &c. Read and concurred in,

B. WHITAKER,

Speaker.

Attest.

Hines Holt, Clerk.

A message from his Excellency the

Governor by Mr. Early his Secretary, Mr. Fresident,

His Excellency the Governor has aswas referred the communication of his sented to, and signed the following acts,

An act to alleviate the condition of debtors, and to repeal "an act to alleviate the condition of debtors, and to af-That your committee are of opinion, ford them temporary relief"—passed

a proper investigation of its correctness, An act to amend an act, to authorise as we are neither furnished with the the Justices of the Inferior courts of this makers bills or the bill of Butler, Bur-state to discharge insolvent debtors roughs and Sturges, and we are also of confined by process from any court of

> An act to authorise the Justices of cross Little river, at Mullen's ford.

An act to alter and amend an act, to Governor be requested to cause a pro-regulate and keep in repair the public per investigation of the correctness of roads, causeways, and bridges in the the accounts of Devereux and Thweatt, counties of Burke, Jefferson, Richmond, and that he be authorised and required Greene, and Morgan, so far as respects to pay to them such sum as may appear the counties of Burke, Jefferson, and

> An act to limit the jurisdiction of the Aldermen of the City of Savannah—so far as relates to the regulation of the market.

> An act to authorise the Justices of the Inferior court of the county of Wayne, with the clerk and sheriff of said county, to draw grand and petit ju-

An act to amend the tax acts now in force in this state.

An act to make permanent the seat of the public building in the county of Pulaski.

An act to authorise Sherwood M'Call

to erect a bridge across the river Great Lewis Johnston. Ogechee on his land at High Bluff.

run and ascertain the dividing line be-land Edward Rowell to erect toll bridgtween the counties of Wayne and Cam-es at the places therein mentioned.

the Inferior court of Telfair county, Walton, William Robertson, John R. with the clerk and sheriff, to draw grand Brown, John G. Willingham, Thaddeand petit jurors.

continue in force an act, for the limita-veral courts of law and equity in this tion of actions, and avoiding suits in state. law—passed 8th December, 1508.

the Inferior court of Pulaski county the counties of Bryan, Liberty, McInto draw grand and petit jurors, &c.

An act for the relief of David Mad-far as respects the county of Camden. dox.

An act to authorise the Justices of presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk. the Inferior courts of Laurens and Pulaski counties to levy an extra tax for presentatives have concurred in the rethe purpose of defraying the expences of solution appointing a joint committee to running the dividing line between said wait on his Excellency the Governor counties.

rolled bills do carry the said several present General Assembly. them respectively.

Mr. Foster from the committee on discharge of the duties of his station. enrollment, reported as duly enrolled & signed by the Speaker, the following acts, to wit:

An act to alter the time of holding the Superior courts in three several Circuits of this state.

An act to vest the estate both real & personal of Lewis Johnston, dec'd. (a person named on the act of confiscation and banishment), which remains unsold in Fliza Irvine, Rachael Johnston, and Sarah Dryedale, children of the said

An act to authorise William Garrett An act to appoint commissioners to and Leroy Hammond, & Walter Leigh

An act to admit Cresswell M'Don-An act to authorise the Justices of ald, James C. W Stewart, George lus Holt, John B. Barnes, and David An act to amend an act, to revive and Simms, to plead and practice in the se-

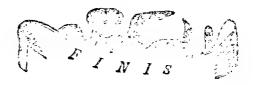
An act to amend an act, to regulate An act to authorise the justices of roads in this state, so far as respects tosh, Glynn, Camden, and Wayne, so

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President—The House of Reto know whether he has any further Ordered, That the committee of en-leommunication to make or lay before the

acts to the Office of the Secretary of Resolved unanimously, That the State, and have the big seal affixed to thanks of the Senate be presented to the President, for the faithful and impartial

The Senate adjourned without a day.



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State of Georgia.

MONDAY, 5th November, 1810.

On motion of Mr. Spalding, The Honorable John Foster was no-Lincoln. minated Chairman, and took his seat.

Present, the following members elect; Burke, who produced their several credentials, Oglethorpe, and the oath, agreeably to the Constituti Walton, on of this state & that of the U. States Clarke, being administered to them by John W. Laurens, Devereux, Esquire, a Justice of the Twiggs, Peace for the county of Baldwin, took Jefferson, their seats, viz.

From the county of

M'Intosh, the Hon. Thomas Spalding. Tatnall, Wayne, Allen B. Powell. William D. Lane. Effingham, Putnam, Warren, John Har laway. Columbia, John Foster. Sheppard Williams Randolph, Bullock.

Elbert, William Barnett. Wilkinson, John Ball. John Burnett. Glynn.

Tetfair, Wilkes,

Hancock, Franklin,

Washington, Fackson, Baldwin,

Camden, Bryan, Morgan,

Rem. Remson. Matthew Talbot. William Byne. George Hudspeth. John Davis. Zadock Cook. Henry Shepherd. James Johnston. Solomon Wood. William Rabun. James H. Little. Martin Hardin. Jared Irwin. Jesse Scruggs. Samuel Henderson Benj Taliaferro. Charles Crawford. John Hardie. John Pray. William Brown.

Ben. Mitch. Griffin

Montgomery, Greene, Henry Fulgham. $Pulaski_r$ Clement Lanier. Scriven,

The Senate proceeded to the choice to proceed to business; & he withdr of their President, and on counting out Mr. Hardin laid before the Senate the votes, it appeared that the Hon. Ja-letter enclosing the resignation of B red Irwin was duly elected, who was Wyche and John H. Bryan, Justices conducted to the Chair.

They then proceeded to the choice Ordered to lie on the table. of their Secretary, and on counting out the votes, it appeared that William Ro-presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk bertson was duly elected.

They then proceeded to the choice of Messenger and Door-Keeper, and on appointed a joint committee on their pa counting out the votes, + appeared that to join such committee as may be a Henry Williams was duly elected Mes-pointed by the Senate, to wait on H senger, and Alexander Greene, Door-live cellency the Governor and inform Kacper.

On motion of Mr Foster,

Resolved, that the Secretary informbusiness. the House of Representatives, that the Senate have formed a quorum, & made joined on their part. Messrs. Scrugg choice of the Hon. Jared Irwin their Barnett and Harden. President, and William Robertson their Mr. Scruggs from the joint commit Secretary, and are ready to proceed to tee informed the Senate, that they have business.

per elect from the county of Jones at-would be ready on to-morrow in the muded, produced his credentials, and forenoon to lay his Communication be the oath to support the Constitution of fore each branch of the Legislature. this state and that of the United States being administered to him by John W. Devereux, Esq. a Justice of the Peace|Foster, Wood and Little, be a committee for the county of Baldwin, took his seat on Privileges and Elections.

On motion of Mr. Foster,

Resolved, that the Senate be govern-to-morrow morning. ed by the rules of the last session.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk;

Mr. President,

I am directed to inform the Senate ed the Honorable William Davis, and

David M'Cormick. that the House of Representatives ha Ezekiel E. Parke. formed a quorum, appointed the H Benjamin Whitaker their Speaker, a Hines Holt their Clerk, and are rea

the Inferior Court of Tatnall count

A message from the House of R Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have him that the General Assembly are not convened, and are ready to proceed t

The Senate took up the Message, t

waited on His Excellency the Govern The Hon. William Butler, the mem-or, and received for answer, that he

On motion,

Ordered, that Messrs. Lane, Powell,

The Senate adjourned 'till 10 o'clock

TUESDAY, 6th November, 1810. From the county of Chatham attend-

John V. Devereux, Esq. a justice of next. the Peace for the country of Baldwin, tooktheir seats.

regulating and keeping in repair the Republic. Richmond.

Mr. Davis (of Walton) laid on the Senate. Privileges and Elections.

On motion of Mr. Taliaferro,

Resolved, That Abraham Miles, Esq. ers. Esq. resigned.

On motion of Mr. Scruggs,

Resolved, That William Lucas, Paul|tee on Privileges and Elections. Bevill, Thomas Scruggs and John Greene be, and they are hereby apport of Savannah.

introduce a bill amendatory of an act hereby confirmed. giving further time to fortunate drawers in the late land Lotteries.

Legislature will convene in the Repre-ta and county of Richmond. sentative Chamber on Thursday next, On motion of Mr. Williams,

from the county of Richmond the Hon. at twelve o'clock, for the purpose of e-Freeman Walker, who severally produ-lecting a Senator to represent this state ced their credentials, and the usual in the Congress of the United States oath being administered to them by for six years from the first day of March

On motion of Mr. Lanier,

Resolved, that a committee be ap-Mr. Byne notifies the Senate, that pointed on the part of Senate, to join he will on to-morrow move for the ap-such as may be appointed on the part pointment of a committee to prepare of the House of Representatives, to and report a bill to amend an act, for compose a committee on the state of the

public roads, causeways, and bridges, Ordered, that Mesers. Lanier, Park, in the counties of Burke, Jefferson and Spalding, Foster, Barnett, Wood, and Rabun be a committee on the part of

table a petition from a number of the in- Mr. Hudspeth notifies the Senate habitants of Walton county, which was that he will on to-morrow move for the read and referred to the committee on appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to amend an act for the |better regulating taverns & shop-keep-

be, and he is hereby appointed a justice | Mr Wood laid before the Senate a of the Inferior Court of the county of Memorial from Charles Lane, Esq. of Baldwin, in the place of Elijah Owens, Walton county, which, together with the documents accompanying the same, being read, was referred to the commit-

On motion of Mr. Pray,

Resolved, that the Executive appointpointed Lumber-Measurers for the ment of Reuben S. Saffold as a Justice of the Inferior court for the county of Bry-Mr. Lane notifies the Senate, Thatlan, in the room of James Eyrd, Eshe will on to-morrow move for leave to quite, resigned, be, and the same is

On motion of Mr. Walker,

Resolved, that Richard H. Wilde, On motion of Mr. Davis (of Cha-Robert Campbell and Thomas C. Russell be, and they are hereby appointed Resolved, That both branches of the Notaries Public for the City of Augus-

tions be appointed.

Cook and Shapherd be that commit-at least nothing official has transpired

Governor, by Mr. Porter, his Scoreta-frelations have been so long involved.

Mr. President,

I am directed by his Excellency the curope. Governor to lay before this branch of with some of the minor powers on the the Legislature his Communi ation, to-Continent, aided and assisted by Greatgether with the Documents accompa-Britain, prompted no doubt in some nying the same.—And he withdrew.

and the communication being read, is as gainst France at the commencement of follows, to wit:

Executive Department, Georgia. Milia geville, 5th Nov. 1810.

Fellow Citizens of the Senate, and of the House of Representatives.

tive capacity as the Representatives of formed, and immense armies again carthe people, I proceed with cheerfulness ried into the field, with the professed to fulfil the duty assigned me by the object of restoring monarchy to France, Constitution, of giving you information and of prescribing bounds to her Emon the state of the Republic, and of re-|pire. After the slaughter of millions of commending for your consideration, fellow-creatures in this ambitious and such measures as I deem necessary and kingly crusade against republicanism, expedient.

addressed to the President of the United ordinary characters that ever appeared States on the dismissal of the late Bri-upon the stage of human life, who by tish Minister, Francis J. Jackson, I for-hisvictorious arms has subjugated conwarded to our Senators in Congress, to tinental Europe, and compelled her to be by them presented to the President, acknowledge his sway. England alone which they did, and the papers marked with the utmost gallantry and perse-No 1. will disclose to you the answer verance maintains the contest-deriv-

they received.

It must be a subject of serious regret on, and immense naval power, she bids to every patriotic mind, that the many defiance to the legions of France, and

Resolved, that a committee on Peti-and aggravated wrongs ourcountry has received from the two great selligerents Ordered, That Messrs. Williams, of Europe, have not yet been edressed; to relieve us from that disagreeable A message from His Excellency the state of suspense in which our foreign

This state of things has grown out of the contest which has so long desolated Austria, Prussia and Russia measure by their fears, but in my mind The Senate took up the message, more by their ambition; coalesced a. per revolution, and insultingly attempted to dictate to a nation in arms, their form of government—defeated and driven out of the field, the three first powers gave up the contest, and France assumed the character of a Republic.— Being now assembled in your legisla-New coalitions were however soon France has settled down into a military The memorial of the last Legislature despotism, under one of the most extraing security from her insulated situati-

in her turn usurps the sovereignty of A retrospective view of our relations, the Ocean.

maintained it with firmness and good merchants by the latter power. almost annihilated. Interpolations to perity of his country. to our neutral commerce.

with those powers will however satis-The United States, seperated by the fy any one not blinded by prejudice Atlantic from those conflicting parties, that, we have infinitely more cause of and having no ambitious views of ag-complaint against Great-Britain than grandisement, but content and happy France, notwithstanding the recent unin the enjoyment of peace and indepen-warrantable and arbitrary seizures and dence, proclaimed her neutrality, and confiscations of the property of our

faith during the most turbulent periods The spoliations and aggressions of of the French revolution. This honor-Great-Britain have not only been of able and independent course was how-longer duration and of greater extent ever insufficient to preserve her wide-and variety, but have been marked by ly extended commerce from the depre- a degree of malignity which evidences dations and spoliations of the Bellige-a settled sentiment of hostility in their rents, but, more especially from those ministry, to this country. To my mind of Great-Britain, whose piraucal con-there can be no stronger proof of this duct was the more reprehensible, be-fact, than that which has been exhibicause it was without the shadow of ex-|ted in their conduct since the peace of cuse. Solicitous to avoid those scenes 1783 to the present day—At one time of misery incident to a state of war, our plundering and confiscating the propergovernment, notwithstanding the pro-ty of our merchants-impressing our vocation they had received, presented seamen and detaining them on board the olive branch accompanied by a de-their fleets, in a cruel bondage, command of reparation for past injuries, pelled to acts of aggression against their and a treaty was made with Britain in own country; and af another bullying 1794, much to the advantage of that us with their ships of war; then prenation, which for a time left us to prostending they will make satisfaction, & secute our commercial pursuits with proceed to negociation for no other purmore freedom. The struggle however pose, as it would seem, but to deceive continuing between Great-Britain and and insult us. To enumerate all the France, the result thus far is, that the instances I allude to would be as discommerce of the latter has been nearly gusting as it is useless. I hope they destroyed and driven from the Ocean, are fresh in the recollection of every and the former has been shut out from one who has been an attentive observer, the continent, and her European trade and who feels for the honor and pros-

the law of nations have been proclaim- Our government however still actued and enforced, and a system of retali-lated by the same principles of justice ation adopted as unjust and arbitrary, and moderation which dictated a declaas it has been injurious and oppressive ration of neutrality on a former occasion, and no doubt considering peace as

enjoy, next to the preservation of their speculator was in the constant habit of independence and national honor, had violating its provisions and profiting recourse to an Embargo; a measure by his turpitude. which, if strictly enforced would I am | It is equally far from my intention to convinced have compelled those pow-palliate the conduct of France any more ers to do us justice, and have respect than to aggravate that of Great-Britain. for our lawful commerce, and the only Truth justifies a discrimination in their one, short of actual war, which could conduct to us, and justice ought equalthen be devised to meet the critical si-ly to direct our measures with them or tuation of our foreign affairs. To those either of them. who have asserted that the Embargo It ought not to be the wish, as it as-

was a measure which evidenced hostil suredly would not be for the interest of ity to England and partiality to France, this country, that, either should tri-I would answer, that if such was the ef-jumph so far as to ruin the other, althou fect, every man of candor will admit its experience waterants it e conclusion, justice, when he reflects that the cow-mat, it would be greatly to the interest ardly and piratical attack on the Chesa-hot only of the United States, but of epeak was the principal cause for the a-very officer nation engaged in commerdoption of it. Neither ought it to beleid process that, the havel power of forgotten, that those very men wholGreat-Britain should be reduced and have been most opposed to the Embar-loonfined within those Imits which, go were, not many years before (under while consistent with their own safety, a different administration it is true) pre-should leave the rights of other nations senting memorial after memorial to Con-lequalty secure.

lives and fortunes in support of the go-last spring, the non-intercourse act was vernment, and yet, strange as the factalso repealed, leaving to the President may appear it is nevertheless true, that the power of reacting the system athey not only opposed the Embargo, gainst either Belligerent who should but every other measure of resistance refuse to repeal their obnoxious Orders or security under circumstances dou-and Decrees in case it should be done bly aggravated. Such is the inconsist-by the other, and a report is in circulaency of selfish policy and political pre-lion that France has acceded to the

system of non-intercourse adopted; Decrees. Should this intelligence prove the repeal became in my opinion a mea frue, the question of retaliation which sure of propriety since it was not, or else as been made the pretext by both nacould not be effectually enforced; for lions for the flagrant violation of our whilst the honest & patriotic merchant rational rights is at end, and the pro-

the greatest blessing a free people can upon the measure, the unprincipled

gress urging for war, and pledging their Before the adjournment of Congress terms presented by our repealing act, The Embargo was repealed and aland has revoked her Beilin and Milan submitted to the privations consequentlession of Great-Britain upon this sub-

ct, will be put to the test. Yet whola view of our foreign relations hold out from both.

prove untrue, or delusive, and we are Such men have no just claim to the rights with both powers, I have the ful-rit the contempt due to wretches whose lest confidence, that under the protectivicious propensities predominate over tion of, and aided by that Almigh-their love of country. It is immaterity Power which enabled the Unitedal to the real American from what quar-States in their infancy to establish their ter his country's rights are invaded; independence, the firmness and energy his conduct is influenced by no foreign of the government, the resources of attachments or prejudices, neither does the country, and the patriotism of our he make any cold calculations about citizens will be found equal to the con-expense, but rallies round the governvernment hitherto we have preserved all his energy aids it in procuring repeace; but that it should continue un-dress. Let it therefore be our pride, der a continuance of our injuries, is in as it is our indispensable duty, to watch my opinion, what we ought neither to over our free and happy institutions, & hope for nor desire. war ought not to be resorted to, if peace ed. can be preserved by any honorable. With our Indian neighbours, the umeans, yet war, with all its horrors, is sual friendly intercourse and good will preferable to a submission, which must has been maintained; except indeed end in ignominy and disgrace.

in peruse the letter of the British Se-to us, to excite us to unanimity among wetary of State for Foreign Affairs of ourselves. We have more to dread ne 14th March last, in answer to alfrom our own differences than from a gell-timed and able communication of dispute with any foreign power, or from Mr. Pinkney's, and not to anticipate an a combination of foreign powers with vasion of their previous declarations union at home. Yet great and all-imand professions? that letter carries on portant as these inducements are, it is the face of it such evident marks of nevertheless true, that there are some contempt and indifference for our re-professing patriotism & respect for the presentation of their aggressions, that Constitution, who presend they can neilittle is to be expected from that quar-ther see the insu'ts and indignities heater, but what will be the result of their ped upon our government, nor feel for own critical and unparallelled situation, the wrongs and sufferings inflicted upor from some energetic and decisive on our fellow-citizens; their greatest measures of our own government, or pleasure appears to be, in exciting discord and disunion among their fellow But should the course attributed to citizens, and in endeavours to impair France by the intelligence received, their confidence in the government still left to contend for our undoubted character of American citizens, and me-By the forbearance of our go-ment of his injured country, and with For although hand them down to posterity unimpair-

some excesses which were committed What immense inducements does not on the frontiers of Camden county by

plundered the house of one Maj. Tyre, his mission, in which is inserted the on or about the 6th of September last, correspondence between Col. Hawkin On receiving information of the fact, I and himself, will be found in the pack. immediately gave orders to have it as et marked No. 2, from which you will certained if possible, to what town the perceive, that the case is to be submit plunderers belong, and in the meanted by Col. Hawkins to the President time communicated the case to Colonel of the United States for his determination Hawkins, accompanied with a requisi-on. This is the result which I anticition that he would have the plunderers pated, and it now rests with the Legis. punished, and cause restitution to beliature to direct, what further proceeds made to the citizens injured, or compen-lings they deem necessary, to support sation for their loss. To which I have the claims of our citizens, thus trans. received assurance that every exertion ferred to the Executive of the General will be made to cause justice to be Government for a decision. done, and I rely with confidence on If the claims are just, as no doubt that assurance.

ecutive, under a resolution of the 10th United States are a party to the treaties December, 1807, to appoint a person entered into and dictated the articles or persons, to demand and receive of which bind the Indians to a compliance the agents of the different Indian tribes on their part, and further, being guaadjacent to the State, all property in rantee for the fulfilment of the supulapossession of said Indians, claimed tions contained in these treaties, the by citizens of this state, I appointed business has now taken a course which General Daniel Stewart of Liberty must be conclusive, in bringing the matcounty, to proceed to the Creek Agen ter to a close; it is a course to which I cy, and to demand of Col. Hawkins, the did not object, because I rely with full United States Agent there, a restorati-confidence on the honor, the dignity, on of property claimed by our citizens, and the good faith of the general goor an equivalent for such as they could vernment, for speedy and ample justice not restore. There being very little in the case. property contained in the Schedule In the amendments to the Constitutimade by the Comptroller General under on of the United States, we find the the law made for that purpose, other following article, viz. "A well regulathan that in possession of the Creeks, ted militia being necessary to the secu-I deemed it unnecessary to send at this rity of a free state, the right of the peotime to any other Agency. A copy of ple to keep and bear arms shall not be my letter to Col. Hawkins and of my in-infringed." Under the declaration constructions to General Stewart, together tained in the first part of the article of with the copy of a Journal kept by the our Federal Constitution just recited,

some Indians of the Seminole tribe, who General, of all his proceedings during

the greater part of them are, it is high It having become the duty of the Ex-time they were settled; and as the

and other provisions contained in that cular a mere dead letter; yet they are sacred instrument, the Congress of the as indispensable to the soldier, as the United States have legislated, and have anvil to the Smith, or the chissel to the prescribed a course of discipline for Carpenter; and before they can actheir militia; but have left to the states quire a competent use of either, they respectively as the Constitution directs, must have them in possession the training of them to that discipline, therefore recommend to your most seand the appointment of the officers rious consideration, the propriety of It is also required by Congress, that passing a law authorizing the purchase every citizen enrolled as a militia man, of a sufficient quantity of arms and acshall furnish himself in a given time courrements suitable for military serafter his enrollment, with the necessarivice, on public account, for the purry arms and accourrements of a soldier pose of selling them to the citizens. By Nor have the States been indifferent this measure every citizen will have to this important object; great attention an opportunity of providing himself has been bestowed upon it by their Le-las the law requires, and if he neglects gislatures. In some, their exertions to do so, its penalties can in that case, have been attended with considerable with the more propriety be enforced asuccess, whilst in others they are gainst him; at the same time the State scarcely perceivable; and the latter is will be reimbursed the amount of the unfortunately our condition. From purchase with all charges. Should what, may it not be asked, does this proposition meet your concurrence, our want of organization and disfor any other plan be adopted by you, cipline proceed? Our citizens are as which you may consider better calcupatriotic as any others in the U-lated for attaining the end proposed nion—they believe in the necessi-triwill afterwards be necessary to revise ty of the system as unequivocally—or idea Laws, and introduce some and they are, I am convinced, as willing amendments of obvious necessity—to to submit to that organization and disjenter into a detail of which, is at this cipline which alone can entitle them ame nunecessary, as they can only be to the high character of being the safe-juseful when the militia have arms in guard of their country's liberty, as not been hands.

elected the first grand requisite to the article of the Constitution it is declared necessary arms and accourrements; for fill such vacancy." And by the fifth provide himself with those articles December, 1807, it is also declared, which are not to be had in the country. " that all vacancies which may happen He is from necessity a delinquent, and by death, resignation or otherwise, of

others. The truth is, we have neg- by the ninth section of the second accomplishment of this important ob that, "when any office shall become vaject, to wit, the procuring and pla-cant by death, resignation or otherwise, cing in the hands of our citizens the the Governor shall have the power to it is unreasonable to expect a citizen to section of the act passed the 10th of the requisition of the law in this parti-lany Major-General, Brigadier-General,

General, shall be I am led to these observations Quarter-Master filled by the General Assembly not by any neglect or wilful misinterby joint ballot of both brand a &c. pretation of our laws by those appoint. from the general terms in which this'ed to administer them, but because, section of the law is expressed I was from a variety of circumstances depenunder some apprehension that the Let hig upon cus on, intellect, perception; gislature might have intend a such take the course of practice and the deciconstruction of the before needle! partisions of the courts upon the same points of the Constitution as to deputie the are different in the different circuits. Governor of the power of appearing Illisteads not only to great confusion, the particular officers designated in the but may in some instances be attended section of the law just referred to, and with great injury & injustice, where the although I cannot assent to such a con-some party has business depending in struction as correct, yet a sendment of more than one of the circuits. In one deneary and respect for the opinion of e has a point decided in his favor, and the Legislature induced me to forb arm another he has the same point deciissuing commissions to all four vacan and against him, and both are decisive cies which happened during the revessed the merits of his case. This unceruntil I should have an opportunity of tainty can only be removed by the esascertaining your sense thereon. The lablishment of some controling power vacancies I allude to are those occasi-over the practice and decisions of the oned by the death of Brigadier General different circuits; and I think the ne-Abraham Jackson of the second Erigessity for the establishment of such a gade of the first division, and of Briga-power will be the more readily admitted dier General Thomas Glascock of the when it is recollected that important first Brigade of the second Division, constitutional questions often occur beand by the removal of Brigadier Gene-fore the courts, and their decisions are ral David Adams of the second Bri-subject to the same uncertainty. gade of the second Division, and Briga- Whether a court having appellate dier General Buckner Harris of the jur selection composed of all the judges, second Brigade of the fourth Division. In which cases could be reviewed, and The document marked No. 3, contains uniformity as well in matters of praca list of Frecutive appointments madeltice as of law established? or whether during the recess, which are subject to a convention of the Judges upon any o.

Permit me to call your attention for swer the purpose, I leave for your cona moment to our Judicial Department. sideration. Among the same people it must be de- By several acrs of preceding legissirable at all times that the laws should latures passed from the year 1777 to be administered alike. That justice the year 1784 both inclusive, you will which is rendered to one ought to be find that the common law of England rendered to alk

legislative interference.

ther plan, or what plan, will best an-

is recognized and adopted as the law of give the truth of the matter in evidence. Georgia, as far as respects criminal and by proving the truth of what he has matters, with an exception in favor of published defeat the plaintiff, who in our Constitution and acts of Assem-that case has no ground to demand bly. compensation, since he has received no

what the defendant is accused of.

of England says, "it is immaterial with he must be punished, although he may respect to the essence of the libel, whe-have had it in his power to prove unether it be true or false; since the pro-quivocally the truth of every word he vocation and not the falsity is the thing had either written or published. matter be criminal; and if both these yield our full assent to all of them."

by different, for then the defendant may collection, where a true bill was found

This was a prudent and wise provisi-injury. If then this doctrine was not on to a certain extent, but I apprehend intended as a political gag to prevent it was too general, for by it we have re-the people from complaining of their cognized their doctrine in cases of li-oppressions and exposing the vices of bel; a doctrine which is often used by the wicked, why distinguish the case a profligate and wicked ministry as an from a case of slander, in which the deengine for the punishment of a citizen fendant may justify and give the with who dares to tell the people the truth, & in evidence as in a civil action for a liexpose their oppressions or their folly, bel? the one is as aggravating to the and although its obnoxious tendency|feelings of an individual as the other, has often been felt and exposed in that and has as great a tendency to cause a country, yet their people have no relief; breach of the peace, yet the English docsome melioration has taken place it is trine is, that "the greater the truth the true by modern statutes, which make greater the libel," and consequently the the jury the judges as well of the law as greater the vices, the oppressions, or the fact, but what can a jury do when the follies of the government, or individuthe evidence of the most important factals, the greater the criminality in publishattending the case is not permitted toling them, because it enlarges the matgo to them, viz. the truth or falsity of ter of truth, for as I have already shewn, if it be proven that the defen-A learned commentator on the laws dant either made or published the libely

to be punished criminally," and again Professor Tucker observes on this he says, "in such prosecutions the subject, "when we consider the source only points to be enquired into, are, first, from whence these doctrines have been the making or publishing the book or brought to us, the reasonableness of writing; and secondly, whether the them ought to be examined, before we points are against the defendant, the do not at this time recollect any crimioffence against the public is complete." nal case of libel in our own courts, In a civil action by one individual a-which has been prosecuted to a final degainst another for a libel, the case is ve-cision; yet one case is fresh in my reby the Grand Jury, but never prosecu-bition, and similar restrictive expressited further; and I think it more than one in regard to the press, are to be probable that the feelings of the Court found in our own constitution; and as as well as the prosecuting officer upon the liberty of the press must unquestithat occasion, dictated a postponement onably be abridged if the conductors of of the case, in the expectation of some it can be prosecuted and punished for legislative interference, rather than be publishing the truth; or if one can be compelled to decide in favor of a princi-punished for publishing by reading aple so obnoxious, or to call in question loud to his fellow-citizens any facts withour own acts of adoption.

ces which induce me to present this als, and cannot give the truth of what subject for your consideratio; the 1st he has published in evidence, because is, that in the state of New York, where the exposure of their vices or folly has the English common law was recognic a tendency to bring the individual or zed as being in force, this principle re-government into contempt and ridicule; ceived a solemn decision, after a very it therefore results, that to save the able and animated discussion by the feelings of an individual or government mest eminent counsel then in the state, from a just exposure to redicule & conin the case of one Croswell, in which tempt, an individual must be immured the English doctrine was upueld and in a loathsome prison, and his finances governed the case.

great weight with our courts in produc-I think the recognition of such a docing a similar decision in any case of abelatrine approaches too near to a breach of should it occur. The Legislature of our Constitution, and is as repugnant the state of New-York it is true, soon to the spirit and genius of our governafter the decision in Crosswell's case, ment, as it is to the feelings of our citipassed a law declaring the English doc-zens. As all this, however, depends trine in eases of libel, not to be law, or upon opinion, and as it is uncertain what that it should not in future be law. And decision the doctrine might receive in I understand other states have also our courts, with the acts I have referred rejected it.

the third article of the amendments to an unconstitutional tendency on the oit is declared that "Congress shall passing of a declaratory act upon the only, yet it is to be recollected that it ought to be distinguished. was the States who dictated this prohi- The revision of our Road laws is a

in his knowledge, exposing the vices of There are two additional circumstan-follies of the government or of individuruined at discretion, whilst his family, This case consequently might havelif he has one, are left in misery & want.

to staring them in the face on the one The second consideration is, that by hand, and with a strong implication of the Constitution of the United States, ther, I beg leave to recommend the make no law abridging the freedom of subject, not only as a direction for our speech or of the press," and although courts, but for preserving that certainty this article is prohibitory to Congress with which all criminal proceedings subject well worthy of your attention curred, and so long as they are suffer-In the counties immediately on the sea-ed to exist, we shall never have a perboard it is indeed less necessary than manent or good road. In our state we in any other part of the state, because, have great inducements to stimulate us generally speaking, their roads are in to every exertion in our power to imbetter order, & are less subject to those prove our roads. Our raw materials circumstances which render a revision which we raise for market are bulky & in the other parts of the state neces-heavy, and the expence of transportati-

of the penalties created by those laws, course generally throughout the cosntry as well for the omission as the commis-rendered more difficult. The inconvenision of matters therein expressed, can-lence is however more particularly felt not be enforced as contemplated, and in procuring those articles of real nebesides, it does appear to me that the cessity, such as iron and steel, salt and authority of the Inferior Court is too lo-sugar, &c. which from their great cal to have a proper effect, neither is weight and the quantity required to there a sufficient responsibility attached supply the consumption, is a very serito that particular duty. They have ous object to the consumer, who pays no other agency but what appertains to for all those additional expences, occathem as a court, and for which they re-sioned by the length and badness of the ceive no compensation, and their au-roads, and every other inconvenience thority over the roads they delegate to attending their transportation. I need individuals under the name of Commis-not enter into a detail to convince you sioners or Overseers, whose agency is of the utility of good roads; it is only altogether insufficient for the purpose necessary that I should present the subof making a good road. I might appeal ject to your view, and your own judgto the individual knowledge of every ments will direct you better than any member of the Legislature who has had thing I can say. occasion to travel much through the I will however take the liberty of state, whether he has not often found suggesting for your consideration, whethe public road turned out of its course ther our roads would not be rendered by individuals, for the apparent purpose more permanent, & be better laid off as of squaring their fields; or by those ap-to course and distance &c. by persons pointed to work upon it, for the pur-appointed by the legislature who would pose of avoiding the mending of some be exempt from all those localities atplace, which by the washing of the rains tached to the Inferior Court? and that or the softness of the ground, required no power but the Legislature should some more labour than it was conveni-be competent to alter the course of a ent at the time to bestow upon it; these public road when once established; and

on greatly enhanced in consequence of By the decisions of our courts, many the bad state of our roads, and inter-

are circumstances which have often oc-ulso, that all the work to be laid out

road and no other? And here permit terior, abounding in natural advantages me to make an observation on this part & inviting our industry to the improveof the subject: We find from past ex-|ment of those benefits to our own use. perience, that individuals are desirous Just after the close of the last sessiof procuring from the Legislature ex-on I received a letter from the Honorclusive rights to collect toll for mend lable Pierce Butler enclosing a memoriing and keeping in repair the very worst al of John Hills, Esq. of Philadelphia, parts of our roads, or such as has been intended for the Legislature, offering considered almost impassable, and find to dispose of to the state a plan or chart their advantage in it; and why should of our sea-board. From the terms in not the state who is so deeply interest-which Major Butler speaks of this gened perform the same labor and reaptleman, I have no doubt but that the the same advantage? System with e-papers in his possession are executed nergy and perseverance are only neces-with accuracy; and their usefulness sary. And I will venture to say, that in a commercial point of view, or as maour public roads can be made equal to terials for a correct map of that part of or better than any in the Union. All the state is evident. The memorial of neighborhood roads may be properly Mr. Hills is now submitted and is marleft to the discretion and under the di-ked as Document No 4. rection of the Inferior courts.

of our rivers is of at least equal impor-warded to our Representatives in Concance to the improvement of our public gress, and it has been presented by undertaking, and the facility with which on. it could be partially accomplished so as As the result of all our endeavors to be highly beneficial, I trust you will heretofore to ascertain the boundary give the subject a serious considerati between this state & the state of North ratively yet in its infancy, when we and as the time when Congress may view those countries of the old world|decide on the memorial now before them derived from their inland navigation, that decision, I beg leave to suggest their example with a knowledge of those the propriety of procuring the assist-

should be applied to the established vigation into the very centre of our in-

The memorial of the last Legislature The improvement of the navigation on the subject of Walton county I forroads, and when you reflect on the ad-them to the House of Representatives, vantages which would result from the but no decision has been had there-

Although our country is compa-|Carolina, have been unsatisfactory; where such immense advantages are is uncertain as well as the nature of advantages ought to stimulate us to im-lance of an artist of undoubted integriprove those gifts which the God of ty, skill and expensence, and whose re-Nature has so bountifully bestowed up-sidence being in neither state, would on our country—few of them are in preclude all idea of partiality, to go uppossession of such noble streams as the on the ground and ascertain with pre-Savalinah and Altamaha, opening a na-bision this much disputed point. By will be better satisfied, and it will enalquiring the Governor by resolution to ble us either to support our pretensi-pay certain sums therein specified out ons before Congress with more effect, of the Contingent Fund, by which that or else to relinquish the pursuit. That I und is much reduced, and in case of some immediate step should be taken any emergency or real contingency of will appear evident from the particular serious import happening during the situation of the people of that county, recess, would be quite insufficient to They are now organized as a county meet any important event, and there of North Carolina by the name of Hay-would be no resource but to call the Lewood and are represented in the Legis-gislature, a measure attended with great lature, and perform all the duties re-expense and inconvenience. quired by the laws of North-Carolina suaded the Legislature on a proper of her citizens, at the same time they view of the subject, will believe with hold partial elections and send forward me, that whenever the amount is ascerrepresentatives to the Legislature of tained, which it is their desire should this state. The dignity of the State be paid, that it ceases to be a contingen-Ellicott, than whom few men can belits constitutional passage. an undertaking.

on the treasury during the past politi-heretofore set apart for the redemptical year, marked as document No. 5 on of the public debt" the sum of you will find the sum of 32,051 dolls. 111,713 dollars 25 1-4 cents has been 95 3-4 cents has been drawn for under received at the treasury, in state-paper various appropriations. Of the Con-lin payment of Fractional Surveys, and tingent Fund which makes part of the a small sum has been drawn for in paybefore-mentioned sum, 10,139 dollars ment of some of those papers, and paid 57 3-4 cents, has been drawn, leaving out of the specie part of the payments a balance of 4,860 dollars 42 1.4 made on the same account—there apeents subject, however, to be drawn pearing however some doubt of the proon for any accounts contracted during per construction to be given to that the political year which have not yet part of the ect which authorises the exbeen presented for payment. It will ecutive to draw for this money, and as be proper here to observe that a prac-I deemed the operation of it under the

this means I am persuaded the state Legislature of requesting, nay often redemands that this controversy should by and ought to be specifically approbe brought to a close, and if you shall priated; besides, it will be recollected be of opinion that another trial to ascer-that no monies can be drawn from the tain the 35th degree of North Latitude Treasury, but by appropriations made would be either useful or satisfactory, by law; these resolutions however I have the pleasure to inform you that have all the effect of a law, without unyou may command the services of Mr. dergoing the formatives necessary to

supposed to be better qualified for such It affords meneral satisfaction that I have it in my power to inform you that By the abstract of Warrants drawnlander the act "appropriating the funds tice has heretofore prevailed with the construction it had received, as partial in its operation, I declined drawing on dants still refused to pay, yet I have that fund until the amount contempla-reason to believe the subject will be ted by the acr, is in the Treasury, or again renewed, and the attempt made, until the Leg stature shall have had an by such persons as are not disposed voopportunity of expressing their sense luntarily to make payment, to impede thereon.

a subject in which the honor and the 6, will be found to appertain to this interest of our state is deeply involved, subject. and every difficulty which occurs to The fractions as well as some full impede its energy accomplishment lots in the 7th district of Baldwin, ought to be removed—The state ha-now Twiggs county still remain unving pledged the proceeds of the sales sold, and as they are a part of the of Fractional Surveys for this object, I pledge from which the funds for the feel that I am in duty bound to prompt payment of our public debt is derived, for your considerant a very obstacle or I take the liberty of proposing for your difficulty which presents itself in car-consideration, the expediency of selrying into complete effect this very de-lieg them under such stipulations as strable and important andertaking. Tokon in your wisdom may deem bestthe Execution esuca by the creasurer some of them having been leased out. in pursuance of law for the recovery for the year 1809, I sent one of my of monies are by purchasers of Frac-secretaries last spring, with instructitional Surveys, an object on has been ons to lease them out again for the year made, stating the Execution to have is-1810 which was done, but the sum is sued illegally, and it at the course pur-so inconsiderable, and the payment sued by the state for the security and so uncertain, that it is not a sufficient collection of those monies is unconstillabject, for which to delay their sale tutional for reasons set forth in the af-the legal interest on the amount they fidavits of the parties. When the Trea-would sell for, would very far exceed surer informed me of the fact, rnd laid the amount of rents. the papers before, I issued an Ex- In order to carry into effect the inecutive Order, that the Sheriffs should tention of the Legislature as expressproceed to levy and collect the moneyed in their resolution of the 15th Denotwithstanding the shewing of illegal-cember last, I appointed Daniel Sturity; and almough the rule which was ges, Esq and directed him to proceed granted by the Superior court of Bald-to re-survey the Fractional Surveys of win county, and served upon the Trea-line 8th district of Wilkinson now Telsurer, calling upon him to shew cause fair county, formerly surveyed by Mawhy a writ of prohibition should not jor John Coffee. Mr. Sturges has exissue, has been dismissed, and the she-lecuted the work assigned him with aritts have proceeded to sell the proper bility and fidelity, and the return of his ty levied on by them, where the defen-works exhibits a clear, and correct view

the collection of the money due upon Tue payment of our public debt is those sales. The papers marked No.

by the Ocmulgee river—considerable to compose a committee on Finance. important of them appear to have been committee on the part of Senate. intentional—as these re-surveys are The Senate took up the documents with further losses in consequence of read, difficulties in which the purchasers of ved, it will be for you to direct what the State of the Republic. steps are necessary to be taken against the former surveyor in order to make committee on Finance. him accountable.

At a Superior court held in the coun-table. ty of Greene in September last, one Ed. Downing was convicted of the murder red to a special committee. of his slave, & an application was made | Ordered, that Messrs Park, Barnett of the case with such evidence as ac-by hill or otherwise. companied the application, I was of opinion that the case presented no fea lo-morrow morning. tures of malice, either express or implied, and that consequently the conviction ought to have been for manslaughter. I therefore respited the execution of the prisoner until the 30th day of November, instant, in order to be and he is hereby appointed a justice report the case for your consideration. of the Inferior court of Bulloch coun-The papers marked No. 7, are those ty. appertaining to the case.

your attention, having for their object ment of Col. John Davis, as a justice the public good, you may rely upon my of the Inferior court of Burke county most cordial co-operation.

D. B. MITCHELL. ed.

Ordered, that the documents do lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Hardin, Resolved, that a committee be ap-

situation of that district pointed to join such as may be appointon that side which is boundeded by the House of Representatives,

errors in the works of the former sur- Ordered, that Messrs. Hardin, Davevor have been detected, and it is vis, of Chatham, M'Cormick, Walker, my duty to say, that some of the most Crawford, Talbot and Scruggs be the

attended with considerable expense to accompanying his Excellency the Gothe state, and may also be attended vernor's Communication, which being

Ordered, that documents No. 2, 4 fractions are thereby likely to be invol-and 6 be referred to the committee on

Document No. 5, be referred to the

Documents No. 1 and 3 do lie on the

And that document No. 7, be refer-

for Executive clemency; upon a review and Foster be that committee, to report

The Senate adjourned to 10 o'clock

WEDNESDAY, 7th Nov. 1810. On motion of Mr. Williams,

Resolved, that Jonathan Robinson

On motion of Mr. Byne,

, In all measures which may occupy Resolved, that the Executive appointbe, and the same is hereby confirm-

> On motion of Mr. Davis (of Chatham)

Resolved, that Thomas E. Lloyd

Samuel M. Mordecai, John Y. Brails-for the better regulation of tavern & ford, Joseph H. Clark, George Schley, shop-keepers. George Glenn and Charles Pope, Es-| Ordered, that Messrs. Hudspeth, quires, be, and they are hereby ap-Barnett and Foster be that commitpointed Notaries Public for the county|tee. of Chatham.

will on to-morrow move for the ap-to report a bill to amend an act for pointment of a committee to prepare|keeping in repair the public roads in the and report a bill amendatory to the act counties of Burke, Jefferson and Richlaying out the county of Twiggs.

On motion of Mr. Davis (of Cha-

tham)

Resolved, that so much of his Excellency the Governor's Communication as relates to the Judiciary of this Thomas Barrett be and they are herestate, be referred to a select committee by appointed Vendue Masters for the to report by bill or otherwise.

Ordered, that Messrs. Davis (of Chatham) Walker and Spalding be that

committe e.

he will to-morrow move for leave to re-of Telfair county. port a bill to suspend the operation of On motion of Mr. Henderson, an act for laying out a county in the new territory lately acquired by cessi-pointment of Peter Boyle as a justice on from the General Government, of the Inferior court of Jackson county known by the name of Walton coun be, and the same is hereby confirmty.

ed a bill to pardon Edward Downing, will on to-morrow move for the apwhich was received and read the first pointment of a committee to prepare

from the Wilkes Manufacturing Com-vannah. pany, which was read and referred to a a special committee, consisting of presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. Messrs. Talbot, Spalding and Ra-

mittee to report a bill to amend an act the election of a Senator in Gongress.

Mr. Byne agreeably to notice moved Mr. Johnson gives notice, that he for the appointment of a commmittee mond.

> Ordered, that Messrs. Byne, Wood and Walker be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

Resolved, That James Frazer and city of Augusta.

On motion of Mr. Griffin,

Resolved, that John Pearce and Wm. Hendley be, and they are hereby ap-Mr. Barnett not fies the Senate that pointed justices of the Inferior court

Resolved, that the Executive ap-

Mr. Park from the committee report- Mr. Pray notifies the Senate, that he and report a bill to alter the time for Mr. Talbot presented a memorial electing Aldermen for the city of Sa-

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have Mr. Hudspeth, agreeably to notice, concurred in the resolution from Semoved for the appointment of a com-nate appointing Thursday next for ham Miles, Esquire, a justice of the In-gularly elected to represent the county ferior court of Baldwin county.

And in the resolution appointing a Legislature and is entitled to a seat. committee on the State of the Repub- The Senate took up the report, which lic, and have added a committee on was read and agreed to. thair part.

pointing a committee on Finance; and and the usual oath being administered he withdrew.

concurred in the resolution appointing Baldwin county, took his scat. a crimittee on Finance, and added on Mr. Park presented a Petition from their part Massrs. Hardin, Davis (of John Bethune, which was read and re-Chatham) M'Cormick, Walker, Craw-ferred to the committee on Finance. ford, Talbot and Scruggs.

bank to be established at the city of Au-the first time. gusta, which was read and referred to Mr. Davis (of Chatham) gives notice, a special committee consisting of that he will on to-morrow move for the Messrs. Walker, Barnett and M'Cor-appointment of a committee to prepare

Privileges and Elections reported as residing in this state. follows:

Your committee on Privileges and Elections respectfully report, that ha-James King, Esquires be, and they are ving attentively considered the mass hereby appointed Notaries Public for of testimony exhibited in the documents the county of Effingham. referred to them, are unanimously of opinion that in the contested election Resolved, that a committee be apfor Senator to represent the county of pointed on the part of the Senate to Walton that the sitting member, the contract for printing the Laws & Jour-Hon. John Davis was not legally elect-nals for the present session. and that no species of testimeny has Putnam) Foster and Davis, be that been produced to your committee, up-committee. on which his right to a seat in this Mr. Powell gives notice that he will Honorable body can be predicated.

In the resolution appointing Abra-Charles Lane, Esq. is legally and reof Walton in the Senate of this present

Whereupon, the said Charles Lane, They have passed a resolution ap- Esq. attended at the Secretary's table, to him by Archibald M. Devereux, The Senate took up the message and Esq. a justice of the Inferior court of

Mr. Hudspeth from the committee Mr. Walker presented a memorial reported a bill to amend an act for the from a number of the inhabitants of the better regulation of tavern and shopstate of Georgia, stockholders of the Reepers, which was received and read

and report a bill to regulate and go-Mr. Lane from the committee on vern free persons of color coming or

On motion of Mr. Scruggs,

Resolved, that William Bird and

On motion of Mr. Lane (of Putnam)

ed—that his credentials are informal, Ordered, That Messrs. Lane (of

lon to-morrow move for leave to intro-Your committee are of opinion, that duce a bill to alter and amend an act several counties, so far as respects the resigned.

county of Wayne.

will on to-morrow move for the ap-General Assembly do meet on Saturpointment of a committee to prepare & day next at twelve o'clock in the Rereport a bill to authorise the Justices presentative Chamber, for the purpose of the Inferior Court of Lincoln county of electing an Attorney General for the to levy an extra tax for county purpo-Middle District, as also Solicitors Ge-

The Senate adjourned 'till to-mor-Ocmulgee Districts. row morning 10 o'clock.

THURSDAY, 8th Nov. 1810.

Mr. Barnett presented a petition from John Davis Esq. of Walton county, mittee on Finance.

Mr. Walker from the committee reported a bill to incorporate the Bank of state, which was read and ordered to Augusta, which was received and read lie on the table. the first time.

On motion of Mr. Lanier,

Resolved, that John Pollock, William Black and Daniel Blackburn be, & rors for the several counties in this they are hereby appointed Justices of the Inferior court of the county of Scriven in the room of Caleb Howell and the first time. Robert Williamson, resigned, & Jacob Dunn removed.

Resolved, that the Executive appointment of Willis Roberts as a Jus-gham and Pray be that committee. tice of the Inferior Court of Putnam county in the place of Robert Iverson for the appointment of a committee to he is hereby appointed a Justice of the City of Savannah. Inferior Court for the county of Put- Ordered, that Messrs. Pray, Davis

for selecting and drawing Jurors for nam in the place of Edmund Lane Esq

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

Mr. Remson gives notice that he Resolved, that both branches of the neral for the Eastern, Western and

> Mr. Barnett introduced the following resolution;

Resolved, that a committee be appointed on the part of Senate to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to which was read & referred to the com prepare and report a bill for the improvement of the navigation of the several navigable water-courses in this

> Mr. Powell agreeably to notice introduced a bill to alter an act for the better selection and drawing Grand Justate, so far as respects the county of Wayne, which was received and read

Mr. Davis agreeably to notice moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to regulate &On motion of Mr. Lane (of Put-govern free persons of color coming into this state, or residing therein.

Ordered, that Messrs. Davis, Ful-

Mr. Pray agreeably to notice moved Esq. be & the same is hereby confirm-prepare and report a bill for altering ed, and that James B. Clopton be, and the time of electing Aldermen in the

and Burnett be that committee.

Mr. Lane (of Putham) gives notice, keepers. that he will on Saturday next move for Ordered for committee of the whole the appointment of a committee to pre-on Monday next the several acts for the government of the will on to-morrow move for the apthe Justices courts in this state, and to pointment of a committee to prepare & limit and define the powers of the Jus-report a bill to incorporate Mount Etices of the Peace.

Mr. Hudspeth notifies the Senate, mond. that he will on to-morrow move for the On motion of Mr. Burnett, and their estates.

Mr. Walker presented a petition from ferred to the committee on Finance.

Mr. Lane (of Putnam) presented a Putnam) Foster and Brown.

Mr. Spalding presented a Petition the Congress of the United States. Putnam and M'Cormick.

Mr. Foster presented a petition from rent.

ken up and read the second time, to cle of the Constitution of this state, wit;

on Monday next. And

parts of an act for the better regulation the government of courts of Ordinary.

and government of tavern and shop-

pare and report a bill to revise & amend Mr. Walker notifies the Senate, that non Academy in the county of Rich-

appointment of a committee to prepare Resolved, that Leighton Wilson and and report a bill to alter and amend an John Gignilliat, Esquires, be, and they act for the better protection of orphans are hereby appointed Justices of the Inferior Court for the county of Glynn.

A message from His Excellency the Charles Jones, which was read and re-Governor by Mr. Porter his Secretary.

Mr. President,

I am directed by His Excellency the Petition from Francis Davis, which Governor to inform the Senate, that he was read and referred to a special com has approved of and signed the resolumittee consisting of Messrs. Lane (of tion appointing this day at twelve o'clock for the election of a Senator in

from John Pray, Esq. which was read Mr. Rabun gives notice that he will and referred to a special committee con-on to-morrow move for the appointsisting of Messrs. Spalding, (Lane of ment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to regulate the collection of

Elizabeth Jones, which was read & re- Mr. Taliaferro notifies the Senate, terred to a special committee, consist that he will on to-morrow move for ing of Messrs. Foster, Scruggs and Lit-the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to amend the The following bills were severally ta-1st, 4th and 5th sections of the 3d arti-

Mr. Barnett gives notice that he will A bill to pardon Edward Downing on to-morrow move for the appoint-Ordered for committee of the whole ment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to revise, amend and conso-A bill to repeal and amend somelidate the several laws of this state for on Tuesday next move for the appoint-la committee to contract for printing the ment of a committee to prepare and re-Laws and Journals of the present ses. port a bill pointing out the mode of e-sion, and have added a committee on locting Delegates in the several counties their part; in this state, to form a convention for the purpose of framing a constitution pointing David Neal a Justice of the Infor the government of the state of Geor-ferior court of Warren county; gla.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; four Brigadiers General in the place

Mr. President;

that the House of Representatives are Buckner Harris, removed; now ready to receive them in the Re-| A resolution appointing a committee presentative Chamber, for the purpose on their part to join such as may be apof proceeding to the election of a Sena-pointed by the Senate, to systematize, for from this state to the Congress of digest, and so far as expedient, to amethe United States, in conformity to allierate the Criminal Code of this state; joint and approved resolution, and heland withdrew.

presentative Chamber, and being seat-Judges, an Attorney and Solicitors Geed, proceeded by joint ballot to said e-|neral for the Eastern, Middle, Western lection; and on counting out the tick-land Ocmulgee circuits—and he withets it appeared that the hon. William H. drew. Crawford was duly elected.

chamber and took their seats; and

morning.

FRIDAY, 9th Nov. 1810.

Mr. Hardie presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Camden the election of Brigadiers General. county, which was read and referred to a special committee, consisting of tice of the Inferior court for Warren Messrs. Hardie, Scruggs and Foster county; and

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have minal Code of this state, and added a

Mr. Hardin gives notice that he will|concurred in the resolution appointing

They have passed a resolution ap-

A resolution appointing Saturday A message from the House of Re-mext at ten o'clock for the election of of Abraham Jackson & Thomas Glas-I am directed to inform the Senate, cock, deceased, and David Adams and

A resolution appointing Saturday The Senate then repaired to the Re-next at ten o'clock for the election of

The Senate took up the message, & The Senate then returned to their concurred in the resolution for the ellection of Judges, an Attorney and Soli-Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow|citors General, with the following amendment; strike out all but the " Judge and Solicitor General for the Eastern Circuit."

They concurred in the resolution for:

In the resolution appointing a Jus-

In the resolution appointing a joint, presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; committee to systematize, digest and so; far as expedient to ameliorate the Cry. committee on their part, consisting of Byne and Hardaway be that committee Messrs. Davis, Walker, Spalding and tee.

Barnett. defferson and Richmond, which was on. received and read the first time.

laid on the table yesterday for the ap-committee. courses in this state, which was read late the collection of rent. and agreed to, and a committee added on the part of Senate, consisting of Butler and Ball be that committee. Messrs. Barnett, Hardin, Spalding, Lane (of Putnam) and Johnson.

ported a bill to incorporate the Wilkes' ordered to lie on the table. Manufacturing company, which was received and read the first time.

moved for the appointment of a com-received and read the first time. and their estates.

Ordered, that Messrs. Hudspeth, tee.

Mr. Lane (of Putnam) presented a far as respects the county of Wayne. petition from Zachariah Sims, which was read and referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Lane Augusta. (of Putnam,) Spalding and Park.

Mr. Walker agreeably to notice mo-on Thursday next. ved for the appointment of a commitcorporate Mount Enon Academy.

Mr. Taliaferro, agreeably to notice, Mr. Byne from the committee re-moved for the appointment of a comported a bill to amend an act regula-mittee to prepare and report a bill to ting and keeping in repair the public amend the first, fourth and fifth sections roads &c. in the counties of Burke, of the third article of the Constituti-

Ordered, that Messrs. Taliafero, Lane The Senate took up the resolution (of Punam) and Henderson be that

bointing of a joint committee to prepare Mr. Rabun, agreeably to notice, moand report a bill to improve the navi-ved for the appointment of a commitgation of the several navigable water-tee, to prepare and report a bill to regu-

Ordered, That Messrs. Rabun,

Mr. Hardin from the committee on Finance, reported on the petition of Mr. Talbott from the committee re-Ambrose Wright, which was read and

Mr. Spalding from the committee reported a bill to manumit a certain Mr. Hudspeth agreeably to notice, Negro girl named Clarissa which was

mittee to report a bill to amend an act. The following bills were severally for the better protection of orphans taken up and read the second time, to

A bill to alter an act for the better Park, Foster and Pray be that commit-selection and drawing Grand Jurors, for the several counties of this state so

> Ordered, for a third reading—and A bill to incorporate the Bank of

Ordered for a committee of the whole

Mr. Ball notifies the Senate, that tee to prepare and report a hill to in-he will on Monday next move for the appointment of a committee to prepare Ordered, That Messrs V. alker, and report a bill more particularly pointing out the mode of selecting and they are hereby appointed Commissio drawing Grand and Petit Jurors so far ers of the town and common of Brun as respects the county of Wilkinson.

ved for the appointment of a commit-mittee reported a bill to continue i. tee to prepare and report a bill amen force an act giving further time to for datory to the act laying out the coun-tunate drawers in the late Land Lotte ty of Twiggs.

Ordered, That Messrs. Johnson, received and read the first time. Powell and Fulgham be that commit-

Mr. Burnett presented a petition from copies of the bill now before Senate for a number of the inhabitants of the is-lincorporating the Augusta Bank be land of St. Simons in the county of printed, and that a committee be ap Glynn, which was read and referred to pointed to superintend and contract for a special committee, consisting of printing the same as early as possible. Messrs. Burnett, Hardee and Spald- Ordered, that messrs Foster, Parke ing.

Mr. Lanier gives notice that he will on Monday next move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and re-pointed to see the Journals of this port a Lal to authorize three commissi-House are fairly and correctly engros oners to carry into effect the opening sed. and clearing out a canal from the Alatamaha to the Turile river.

Mr. Lane (of Putnam) agreeably to committee. notice moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill morning. to continue in force an act giving further time to the fortunate drawers in the late land lotteries to take out their

nam) Pray and Cook be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Burnett,

Resolved, that George Abbott be, Vendue Masters for the City of Augus and he is hereby appointed a Commis ta. sioner of the town and common of Frederica, in the county of Glynn, in place Measurers for the Port of Savannah of A. D. Laurence, removed; and that John Harris and John Morgan be, and ries Public for the county of Chathar

wick in said county.

Mr. Johnson agreeably to notice, mo- Mr. Lane [of Putnam] from the comries to take out their grants, which was

On motion of Mr. Foster.

Resolved, that one hundred and five

and Walker be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Hudspeth,

Resolved, that a committee be ap

Ordered, that messrs. Hudspeth Talbot and Lane (of Putnam) be tha

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrov

SATURDAY, 10th Nov. 1810.

A message from the House of Re Ordered, that Messrs. Lanc (of Put-presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk Mr. President;

The House of Representatives hav concurred in the resolution appointing

In the resolution appointing Lumbe In the resolution appointing Not

In the resolution appointing Notaries concurred in the resolution appointing Public for the City of Augusta.

In the resolution confirming the Ex-ferson; ecutive appointment of John Davis In the resolution appointing a Jus-Esq. a Justice of the Inferior Court for tice of the Inferior court for the county the county of Burke.

of the Inferior Court of Telfair.

tice of the Inferior court of Jackson Messrs. Barnett, Hardin, Pray, Hardie

In the resolution appointing a Justice of the Inferior court of Bullock county pointing a joint committee to prepare &

of the Inferior court of the county of part consisting of messrs. Walker, M'-Scriven.

pointing a Notary Public for the coun-the House of Representatives in the ty of Jefferson;

A resolution appointing Justices of election of Judges, &c. the Inferior court of Wayne county;

on their part to join such as may be ap-John Davis & John Collins Esq. which pointed by Senate, to prepare and re-was read & ordered to lie on the table. port a bill to revise and consolidate A message from the House of Rethe several road laws within this state, presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk. and

on their part to join such as may be he has approved of and signed resoluappointed by Senate, to prepare and tions appointing this day to proceed to report a bill to lay off a fifth Judiciallthe election of four Brigadiers General; Circuit.

resolution.

The Senate took up the message and for the purpose of proceeding to said

a Notary Public for the county of Jef-

of Wayne.

In the resolution appointing Justices In the resolution appointing a joint committee to prepare and report a bill In the resolution appointing a Justice to revise and consolidate the several of the Inferior Court of Bryan county, road laws in this state; and added a In the resolution appointing a Jus-committee on their part consisting of and Lane (of Putnam)—and

They concurred in the resolution apreport a bill to lay off a fifth Judicial In the resolution appointing a Justice circuit; and added a committee on their Cormick and Wood; and they recede They have passed a resolution ap-from their amendment and concur with resolution appointing this day for the

мr. Hardie from the committee on A resolution appointing a committee Finance, reported upon the petitions of

Mr. President—His Excellency the A resolution appointing a committee Governor has notified the H. of R. that the Judges of the Eastern, middle, Wes-They disagree to the amendment tern and Ocmulgee Circuits; the Atmade by Senate to the resolution ap-torney and Solicitors General for said pointing this day for the election of jud-Circuits; and I am directed to inform ges &c. and still adhere to their original the Senate, that the House is now realy to receive the Senate on their floor,

elections; and he withdrew.

of the City of Savannah, which was moved. received and read the first time.

committee of Finance on the Petition of ern, Middle, Western and Ocmulgee Ambrose Wright, as follows;

praying to be released from liability as was duly elected Judge for the Eastsecurity to a bond entered into by Geo. ern, His Hon. Robert Walker re-electmicklejohn and the said Amb. Wright, ed for the Middle, Young Gresham for the payment of a sum of money to Esq. for the Western, and His Honor the state of Georgia.

Your committee are of opinion, that gee Circuit. the prayer of the Petitioner is unrea- They then proceeded to the election sonable and ought not to be granted," of an Attorney and three Solicitors

sentative Chamber, agreeably to a con-ly elected Attorney General, John Kell, curred and approved resolution, for the Solicitor General for the Eastern Cirpurpose of proceeding by joint ballot cuit, Oliver Skinner, Solicitor General to the election of four Brigadier Gene-for the Wester: Circuit, and Bedney rals, four Judges, an Attorney & three Franklin, Solicitor General for the Oc-Solicitors General; and being seated, mulgee Circuit. proceeded to said elections; and on The Senate again returned to their counting out the votes it appeared that chamber and took their seats. Col. William Byne was duly elected The Senate adjourned 'till Monday Brigadier General of the second Bri-morning 10 o'clock. gade of the first division of the militial of this state, in the room of Abraham Jackson deceased; Col. Valentine Walker was duly elected Brigadier General of the First Brigade of the Second ber elect from the county of Liberty at-Division of the militia of this state, in the tended, produced his credentials, and room of Thomas Glascock, deceased; the usual oath to support the Consti-Col. Eppes Brown was duly elected tution of this state and that of the Uni-Brigadier General of the second Bri-ted States being administered to him by gade of the Second Division of the mi-John W. Devereux Esq. a Justice of litia of this state, in the place of David the Peace for the county of Baldwin, Adams removed; and that Col. Frede-took his seat.

trick Beall was duly elected Brigadier Mr. Pray from the committee report-General of the Second Brigade of the ed a bill to be entitled, an act to alter Fourth Division of the Militia of this the time for the election of Aldermen state, in the place of Buckner Harris re-

They then proceeded by joint ballot The Senate took up the report of the to the election of a Judge for the East-Circuits, and on counting out the votes Upon the petition of Amb. Wright it appeared, that John M. Berrien, Esq. Peter Early re-elected for the Ocmul-

and the same being read was agreed to. General, and on counting out the votes The Senate repaired to the Repre-lit appeared that John Forsyth was du-

MONDAY, 12th Nov. 1810.

The Hon. Thomas Bacon, a mem-

the committee on Finance.

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

Resolved, that a committee be ap-being read, members of Senate the present ses-ted to the original committee.

and Powell be that committee.

petition from a number of the inhabi-the third time and amended. tants of Putnam county, which was the state of the Republic.

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

ken his seat in Senate, and having been lies of Wayne and Camden. in the same, as also for travelling to & wit: from Milledgeville. .

committee of the whole on the bill to out their grants. be entitled, an act to pardon Edward Ordered for committee of the whole. ed leave to set again.

The Senate took up the report of the committee, which was read and A bill to manumit a certain negro agreed to.

Mr. Davis presented a petition from committee of the whole on the bill to be the Agricultural Society of Georgia, entitled an act to repeal and amend which was read and referred to a speci-some parts of an act for the better real committee consisting of Messrs gulation of tavern and shop-keepers. Davis, M'Cormick, Pray, Barnett and and more effectually to prevent their trading with slaves, passed at Milledge-Mr. Foster presented a letter from ville on the 22d of December, 1808; George R. Clayton, Esquire, Treasur-Mr. Wood in the Chair; Mr. President er, enclosing an abstract of the Trea-resumed the Chair, and Mr. Wood rcsury, which was read and referred to ported progress and asked leave to set again.

The Senate took up the report, which

pointed to examine the accounts of the Ordered, that the bill be re-commit-

The bill to be entitled, an act to alter Ordered, that Mess. Barnett, Scruggs an act entitled an act for the better selecting and drawing Grand & Petit Ju-Mr. Lane (of Putnam) presented alrors in this state was taken up, read.

Resolved, that the said bill do pass, read and referred to the committee on under the title of an act to alter an act entitled an act for the better selection & drawing Grand Jurors for the several Resolved that it is the sense of Se-counties in this state, passed on the 7th nate, that John Davis, Esq. having ta-|Dec. 1805, so far as respects the coun-

dualified as a member of the same, is The following bills were severally entitled to pay during the time he sat taken up, and read the second time, to

A bill to amend an act, giving fur-The Senate resolved itself into alther time to fortunate drawers to take

Downing; Mr. Wood in the Chair; A bill to amend an act, to keep in Mr. President resumed the chair, and repair the public roads, &c. in the Mr. Wood reported progress and ask-counties of Burke, Jefferson and Richmond.

> Ordered for committee of the whole. girl named Clarissa.

The Senate resolved itself into a Ordered for committee of the whole.

A bill to alter the time of electing the third time, and passed under the Aldermen of the City of Savannali.

Ordered for 3d reading—And

A bill to incorporate the Wilkes Manufacturing Company.

Ordered for a 3d reading.

Thomas Young, attorney in fact for firmed. Peter Kemble, which was read and re- Mr. Talbot presented a petition from ferred to the committee on the State of John B. Jackson, which was read & rethe Republic.

committee to whom was referred the peth. petition of Zachariah Sines, reported, Mr. Walker from the committee rewhich was read, and ordered to he on ported a bill to incorporate Mount Ethe table.

Mr. Hudspeth from the committee and read the first time. to whom was recommitted the bill to Mr. Lane (of Putnam) presented a repeal and amend some parts of an actipetition from Jesse Sanford, wl sch was for the better regulation of Tavern and read, and ordered to lie on the table. Shop-keepers, &c. reported a bill un- A message from his Excellency the der the same title, which was received Governor, by Mr. Porter, his Secretaand read the first time.

Cn motion of Mr. Foster,

ted on the part of Senate to join such as Governor to notify the Senate that he may be appointed by the House of has approved of a resolution which o-Representatives, to compose a com-riginated in Senate, appointing Abramittee of enrolment.

nett and Walker be that committee.

The Senate again resolved itself into almunication. And he withdrew. committee of the whole on the bill to be Ordered, that said message do lie on entitled an act, to pardon Edwardithe table. Flowning—Mr. Wood in the chair— Mr. Rabun gives notice, that he will 31r. President resumed the chair, and on to-morrow move for the appoint-Mr. Wood reported, that they had ment of a committee to prepare and regone through the same with an a-port a bill, to amend the third section mendment.

The Senate took up the report, eiffs in selling lands under execution. which was read and agreed to.

Where you the cald bill was read o'clock to-morrow morning.

lutle aforesaid.

On motion of Mr. Butler,

'Resolved, that the Executive appointment of William Horton as a Jushice of the Interior Court of Jones Mr. Davis presented a petition from county be, and the same is hereby con-

lerred to a special committee, consisting Mr. Lane (of Putnam) from the of Messrs. Talbot, Remson and Huds-

non Academy—which was received

ry.

Mr. President,

Resolved, that a committee be appoin- I am directed by His Excellency the han Miles a Justice of the Inferior Ordered, that Messrs. Foster, Bar-Court for the county of Baldwin-and

Also, to lay before the Senate a com-

of an act pointing out the duty of she-

The Senate then adjourned 'till 10

TUESEAY, 13th Nov. 1810.

On motion of Mr. Brown,

Resolved, That Thomas Carleton amendments. Sen. and Sterling Grimes be, and Public for the county of Morgan.

and referred to a special committee con-ment. sisting of Messrs. Taliaferro, Spalding and Walker.

Jackson, which was received and read Camden.

the first time.

ved for the appointment of a committee fortunate drawers to take out their to prepare and report a bill pointing grants state of Georgia.

Ordered, that Messrs. Hardin, Talbot, and Byne be that committee.

Mr. Rabun, agreeably to notice, momend an act pointing out the duty of lie on the table. on.

(of Walton) and Williams be that com-mittee on Petitions. mittee.

Mr. President,

Glynn county.

In the resolution appointing Notaries Public for Effingham county, with

And in the resolution appointing they are hereby appointed Notaries justices of the Inferior court for Putnam county.

Mr. Taliaferro presented a petition They have passed a resolution apfrom a number of the inhabitants of the pointing a committee on their part town of Milledgeville, which was read to compose a committee on Enroll-

> A resolution appointing a Notary Public for the city of Augusta.

Mr. Talbot from the committee, re- And a resolution appointing justices ported a bill for the relief of John B. of the Inferior court of the county of

They have passed a bill to continue Mr. Hardin agreeably to notice, mo-in force an act giving further time to

out the mode for electing delegates in And a bill to vest the property of the several counties in this state, for George Bartholomew dec. in certain forming a convention to frame a Con-|Commissioners for the use of his natustitution for the government of the ral children and their mother; and he withdrew.

> Ordered, that the said meseage do llie on the table.

Mr. Foster from the committee, reved for the appointment of a commit-ported on the Petition of Elizabeth tee to prepare and report a bill to a-Jones, which was read and ordered to

Sheriffs selling lands under executi- Mr. Barnett presented a petition from the Executors of Beverly Low, dec'd, Ordered, that Messrs. Rabun, Lane which was read and referred to the com-

Mr. Williams gives notice that he A message from the House of Re-will on to-morrow move for the appresentatives, by Mr. Holt their Clerk. pointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to exempt jusuces of The House of Representatives have the Inferior court from performing misconcurred in the resolution appoint-litia duty in times of peace, and from ing justices of the Inferior court of working personally on the public Iroads.

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from a number of the inhabitants of the the first time. town of Milledgeville, which being read | The bill to be entitled an act to alter was referred to a special committee, the time of electing the Aldermen of consisting of Messrs. Taliaferro, Wal-the city of Savannah, was taken up, read ker and Rabun.

Mr. Pray notifies the Senate, that title aforesaid. he will on to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare committee of the whole on the bill to and report a bill, to repeal an act to a be entitled an act to authorize John Pray mend an act to regulate the wharves of Bryan county, to manumit a certain and shipping in the several ports of this negro girl named Clarissa. Mr. Wood province, &c.

On motion of Mr. Rabun,

and he is hereby appointed a justice of an amendment. the Inferior court for the county of Hanzock.

from the House of Representatives, the third time, and on the question, and agreed to the amendment made to "Shall this bill now pass?" it was dethe resolution by the House of Re-termined in the affirmative, and the presentatives appointing Notaries Pub-Yeas and Nays being required, are, lic for the county of Effingham.

They concurred in the resolution aptary Public for the city of Augusta.

mittee on Enrollment.

read the first time.

Ordered, that the remainder of said and Wood. message do lie on the table.

ported a bill to authorize certain com-Hardaway, Hudspeth, Little, Powell, missioners to establish a Lottery for Scruggs, and Shepherd. the purpose of enclosing the burial The Senate took up the petition of ground of Midway Church, in Liberty Jesse Sanford, which was laid on the tacounty, which was received and read ble yesterday, and the same being read the first time.

ported a bill to regulate the collection Taliaferro and Butler.

Mr. Taliaferro presented a petition of rents, which was received and read

the third time, and passed under the

The Senate resolved itself into a in the Chair. Mr President resumed the chair and Mr. Wood reported, that Resolved, that William Chandler be, they had gone through the same with

> The Senate took up the report which was agreed to.

The Senate took up the message Whereupon the said bill was read-Yeas 24, Nays 16.

Those who voted in the affirmative pointing John D'Antignac, Esq. a No-lare, Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Ball, Brown, Butler, Burnett, Foster, Har-In the resolution appointing a com-din, Henderson, Johnson, Lane (of Putnam) Lane (of Walton) Lanier, M'-And the bills in said Message were Cormick, Rabun, Remson, Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbot, Walker, Williams,

Those who voted in the negative are, Mr. Bacon from the committee re-Messrs. Byne, Cook, Fulgham, Griffin,

was referred to a select committee con-Mr. Rabun from the committee re-sisting of Messrs. Lane (of Putnam)

The Senate resolved itself into a from a number of the inhabitants of committee of the whole, on the bill to Montgomery county, which was read be entitled, an act to amend an act for and referred to the committee on Petitigulating and keeping in repair the publons.

Jefferson and Richmond. Mr. Park in ved for the appointment of a committee the chair. Mr. President resumed the to prepare and report a bill to authorize chair, and Mr. Park reported they had three Commissioners to carry into cfgone through the same with an amend-fect the opening and clearing out a ment.

The Senate took up the report which the Turtle river. was read and ordered to lie on the ta- Ordered, that Messrs. Lanier, Burble.

The bill to be entitled an act to incorporate Mount-Enon Academy, was on to-morrow move for leave to introread the second time and ordered for a duce a bill to prescribe the oath of Spethird reading.

parts of an act for the better regulation ported a bill to amend an act for laying read the second time.

Ordered, for a Committee of the whole.

pomting justices of the Inferior court on the state of the Republic. concurred in.

introduce a bill to incorporate the Plan-Taliaferro. ter's Store in the town of Petersburg.

row.

WEDNESDAY, 14th Nov. 1810.

ported a bill to incorporate the Agricul-consisting of Messrs. Wood, Park and tural Society of Georgia, which was Scruggs. received and read the first time.

Mr. M'Cormick presented a petition

lic roads &c. in the counties of Burke. Mr. Lanier agreeably to notice mo-Canal from the Alatamaha river into

nett and Hardie be that committee.

Mr. Talbot gives notice that he will icial Jurors in cases of Divorce.

The bill to amend and repeal some Mr. Johnston from the committee reof tavern and shop keepers &c. was out the county of Twiggs; which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Park presented a petition from Col. Samuel Alexander in behalf of The Senate took up the resolution himself and Beckam and Heard, which from the House of Representatives ap-was read and referred to the committee

of Camden county, which was read & Mr. Wood presented a petition from William Lowry, which was received, , Mr. Barnett notifies the Senate that read and referred to a special commithe will after to-day move for leave to tee consisting of Messrs. Wood, Park &

Mr. Taliaferro presented a petition Adjourned till ten o'clock tomor-from Rene Fitzpatrick, which was received, read and referred to the committee on the state of the Republic.

Mr. Wood presented a petition from John Smith, which was received, read Mr. Davis from the committee re-and referred to a special committee

Mr. Pray agreeably to notice moved

for the appointment of a committee to amendments. prepare and report a bill to repeal an Whereupon the said bill was read act to amend an act to regulate the the third time, and on the question, wharves and shipping in the several shall this bill now pass? it was deterports of this province, &c.

and Davis be that committee.

Mr. Rabun from the committee reand read the first time.

fitled an act to incorporate the Wilkes and Wood. Manufacturing Company, which was Those who voted in the negative are read the third time, and passed under Messrs. Bacon, Burnett, Byne, Cook, the title aforesaid.

committee of the whole on the bill to M'Cormick, Powell, Pray, Shepperd be entitled an act to amend an act for and Spalding. regulating and keeping in repair the The bill to be entitled an act to incorto with amendments.

the third time and passed under the ti-|required, are, Yeas 27, Nays 9. tle aforesaid.

Chair-Mr. President resumed thelliams and Wood. chair, and Mr. Foster reported, that sundry amendments.

The Senate took up the report, and Powell and Taliaferro. the same being read was agreed to with The following bills were severally

mined in the affirmative, and the yeas Ordered, that Messrs. Pray, Hardee and nays being required are, Yeas 21, Nays 15.

Those who voted in the affirmative. ported a bill to amend an act pointing are, Messrs. Barnett, Ball, Brown, Butbut the duty of Sheriffs in selling lands ler, Davis, Hardaway, Hardin, Harunder execution, which was received dee, Henderson, Hudspeth, Lanier, Little, Park, Rabun, Remson, Scruggs. The Senate took up the bill to be en-Talbot, Taliaferro, Walker, Williams

Foster, Fulgham, Griffin, Johnston, The Senate took up the report of the Lane (of Putnam) Lane (of Walton)

public roads, causeways and bridges in porate Mount Enon Academy in the the counties of Burke, Jefferson and county of Richmond, was read the third Richmond, which was read and agreed time, and on the question, shall this bill now pass? it was determined in the Whereupon the said bill was read affirmative, and the yeas and nays being

Those who voted in the affirmative, The Senate resolved itself into a are Messrs. Bacon, Brown, Butler, committee of the whole on the bill to be Burnett, Byne, Davis, Foster, Fulghentitled an act to amend and repeal|am, Hardaway, Hardie, Henderson, some parts of an act for the better re- Johnston, Lane (of Putnam) Lane of gulation of tavern and shop-keepers, Walton, Lanier, Little, Pray, Park, and more effectually to prevent their Rabun, Remson, Scruggs, Sheptrading with slaves-Mr. Foster in the perd, Spalding, Talbot, Walker, Wil-

Those who voted in the negative, they had gone through the same with are Messrs. Barnett, Ball, Cook, Griflfin, Hardin, Hudspeth, M'Cormick,

aken up and read the second time, to mouth of Redd's Mill-Creek, near the

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to authorise certain Commisly county.

Ordered, for a third reading.

whole.

their mother;

to take out their grants;

Ordered for a committee of the

deceived and read the first time.

cws:

City of Augusta, (now in the county of A bill for the relief of John B. Jack-Columbia) which said tract of land was: sold as the property of Lacklan M'Gilvery.

And whereas the said George Walsioners to establish a Lottery in Liber-ton, on the 9th day of March, 1787, did transfer his right to James Stallings, *|who did on the 2d day of January 1792 A bill to regulate the collection of transfer his right to Thomas Jones. and the siad Geo. Walton did draw an Ordered, for a committee of the order in favor of said Tho's Jones, on the Commissioners of Confiscated pro-A bill to vest the property of George perty, requiring them to convey the said Batholomew in certain Commissioners tract of land to the said Thomas Jones for the use of his natural children and (who is since dead). And whereas also it appears, that James Stallings has Ordered for committee of the whole; paid and discharged the purchase money for the said land, and it appears A bill to *ontinue in force an act to that no deed of conveyance has as yet give further time to fortunate drawers been made, Recommend the following resolution;

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Geor-Mr. Hardie from the committee re-lgia in General Assembly met, That ported a bill to repeal the several acts the present Commissioners of Confisof confiscation of this state, so far as re-cated property, or a majority of them, ates to the confiscation of certain tracts do make and execute titles for the said It land in Camden county, which was land to the heirs of T. Jones, dec. to wit, Susannah, Tho's, Penelope, Joseph, E. The Senate took up the report of the lizabeth, Mary, Barbara, Tabitha and committee on the petition of Elizabeth Sam'l Jones, the children of said Jones; lones, which was amended as fol-provided that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to bar Eliza-The committee to whom was refer-both Jones, the widow of the said Thoed the petition of Elizabeth Jones, Re-mas Jones, from her right of dower to port, that they have examined the the said tract of land. And provided rouchers accompanying the same, also, that nothing herein contained shall wherein it appears, that George Walton be construed to impair or injure the n the year 1783, purchased of the com-claim of any person or persons, having Pussioners of Confiscated Property alor pretending to have a claim to the Estain tract of land containing one hun-said tract of land, further than such hed acres on Savarnahi river, at the blaim would have been effected if the titles had been made by the Commissi-1 The Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock oners of Confiscated Estates at the to-morrow morning. time of the original sale.

And the same being read was agreed ŧO,

Mr. Griffin presented a petition from the inhabitants of Telfair, which was Mathew M'Kinney which was read received and referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Griffin, nance. M'C rhick and Lanier.

moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to Bank of Augusta. Mr. Barnet in the ere, pt justices of the Inferior Court Chair. Mr. President resumed the from seites ming militia duty in times of Chair, and Mr. Barnett reported propeace, and from working personally on gress, and asked leave to sit again. the public roads.

Ordered, that Messrs. Williams, was read and agreed to. Powell and Brown be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Spalding,

pointment of Henry Gignillia: as a justice of the Inferior Court for the county of M'Intoen, in the place of Ema-of Midway Church in Liberty county, nuel Mambersea resigned, be and the was read the third time and passed unsame is hereby confirmed.

Mr. Lane (of Putnam) from the committee reported a bin for the relief of relief of John B. Jackson, was read the Jesse Sanford, which was received and third time and passed under the title mead the first time.

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

Resolved, that Martin Hardin and presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk Daniel Brinson po, and they are hereby appointed pasuces of the Inferior court of Tatant county, in place of Batt passed a bill to extend the power of the Wyche and John H. Bryant, Esquires, resigned.

Mr Fulgham gives notice that helpointing a Justice of the Interior court vill on to-morrow move for leave to of the county of Hancock. introduce a bill to amend an act to make permanent the seat of the public Public for the county of Hancock. buildings in the county of Pulaski.

THURSDAY, 15th Nov. 1810.

Mr. Brown presented a petition from and referred to the committee on Ii.

The Senate resolved itslelf into; Mr. Williams agreeably to notice committee of the whole, on the bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the

The Senate took up the report which

The bill to be entitled, an act to authorise certain commissio, ers therein Resolved, that the Executive ap-named to establish a lottery for the purpose of raising fifteen hundred dollars, to enclose the burial ground der the title thereof.

The bill to be entitled an act for the thereof.

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have Commissioners of Wrightsboro' in Co lumbia county;

They have passed a resolution ap

A resolution appointing a Notar!

A resolution appointing a Lumber!

Wood-Measurer for the City of Savannah; and

A resolution appointing a Justice of Georgia. the Inferior Court for the county of Effingham; and he withdrew.

lie on the table.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill tolwhole. be entitled an act to regulate the col-Mr. Wood reported, that they had gone county. through the same with an amend-

The Senate took up the report, and the same being read was agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read the third time, and on the question, whole. **2**5, nays 11.

fof Putnam), Lane (of Walton), La-requested leave to sit again. nier, Little, M. Cormick, Powell, Ra- The Senate took up the report which bun, Remson, Scruggs, Talbot, Tali-was read and agreed to. sferro, Walker and Williams.

Shepherd, Spalding and Wood.

mead the second time, viz.

datory to an act for laying out the coun-ment. ty of Twiggs.

whole.

The bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Agricultural Society 61

Ordered for a third reading.

The bill to amend an act pointing Ordered, that the said message dolout the duty of Sheriffs in selling lands under execution.

Ordered for a committee of the

The bill to repeal the several acts of lection of rent. Mr. Wood in the chair confiscation, so far as respects the con-Mr. President resumed the chair, and fiscation of certain lands in Camden

> Ordered for a committee of the whole.

> And the bill for the relief of Jesse Sanford.

> Ordered for a committee of the

* shall this bill now pass?" it was de- The Senate resolved itself into a comtermined in the affirmative; and the mittee of the whole, on the bill to vest yeas and nays being required, are yeas the estate of George Bartholomew in certain trustees for the use of his natu-Those who voted in the affirmative, ral children and their mother. Mr. are Messrs. Barnett, Ball, Brown, Park in the chair. Mr. President re-Butler, Davis, Foster, Griffin, Harda-sumed the chair, and Mr. Park reportway, Hardin, Hardee, Hudspeth, Laneled, that they had made progress and

The Senate resolved itself into a Those who voted in the negative, committee of the whole on the bill to are Messrs. Burnett, Byne, Cook, Ful-amend an act giving further time to gham, Henderson, Johnson, Pray, Park, fortunate drawers to take out their Grants, &c. Mr. Foster in the chair. The following bills were severally Mr. President resumed the chair and Mr. Foster reported, that they had gone The bill to be entitled an act amen-through the same with an amend-

The Senate took up the report which Ordered for a committee of the was read and the amendment agreed to. Whereupon the said bill was read

the third time and passed as amend-introduced a bill to make permanent the

from the House of Representatives, read the first time. laid on the table to-day; and

Commissioners of the town of Wrights-of the special jury in cases of divorce, borough, in Columbia county, was which was received and read the first read the first time.

They concurred in the resolution appointing a justice of the Inf. court of Columbia county,

In the resolution appointing a Justice of the Inferior court of Hancock to-morrow morning. County.

And in the resolution appointing a Notary Public for the county of Han-

message do lie on the table.

Mr. Taliaferro from the committee, reported a bill for the better regulation and government of the town of Mil-ed that the prayer of the petitioners is ledgeville, which was received and unreasonable and ought not to be granread the first time.

Mr. Pray from the committee, re-which was read and agreed to. ported a bill to repeal an act to amend an act to regulate the wharves and shipping in the several ports of this to introduce a bill for the relief of Wm Province, &c. which was received and Brown, Stephen Noble and I. Hugher read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Walker,

pointment of Thomos Flournoy, Esq. which was received and read the fir as a member of the board of Trustees time. of the Richmond Academy be, and the same is hereby confirmed.

will on to-morrow move for leave to in- was read and ordered to lie on the troduce a bill to change the names of ble. certain persons therein mentioned.

seat of public buildings in the county The Senate took up the message of Pulaski, which was received and

Mr. Talbot agreeably to notice intro-The bill to extend the power of the duced a bill to prescribe the oath

> On motion of Mr. M'Cormick, Mr. Johnson had leave of absence till Monday next.

The Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock

FRIDAY, 16th Nov. 1810.

Wr. Williams from the committee Ordered, that the remainder of the to whom was referred the petitions of the inhabitants of Montgomery, praying that a part of said county reight be taken off and added to Laurens, reportted. The Senate took up the report

Mr. Lane (of Putnam) gives notice that he will to-morrow move for leave

Mr. Burnett from the committee re ported a bill to explain an act to amen Resolved, that the Executive ap the several road acts in this state, &

Mr Lanier from the committee the state of the republic, reported Mr. Taliaferro gives notice, that he the petition of Peter Kemble, whi

Mr Pray agreeably to notice, int Mr. Fulgham, agreeably to notice, duced a bill the more effectually sec ing the Probate of Wills &c. which v

ee of the whole on the bill to be en-state, passed 7th December, 1805. d an act, to incorporate the Bank of Barnett reported that they had gone geived and read the first time. ugh the same with amendments. ame being read was agreed to with tary; mendment. hereupon the said bill was read

1ys 7.

r, Fulgham, Hardaway, Hardin, Bird, Esquire, resigned. id Wood.

essrs. Ball, Griffin, Lanier, Pow-Esquire, removed. epherd, Spalding and Talia-

notion of Mr. Hardie; day the 26th inst. unt of the sales of Fractional Harris, esquire, removed.

sived and read the first time. The Surveys, made under the authority of ate again resolved itself into a com-lan act of the General Assembly of this

Mr Williams from the committee Mr. Barnett in the chair reported a bill to manumit certain per-President resumed the chair, and sons therein contained, which was re-

A message from His Excellency the he Senate took up the report and Governor by Mr. Rousseau his Secre-

Mr. President;

I am directed by His Excellency the hird time, and on the question, Governor to inform the Senate, that ill this bill now pass?" it was de-he has approved of and signed sundry ned in the affirmative, and the Resolutions which originated in this and nays being required, are yeas branch of the Legislature, to wit;

One confirming the Executive apose who voted in the affirmative, pointment of Reubin S. Saffold, Esq. as Aessrs. Bacon, Barnett, Brown, a Justice of the Inferior Court of the r, Burnett, Byne, Cook, Davis, county of Bryan, in the room of James

e, Henderson, Hudspeth, Lane One appointing John Pollock, Williitnam) Lane (of Walton) Little, am Black, and Daniel Blackburn, Esmick, Park, Pray, Rabun, Rem-quires, Justices of the Inferior Court of cruggs, Talbot, Walker, Willi-the county of Scriven, in the room of Caleb Howell and Robert Williamson, se who voted in the negative, Esquires, resigned, and Jacob Dunn,

One appointing Jonathan Robinson, esquire, a Justice of the Inferior court lof the county of Bullock, in the place lived, that the sales of confisca-Stephen Denmark, esquire, resigned.

perty, which is advertised for One appointing John Pearce & Wil-Monday next, be postponed un-liam Hendley, esquires, justices of the Inferior court of the county of Telfair, Barnett laid on the table the fol-lin the place of Henry Joice and Willi-'ésolution: That the treasurer am Carrell, esquires, resigned.

diately proceed to deposit in One confirming the Executive apds of the proper officers, all pointment of Peter Boyle, esquire, as a otes, or other securities given justice of the Inferior court of the counayment of money due this stately of Jackson, in the place of Buckney

One confirming the Executive ap-withdrew. nointment of Col. John Davis, as a justice of the Inferior court of Burke coun-lie on the table. ty, in the place of David Emanuel, Esquire, deceased.

Bevill, Thomas Scruggs and John special committee, consisting of Messrs Greene, esquires, Lumber-Measurers Davis, Spalding, Bacon, M'Cormick for the Port of Savannah.

mas Barrett, esquires, Vendue Mas-tives, to take the same into consideraters for the City of Augusta.

One appointing Richard H. Wilde, Robert Campbell and Thomas C. Rus-from the House of Representatives laid sell, esquires, Notaries Public for the on the table this day, and the resolution City of Augusta and county of Rich-on therein contained was concurred in, mond.

One appointing Thomas E. Lloyd, the first time. Samuel M. Mordecai, John N. Brailsford, Joseph H. Clark, George Schley, ported a bill to regulate free persons of George Glenn, and Charles Pope, es-color coming into this state or residing quires, Notaries Public for the county therein; which was received and read of Chatham;

And also to lay before the Senate a Communication; and he withdrew.

lie on the table.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; Mr. Président;

The House of Representatives have bassed a resolution appointing a Nota-row morning. my Public for the county of Chatham.

They have passed a bill to amend an act to extend the laws of this state over the persons residing in Wafford's settlement; and

Harbor Master and Health Officer of on for the postponement of the sale of. the Port of Savannah in the Mayor and confiscated property. Aldermen of said City; and for other purposes therein mentioned. And he table.

Ordered, that the said message do

The Senate took up the message. trom His Excellency the Governor, & One appointing Wm. Lucas, Paul the Communication was referred to a and Pray, to join such as may be ap-One appointing Jas. Frazer & Tho-pointed by the House of Representation

> The Senate took up the Message and the said bills were severally read

> Mr. Davis from the committee rethe first time.

Mr. Walker presented a petition from Sarah Oliver, which was received, read Ordered, that the said message do and referred to the committee on the state of the Republic.

Un motion,

Mr. Brown & Mr. Rabun had leave of absence 'till Monday morning next Adjourned till ten o'clock tomor-

SATURDAY, 17th Nov. 1810. On motion of Mr. Foster,

The Journal of yesterday was re-con-A bill vesting the appointment of sidered, so far as respects the resoluti-

Ordered, that the same do lie on the

port a bill to amend the 68th section vince, &c. Tan act to revise and amend the Judilary of this state.

Mr Barnett presented a petition from had and referred to the committee onlings in Pulaski county.

etitions.

The bill to be entitled an act to incorforate the Agricultural Society of Geor-special jury in cases of divorce. ia, was read the third time and passed inder the title thereof.

committee of the whole on the bill to re- residing therein. xeal the several confiscation acts of his state, so far as respects the confis-whole. nation of certain lands in Camden couny-Mr. Wood in the Chair-Mr. Pre-colour therein named. sident resumed the Chair, and Mr. Wood reported, that he was requested whole. to report the further consideration of The Senate took up the report, the county of Glynn. which was agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. entitled an act for the relief of Jesse Sanford-Mr. Park in the Chairprogress and asked leave to sit again.

The Senate took up the report, which was read and agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Lanier,

* The Messenger had leave of absence | A resolution appointing a justice of the remainder of the day.

takes up and read the second time, to the rate of interest in this state—and Wit;

Mr. Henderson gives notice, that he A bill to repeal an act to amend an If on Monday next move for the ap act to regulate the wharves and ship. Singment of a committee to prepare & ping in the several ports of this pro-

Ordered, for a committee of the whole.

A bill to amend an act to make perhigh M'Donald, which was received, manent the seat of the Public Build-

> Ordered for committee of the whole: A bill to prescribe the oath of the

Ordered, for a third reading.

A bill for the regulation of free per-! The Senate resolved itself into alsons of color coming into this state, or

Ordered, for a committee of the

A bill to manumit certain persons of

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to explain an act to amend the said bill be postponed until June next. several road acts &c. so far as respects.

Ordered for a third reading.

A message from the House of Re-Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have Mr. President resumed the Chair, and concurred in the resolution from Senate Mr. Park reported, that they had made appointing a Justice of the Inferior. court of Hancock county.

> They have passed a resolution appointing a commissioner for the court-House and Jail in Wayne county; and

the Inferior court of Clark county.

The following bills were severally They have passed a bill to regulate

A bill to repeal the 9th section of an

dot to lay out a county in the territory Mr. Walker presented a petition acquired from the General Government from a number of the Inhabitants of &c.—and he withdrew.

Ordered, that said message do lie on referred to a special committee, consist the table.

The following bills were read the Foster. 2d time, to wit;

A bill to amend an act to extend the that he will on Monday next move for law of this state over the persons resi-leave to introduce a bill to repeal an ac ding in Wafford's settlement &c.

Ordered for a committee of the state. whole.

commissioners of Wrightsboro' in Co-to erect a ferry across the Oconee Ri lumbia county.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

of Harbor-Master and Health-Officer next. of the Port of Savannah in the Mayor and Aldermen of said City, &c.

Ordered for a committee of the whole; and

A bill more effectually securing the Probate of Wills &c.

Ordered for a committee of the whole on Monday.

Mr. Lane (of Putnam) from the committee to contract for printing the Laws and Journals of the present session, reported, which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

tice introduced a bill for the relief of be that committee on part of Senate. William Brown. Stephen Noble and Mr. Hardin presented a petition from Isaac Hughes, which was received and Catharine Fitzgerald, executrix of Hen read the first time.

troduced a bill to incorporate the Pewas received and read the first time.

Columbia county, which was read and ling of Messrs. Walker, Hudspeth and

Mr. Hudspeth notifies the Senate supplementary to the Judiciary of this

Mr. Griffin from the committee re A bill to extend the powers of the ported a bill to authorize Henry Joice

On motion,

Mr. Butler had leave of absence 'til A bill for vesting the appointment wonday and Mr. Wood 'till Tuesday

> Adjourned 'till ten o'clock monday morning.

MONDAY, 19th Nov. 1816

On motion of Mr. Foster,

The Journal of Saturday, so far at respects the petition from the inhabi tants of Columbia county, was re-con sidered.

Ordered, that the said petition be re ferred to a joint committee of both bran ches of the Legislature, and tha Mr. Lane of Putnam agreeably to no-Messrs. Walker, Foster and Hudspet

ry Osborn, which was received, reac Mr. Barnett agreeably to notice in and referred to the committee on peti tions.

Mr. Taliaferro presented a petition tersburg Mercantile Company, which from Jacob Mordecai, which was read fand referred to the committee on Peti

tions.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk. Governor's Communication on the sub-

Mr. President;

concurred in the resolution on the pe-withdrew. tition of Elizabeth Jones.

In the resolution appointing a justable. tice of the Inferior court of Jones The Senate took up the message

In the resolution appointing Justices and of the Inferior court of Tamall coun-

ty.

In the resolution appointing a mem-Richmond Academy; and

missioner of the town and commons of Shepherd, Spalding and Williams. Frederica, and Commissioners for the Those who voted in the negative, the county of Glynn.

ment made by Senate to the bill giving Scruggs, Talbot, Taliaferro, & Walker. take out their grants:

They have passed a resolution post-firmative. poning the sale of a lot of land in the The bill to regulate the rate of intecity of Savannah, advertised to be sold rest in this state, and this day by the Commissioners of Coninscated Estates; and

the Inferior court of Franklin coun-the General Government, &c. were se-

tion appointing a joint committee to take A message from the House of Re-linto consideration His Excellency the ject of the Planter's Bank, & have ad-The House of Representatives have ded a committee on their part; and he

Ordered that the same do lie on the

from the House of Representatives,

On motion of Mr. Foster,

To recede from their amendment & In the resolution appointing Nota-concur with the House of Representaries Public for the county of Mor-tives to the bill giving further time to the fortunate drawers to take out their In the resolution appointing a justice grants; the year and nays were requir of the Inferior court of M'Intosh coun-led, and are as follows, Yeas 15, Nays

Those who voted in the affirmative, ber of the Board of Trustees of the are Messrs Bacon, Ball, Burnett, Cook, Foster, Fulgiram, Hardaway, Hardin, In the resolution appointing a com-Henderson, Lanier, Little, M'Cormick,

town and commons of Brunswick, in are Messrs. Barnett, Byne, Davis, Grif-Iffi., Hardie, Hudspeth, Lane (of Wal-They have disagreed to the amend-on) Park, Powell, Pray, Remson,

further time to fortunate drawers to There being an equal number of votes, the President decided in the af-

The bill to repeal the 9th section of on act to lay out and establish a coun-A resolution appointing a justice of ty in the territory lately acquired from verally read the first time.

They have concurred in the resolution. They concurred in the resolution

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of Clark county.

of Wayne county, and

of the Inferior court of Franklin coun-Barnett and Little be that committee.

Message do lie on the table.

Stephen Meard, which was referred to in this state, for the erection of Acadethe committee on petitions.

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

Confired ted Estates be, and they are printing &c. which is as follows; next ten o'clock.

referred to the committee on petiti-for the Journals.

Mr. Davis from the committee re-lowing resolutions; ported a bill supplementary to the Judiciary act now in force, and to establish have the printing of the Laws & Conan uniform system of practice in the cured Resolutions of the present Legisproceedings of the Superior courts of lalure at the rate of two and one third this state, which was received and read cents per sheet of sixteen pages octathe first time.

ments of the Grand Jury of Burkelso the printing of the Journals of both county, which were read and referred branches of the Legislature, at and alto the committee on the State of the Re-Iter the rate of two cents and three public.

Mr. Henderson agreeably to notice.

appointing a justice of the Inferior court, moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to In the resolution appointing a com-lamend the 68th section of an act to remissioner of the court-house and jail vise and amend the judiciary of this

In the resolution appointing a justice | Ordered, that Messrs. Henderson,

Mr. Johnson gives notice, that he Ordered, that the remainder of said will on to-morrow move for leave to introduce a bill amendatory to an act al-Mr. Barnett presented a petition from lowing donations to the several counties mics.

The Senate took up the report of Resolved, that the commissioners of the joint committee to contract for

hereby authorized and required to post-! Your committee Report, that they pone the sales advertised by them to have received proposals from several commence this day, until Thursday|Printers, and upon opening and examining the same, are of opinion, that Mr. Scruggs notifies the Senate, that the proposals made by Mr. Seaton he will on to-morrow move for the ap-Grantland are moderate and reasonapointment of a committee to prepare & ble, and something less than the work report a bill to alter the time for the was executed for at the last session, meeting of the General Assembly, &c. viz. two and one third cents per sheet Mr. Park presented a petition from for the Laws and Resolutions, and Henry D. Stone, which was read and two and three quarter cents per sheet

They therefore recommend the fol-

Resolved, that Seaton Grantland [vo, to be delivered to the Executive by Mr. Byne presented the present-the first day of February next; and alquarters per sheet of eight pages quarto, to be delivered to the Executive by the first day of March next; the work to be executed in the same manner, and of as good materials as it Sheppard Williams, Charles M'Call, for the due performance of the contract county of Bullock. in the penal sum of three thousand Mr. Park from the committee reportdollars.

Resolved, that fifteen hundred co-las follows, to wit; pies of the Laws at i Concurred Re-| Your committee have resorted to erelate to elections) of the present ses-to the unfortunate case of the Petitionbeing read was agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into allowing resolution: for other purposes therein mentioned pected insurrection of Negroes. Mr. Byne in the Chair. Mr. President And the same being read was orresumed the Chair, and Mr. Byne re-dered to lie on the table.

was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Bacon,

Resolved, that John A. Cuthbert and John Dunwoody be, and they are hereesquires, resigned.

morning.

TUESDAY, 20th Nov. 1810.

On motion of Mr. Lanier,

Resolved, that Samuel Lockhart, was the last year. The said Seaton John Rawles and William Holloway, Grantland to give bond with good secu-be, and they are hereby appointed rity to His Excellency the Governor Commissioners of the Academy for the

led on the petition of William Lowry,

solutions, (except such resolutions as very enquiry in their power, relative sion, and twelve hundred copies of the er, and are of opinion, that the princi-Journals of each House, be printed and ples of humanity, benevolence and resdistributed as heretofore; and the same titution ought to be extended to his relief, and therefore recommend the fol-

committee of the whole on the bill to Resolved, that the sum of seven hunbe entitled an act the more effectually dred dollars be appropriated to Willisecuring the Probate of Wills, limiting am Lowry of Jefferson county, as a the time for Executors to qualify and remuneration for the loss of three Ne-Widows to make their election; and groes, killed by a patrol in the late sus-

ported progress, and asked leave to sit Mr. Bacon presented a petition from Paul H. Wilkins, which was read and The Senate took up the report, which referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Bacon, Spalding and Pray.

On motion of Mr. Little,

Resolved, that John E. Carson, Freby appointed Justices of the Inferior derick Beall and John Mullin be, and court of Liberty county, in the room of they are hereby appointed Commissi-Thomas Bacon, sen. and Elijah Baker, loners of the Academy in Franklin county; in place of Larkin Cleveland, Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow Thomas P. Carnes and Robert Walton, removed.

> Mr. Henderson from the committee reported a bill to amend the 68th secti

on of an act to revise and amend the through the same with amendments. Judiciary system of this state; which The Senate took up the report, and was received and read the first time.

Mr. Lanier gives notice, that he will amendments. on to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and re-reading. port a bill to amend an act to sell and Mr. Bacon from the committee to dispose of the Fractional parts of Sur-whom was referred the petition of Paul win and Wilkinson.

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

pointed on the part of Senate, to join of Georgia in General Assembly met. such as may be appointed by theland by the authority of the same, That House of Representatives, to call on the Treasurer of the state be, and he is the Commissioners of the town of Mil-hereby directed to re-deliver to the ledgeville, and such other persons as Commissioners of Confiscated Sales, a may have had charge of public monies, Funded Certificate deposited by them appropriated for building the State-lin the Treasury of the state for safe-House, and to ascertain how the same keeping, and receipted for by Edwin has been applied; and further to en-Mounger to the said Paul Hamilton quire why the contract for building the Wilkins; that the said Commissioners same has not been complied with; and may finally settle with the said Paul also to report the description and quan-Hamilton Wilkins, in terms of their oritity of furniture which should be pro-ginal assumpsit. yided for the Senate and Representative The Senate resolved itself into a Chambers.

Mudspeth, Bacon and Lane (of Put-pointment of Harbor-Master & Health nam) be the committee on the part of Officer of the port of Savannah in the Senate.

fy and Widows to make their election, again. and for other purposes therein mentioned. Mr. Byne in the Chair. Mr was read and agreed to. President resumed the Chair, and Mr. Byne reported, that they had gone

the same was read and agreed to with

Ordered to be engrossed for a third

veys of Lands, in the counties of Bald-Hamilton Wilkins, Reported the following resolution;

Be it Resolved by the Senate and Resolved, that a committee be ap-House of Representatives of the State

committee of the whole on the bill to Ordered, that Messrs. Barnett, Park be entitled an act for vesting the ap-Mayor and Aldermen of the said City, The Senate again resolved itself in-and for other purposes therein mentito a committee of the whole on the bill'oned. Mr. Talbot in the Chair. Mr. Preto be entitled an act for the more effect/sident resumed the Chair, and Mr. Taltually securing the Probate of Wills, li-bot reported, that the committee rise, remiting the time for Executors to quali-port progress, and have leave to sit

The Senate took up the report, which

On motion of Mr. M'Cormick, Resolved, that William A. Harper, Henry Fulghem, George G. Gaines, committee of the whole on the bill to William S. Lancaster & George Wal-be entitled an act, amendatory to an act ker, of Pulaski county; Henry Shep-sfor laying out the county of Twiggs, herd, Jonathan Sawyer, Thomas Da-passed the 14th December 1809—Mr. vis, John G. Underwood and John Lanier in the chair; Mr. President re-Fulwood, of Laurens county; Robert sumed the chair, and Mr. Laurens re-Flournoy, James Alston, Robert L. ported, that they had gone through the Troup, Abram Jones, & David M'Cor-same with amendments.

mick, of Montgomery county; Thos. The Senate took up the report, and Mitchell, William Carrell, Mitchell the same being read, was agreed to. Griffin, Abraham F Powell and Benj. Ordered to be engrossed for a 3d

Cray, of Telfair county; John Hatch-reading.

cr, Mathew Carswell, Daniel Hicks, The Senate resolved itself into a Stephen Gafford, Jeremiah Lofton, of committee of the whole on the bill to Wilkinson county, be, and they are be entitled an act, to make permanent hereby appointed Commissioners of the seat of the public buildings in the the Academies of their several coun-county of Pulaski—Mr. Barnett in the Chair; Mr. President resumed the chair,

On motion of Mr. Remson, and Mr. Barnett reported that they had Resolved, That Robert Ware, John gone through the same with amend-

II. Walker, Henry Jones, William ments.

Dowsing, G.bson Clark, Robert Flem, The Senate took up the report, ing, Thomas Murray, be, and they are which was agreed to.

hereby appointed Commissioners of Ordered for a 3d reading. the Academy of Lincoln county.

Assembly.

. Ordered, That Messrs. Scruggs, Cormick and Park be the committee.

to-morrow morning.

WEDNESDAY, 21st Nov. 1810.

The Senate a sun resolved itself in-Mr. Scruggs agreeably to notice to a committee of the whole on the bill moved for a committee to prepare and for the relief of Jesse Sanford—Mr. report a bill, to alter the time for the Park in the Chair, Mr. President remeeting of the General Assembly of sumed the chair, and Mr. Park reportthis State, and to alter the time for the ed, that he has requested to report the election of Members of the General further consideration of said bill be postponed 'till June next.

The Senate took up the report, and Davis, Barnett, Foster, Burnett, M'-on the question to agree to the same. it was determined in the affirmative, The Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock and the Yeas and Nays being required. are Yeas 21—Nays 12.

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Ball, Brown, Cook, Foster, Griffin, Harda-The Senate resolved itself into alway, Henderson, Hudspeth, Johns on

Little, M'Cormick, Powell, Rabun, Hudspeth reported, that they had gone Remson, Scruggs, Spalding, Taibot, & through the same without any amend. Taliaferro.

Those who voted in the negative, are Messrs. Butler, Burnett, Byne, it was agreed to. Fulgham, Lane (of Putnam), Lane (of Whereupon the said bill was read Walton), Lanier, Park, Pray, Shep-the third time, and passed under the herd, Walker and Wood.

mittee of the whole on the bill to be committee of the whole on the bill for enatled an act, to amend the trurd sec-legulating & governing free persons of tion of an act, pointing out the duty of colour coming into this state or resi-Sheriffs in selling lands under execute ding therein. Mr. Barnett in the Chair. on-Mr. Scruggs in the Chair, Mr. Mr President resumed the Chair, and President resumed the chair, and Mr Air. Barnett reported, that they had Scruggs reported that they had gone gone through the same with amendthrough the same with an amendment ments.

The Senate took up the report, which The Senate took up the report, and was agreed to.

Ordered that the said bill be engros-ments. sed for a 3d reading.

read the 3d time, & passed under their "shall this bill now pass?" it was detitles, to wit:

scribe the eath of the special jury in Yeas 24-Nays 11. cases of Divorce; and

an act to amend the several road acts Burnett, Byne, Davis, Foster, Fulghin this state, so far as respects the am, Griffin, Hardaway, Hardie, Hencounties therein named—so far as residerson, Hudspeth, M'Cormick, Powell, pects the county of Glynn.

committee of the whole on the bill toland Wood. be entitled an act to repeal an act for amending an act to regulate the wharves are, Messrs. Ball, Cook, Hardin, Johnand shipping in the several ports of ston, Lane (of Putnam), Lane (of Walthis province, and ascertaining the ton) Lanier, Little, Park, Rabun and races of wharfage and -hipping, &c.|Walker. Mr. Hudspeth in the chair. Mr. Pre

The Senate took up the report, and

title thereof.

The Senate resolved itself into a com- The Senate resolved itself into a

the same was agreed to with amend-

Whereupon the said bill was read' The following bills were severally the third time, and on the question, termined in the affirmative, and the A bill to be entitled, an act to pre-|yeas and nays being required, are,

Those who voted in the affirmative, A bill to be entitled, an act to explain are, Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Butler, Pray, Remson, Scruggs, Shepperd, The Senate resolved itself into a Spalding, Talbot, Taliaferro, Williams

Those who voted in the negative,

The Senate resolved itself into a ordent resumed the Chair, and Mr. committee of the whole on the bill to be entitled, an act to manumit certain A resolution appointing Thursday persons therein named. Putnam) in the Chair. Mr. Fresidenia Lieut. Colonel to command the third resumed the Chair, and Mr. Lane re-fregiment of Cavalry &c. in the place of ported, that he was requested to report Felix H. Gilbert Esq. resigned. the further consideration of said bill be postponed until May next.

the same being read was agreed to

The following bals were severally read the 2d time, and ordered for a committee of the whole, to wit;

erece a Ferry; and

A bill to amend an act to regulate the town of Milledgeville.

A message from the House of Re-a committee of the whole. presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have committee on the subject of printing

In the resolution on the petition of Paul H. Wilkins.

In the resolution appointing Com-

pone their sales.

In the resolution appointing Justices ty; and

In the resolution appointing Com-

They have passed a resolution appointing a Justice of the Inferior court of Elbert county:

Mr. Lane (of next twelve o'clock for the election of

A resolution appointing Thursday next twelve o'clock for the election of The Senate took up the report, and Harbor Master for the Port of Savanaah—and he withdrew.

Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Walker presented a petition from the Roman Catholic Society of A bill to authorize Henry Joice to the City of Augusta; which was read and reterred to a special committee A bill to regulate the rate of Inter-consisting of Messrs. Walker, M'Cormick and Foster.

> The following bills were severally read the second time, and ordered for

> A bill to incorporate the Petersburg Mercantile Company.

A bill to amend an act to revive and concurred in the report of the joint amend the Judiciary system of this state; and

> A bill supplementary to the Judiciary act now in force in this state, &c.

The Senate took up the message missioners of the Franklin county Aca-from the House of Representatives, and concurred in the resolution ap-In the resolution requiring the Com-pointing Thursday next for the election missioners of Confiscated Sales to post-on of a Harbor-Master for the Port of Savannah.

In the resolution appointing Thursof the Inferior Court of Liberty coun-day next 12 o'clock for the election of a Lieut. Colonel &c.—and

In the resolution appointing a Jusmissioners of the Bullock county Aca-tice of the Inferior Court of Elbert county.

On motion of Mr. Powell,

Resolved, that James Fort, George Linder, Moses Harrison, John Wal-

lace and John Fort, Esquires, be, and survey of the coasts of the state of they are hereby appointed Commissi-Georgia, Report, that from all the inoners of the Wayne county Academy formation they can procure upon the

Mr. M'Cormick presented a Petition subject, they are impressed with the from Mary M'Wright, which was read opinion, that the original draughts proand referred to a special committee, posed to be surrendered to the state of consisting of Messrs. M. Cormick, Lane Georgia by Mr. Hill, were made by Hopkins, M'Lane and Co and that it (of Putnam), and Burnett.

Mr. Bacon presented a Petition from would be unjust in the extreme to make a number of the inhabitants of Liberty any arrangement with Mr. Hill, until county, which was read and referred assured that the survivor, to wit, major to the committee on Petitions. Hopkins, nad transferred his claim to

Mr. M'Cormick presented a petition mr. Hills. from a number of the inhabitants of Your committee therefore re-com-Randolph county, which was read and mend the following en lution; referred to a special committee, con- Be it resolved by the Senate and sisting of Messrs M. Cormick, Lanier House of Representatives of the state and Lane (of Putnam.)

that he will on to-morrow move for His Excellency the Governor be, and leave to introduce a bill to repeal cer-she is hereby required to ascertain from tain parts of an act to establish an A major Hopkin, whether the draughts cademy in Putnam county.

row morning.

THURSDAY, 22d Nov. 1810. On motion of Mr. Brown,

William Mitchell, James Mitchell, Da-for the carrying fully into effect this vevid Files and John B. Whatley, be, and ry desirable object. they are hereby appointed Commissioners of the Morgan county Academy. to

Mr. Lanier from the committee on the state of the Republic, reported on presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; the memorial of John Hill, as follows, viz.

public, to whom was referred the me-missioners of the Scrive: county Acqmorial of John Hill, on the subject of aldemy; and

of Georgia in General Assembly met, Mr. Lane (of Putnam) gives notice, and by the authority of the same, That Itenuered by Mr. Hills are his original Adjourned 'till ten o'clock to-mor-survey; and if so, whether he has transferred the same to Mr. Hills, or not; and that His Excellency be requested to report to the next Legislature the result of the said enquiry; so Resolved, that John E. Dawson, that necessary provision may be made

And the same being read was agreed

A message from the House of Remr. President;

The House of Representatives have The committee on the state of the re-passed a resolution appointing Com-

They have passed a bill to sell and full value and amount of the said loan, dispose of certain lands in the seventh to be judged of by the justices of the district, formerly Baldwin, now Twiggs Inferior court of Greene county, or acounty; and he withdrew. ny three of them, and therefore recom-

Ordered that the said message do lie mend the following resolution, viz.

on the table.

Resolved, that his Excellency the The Senate took up the report of Governor be, and he is hereby request. the committee on the Petition of Zacha-jed to draw on the Contingent Fund for riah Sims, which is as follows:

referred the Petition of Zachariah to carry into operation a Paper Manu-Sims, praying a loan of four thousand factory, upon his giving bond and a dollars to enable him to compleat the mortgage as security that may be deemestablishment of a Paper Manufactory ed by His Excellency the Governor in Greene county in this state, are of sufficient to secure the return of the opinion that the prayer of the petition-said money with interest into the tre. er is reasonable and ought to be grant-sury of this state, at the expiration of ed.

Your committee have received infor-riah Sims shall receive the same. mation from persons of the most re- On motion to strike four thousand grity and capacity to judge, that Mr. greed to. Sims' expenditures have been great to Mr. Powell then moved to insert his said works in complete operation|Yeas 19, Nays 17. rellency the Governor, for the return Wood. tate of the said Zachariah Sims, to the ro, and Williams.

the sum of four thousand dollars in fa-The select committee to whom were vour of Zachariah Sims, to enable him three years next after the said Zacha-

speciable standing in society, for inte-dollars out of said resolution it was a-

accomplish the said object, and his Three Thousand Dollars, and on the works are in considerable forwardness, question to agree to the same, it was and that with the aid of the solicited determined in the affirmative, and the loan he will in a very few months have Yeas and Nays being required, are

to the great benefit of the state. Your Those who voted in the affirmative. committee therefore recommend, that are Messrs. Brown, Butler, Burnett, the prayer of the petitioner be granted, Cook, Davis, Hardin, Hardie, Henderand that the sum of four thousand dol-son, Hudspeth, Johnston, Lane (of Putlars upon his giving bond with two se-nam) M'Cormick, Park, Powell, Racurities to be approved of by his Ex-bun, Spalding, Talbot, Walker and

of the money into the Treasury of this Those who voted in the negative, state within the term of three years are Messrs Bacon, Barnett, Ball, Byne, from the time of his receiving the same, Foster, Fulgham, Griffin, Hardaway, and that the said payment be further Lane (of Walton) Lanier, Little, Pray, secured by a mortgage on the real es-Remson, Scruggs, Shepherd, Taliafering resolution as a substitute for the verson, Esq. resigned, and appointing original, to wit:

Resolved, that there shall be appro-of Edmond Lane, Esq. resigned. priated to the said Zachariah Sims, out One appointing Leighton Wilson, of any monies unappropriated, the sum and John Gignilliatt, Esqrs. Justices of of three thousand dollars, to enable the Inferior court of Glynn county, & him to carey into operation a Paper Ma | One appointing William Bird and nufactory, upon his giving bond and William King, Esqrs. Notaries Public sufficient security to his Excellency the for the country of Effingham, and he Governo: for the return of said money withdrew. with interest into the treasury of this Mr. Park gives notice that he will state at the expiration of three years on to-morrow ask leave to report a bill next, after the said Zachariah Simstomcorporate a company for the imshall receive the same.

And the same being read was a-conee river.

the Governor, by Mr Rousseau, Insithe petition of Sarah Oliver as follows, hecretary.

Mr. President;

the Governor to inform the Senate pediton of Union Oliver, report that the that he has approved of and signed-prayer of the petitioner is unreasonable sundry Concurred Revolutions which and ought not to be granted. originated in this branch of the Legislature, to wit:

One directing the Treasurer to deliver to the Commissioners of from a number of the inhabitants of Confiscated Property, a Funded Certi-Jackson county, which was read and ficate deposited by them in the treasu-ordered to lie on the table. ry for safe-keeping, and receipted for Mr. Park from the committee reby Edwin Mounger to Paul Hamilton ported on the petition of John Smith, Wilkins, in order that the said Commis-|which was read and ordered to lie on sioners may finally settle with the said the table. Paul Hamilton Wilkins in terms of their original assumpsit.

Mr. Walker then moved the follow-nam county in the place of Robert 1-James B. Clopton, Esq. in the place

provement of the navigation of the O-

bir. Lanier from the committee on A message from His Excellency the State of the Republic reported on

The committee on the State of the I am directed by His Excellency, Republic to whom were referred the

The Senate took up the report and the same being read was agreed to.

Mr. Henderson presented a petition

Mr. Lane [of Putnam], agreeably to notice, introduced a bill to repeal cer-One confirming the Executive ap-stain parts of an act to establish an Apointment of Willis Roberts, Esqr. as ademy in Eatonton, Putnam county, + in the of the Inferior Court of Put- &c. which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Walker from the committee re- 1 am directed to inform the Senate, time.

Mr. Lane [of Putnam,] presented ala joint and approved resolution; and petition from a number of the inhabi-he withdrew. ker and Bacon.

ferred to a special committee, consist-|command the 4th regiment of Cavaling of Messrs. Rabun, Taliaferro and ry. Hudspeth.

On motion of Mr. Hardin,

Resolved, that Clement Bryant, Mr. Scruggs from the committee re-Academy.

Mr. Lane [of Putnam] presented a petition from James Espy and others, clock to morrow morning. which was read and referred to a special committee consisting of Messrs. Lane, Foster and Wood

Mr. Davis agreeably to notice introduced a bill to incorporate the Planter's

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President;

ported a bill to incorporate the Roman that the House of Representatives are Catholic Society of Augusta, &c. now ready to receive them in the which was received and read the first Representative Chamber, for the purpose of proceeding to the election of Mr Taliaferro agreeably to notice, Harbor Master for the port of Savanintroduced'a bill to alter the name of nah and a Lieutenant Colonel to comcertain persons therein named, which mand the fourth regiment of Cavalry was received and read the first time in the Militia of this state, agreeably to

tants of Putnam county, which was The Senate then repaired to the Reread and referred to a special commit-presentative Chamber, and being seattee consisting of Messrs. Lane, Wal-ed, proceeded by joint ballot to said elections, and on counting out the votes Mr. Rabun presented a petition from appeared that Robert Greer was dua number of the inhabitants of Han-ly elected Harbor Master and Johnson cock county, which was read and re-Wellborn elected Lieutenant Col. to

> The Senate again returned to their Chamber and took their seats.

John P Blackmore, Richard Cooper, ported a bili to after the time for the Moses Westberry and Ezekiel Clifton meeting of the General Assembly of be, and they are hereby appointed this state, and for other purposes there-Commissioners of the Tatuall county in mentioned, which was received and read the first time.

Adjourned till 59 minutes after 9 6'

FRIDAY, 23d Nov. 181Q.

On motion of Mr. Lanier, •

The Journal of yesterday was re-Bank of the State of Georgia, &c. considered so far as respects the rewhich was received and read the first port of the committee on the petition of Sarah Oliver.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk. Mr. President;

passed the bill from Senate to ardon Chan, and Mr. Byne reported, that Edward Downing.

They have presed a bill for the national any amendment. provement of the navigation of the O- like report was taken up and agreed cones, Alamanha and Savannah Ri to. Whereupon the said bill was read vers.

They concurred in the resolutionale increar. appointing a journ committee to call on The call amendatory to an act laythe Commissioners of Amledgevinching our me county of Twiggs, passed and such other persons as may have like the cember, 1809, and authorising had charge of public movies approprique chawing Grand and Petit Jurors ated for body my me State House, and for the counties of Telfair, Laurens, assertants on the same has been at the Winkinson, Pulaski and Montgomery. ed, Sc. - and

on the table.

The bill for the relief of William, The Senate resolved itself into a President detects, which was read recommended of the wirele on the bill to second time, and ordered for a complete chatted an act, to amend the 1st secmittee of the whole.

mend the clara section of an act, our flord's settlement, and for organizing thed, an a typically out the day of the same-Mr. Park in the Chair-Sceriffs in Scring lands under execu | Wr. President resumed the Chair and tion, passed like thee, 1898...and

ing the Prob te of Wiles, him ting the ment. time for Lucemers to couldy and Widows to make then election, and for o-to. ther purposes therein mentioned; were Whereupon the said bill was read severally read the u and time and pas-the third time, and passed under the tised under their respective titles.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill ex-committee of the whole on the bill to tending the powers of the Commission-repeal the 9th section of an act to lay

flun bia county. Mr. Byne in the The House of Representatives have Court. Mr. President resumed the they had gone through the same with-

tile direct time, and passed under the ti-

The bill to be entitled an act to a. They have passed a resolution applicated an act to make permanent the printing a Lumber-Measurer of the cat or public buildings in Pulaski On Marketing, and he wandrew. Journs -- were severally read the third Ordered, that the said message do he did, and passed under their respective

lol an act to extend the Laws of this The bill to be emitted an act, to a state of or the persons residing in Waf-Mr. Park reported, that they had gone The blittle more edectually secur-through the same without any amend-

The report was taken up and agreed

the thereof.

The Senate resolved itself into a ers of the town of Wrightsboro' in Co-out and establish a county in the Territory lately acquired by cession from sumed the chair, and Mr. Pray reportthe Gen. Government, passed on theled progress and asked leave to sit a-10th of Dec. 1703, so far as respects the gain.

proviso containe the the said section ! Mr. Wood in the chair. Mr. Presidentito.

resumed the chair and Mr. Wood reported progress and asked leave to sitider of the day and took up the resoluagain

to.

committee of the whole on the bill to Percival Ward, in the city of Savanamend the 68th section of an act to re-nah, and the same being read was avise and amend the Judiciary System mended to read as follows: of this state, passed the 9th Februal Resolved, that the sale of Lot, No. ary, 1797 leave to sit again.

Company. Mr. Foster in gone through the same without amen ment.

Whereupon the said bill was amend-yeas & rays being required, are yeas ed, real the third time and passed un-26, nays 6. der the title thereof

Pray in the chair. Mr. President re-ro, Williams, & Wood.

The report was taken up and agreed

The Senate dispensed with the ortion from the House of Representa-The report was taken up and agreed tives directing the Commissioners of Confiscated Estates to postpone the The Senate resolved itself into assale of Lot No. 10, Hicks Tything,

Mr Byne in the chair. 10, Hicks Tything, Percival Ward, in Mr. President resumed the chair, and the city of Savannah now advertised Mr. Byne reported progress and askedland to take place on Monday next be, and the same is hereby postponed until The report was taken up and agreed the meeting of the next Legislature: & the Commissioners of Confiscated Es-The Senate resolved itself into attates are directed to proceed accordcommittee of the whole on the bill tolingly; and be it further resolved, that incorporate the Petersburg Mercantile His Excellency the Governor be, and hair the is hereby directed to take the neces-Mr. President resumed the chair, and sary steps to have the present posses-Mr. Foster reported, that they had sor of said lot ejected therefrom and to stablish the title of the state thereto, rovided she has such title; and on the The report was taken up and agreed question to agree to the same it was

Those who voted in the affirmative are The Senate resolved itself into a com-Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Ball, Brown, mittee of the whole on the bill supple-Butler, Barnett, Byne, Cook, Davis, mentary to the Judiciary act now in Fulgham, Hardin, Hudspeth, Henderforce, and to establish an uniform sys-son, Johnston, Lane fof Putnam, Latem of practice in the proceedings of nier, Little, Pray, Rabun, Scruggs, the Superior courts in this state. Mr. Shepherd, Spalding, Talbot, Taliafer-

determined in the affirmative, and the

Those who voted in the negative are, pointment of a committee to report a Messrs. Foster, Griffin, Hardaway, bill to make plain the line between Lane [of Walton] Park and Pow-Montgomery and Jefferson counties from the Sunsbury road to Wilhamson æ]].

Mr. Parnett presented a petition Swamp. from John Cunningham, which was read and referred to the committee on Resolved, that a committee be ap-

pointed to join such as may be appoint-Mr Hardaway presented a petition ed by the fairse of Representatives from Robert Aberdrombte and others, to take into 40 isideration a petition which was read and referred to the from sundry in abroants of Jackson & committee on the State of the Repub Franklin counties.

lic. Ordered, that Mossrs. Henderson, Mr. Park presented a petition from Little and Cock be that committee on William Hammit which was read and the part of Senace.

referred to the committee on Ferial On moderative Tenaferro,

Resolved, toat Watam Rowe be, The Schate took up the Message and he is hereby appointed a Notafrom the House of Representatives and ry Public for the county of Baldconcurred in the resolution appointing win.

Lumber-Measurers for the city of Savannah.

missioners of the Joint Academy of Master for the town of Milledge-Jackson and Clark counties.

missioners of the Scriven county Aca-reported on the petition of Hugh Ma demy.

Lumber-Measurer and Wood-Cutter the prayer of the petitioner is just and for Savannah.

The bill to sell and dispose of the the following resolution: Squares and Fractional parts of Sur- Resolved, that the Comptroller Geveys of lands in the 7th district formerly neral be authorised to issue a dupli-Baldwin, now Twiggs county, &c. & cate bounty land.warrant No 576 for

first time.

In will on to-morrow move for the ap-in the sum of eight hundred dollars

On motion of Mr. Taliaferro,

On motion of Mr. Henderson,

Resolved, that Alexander Green be, In the resolution appointing Com-and he is hereby appointed Vendue ville.

In the resolution appointing Com- $M_{\rm r}$. Williams from the committee Donald, as follows:

And in the resolution appropriating a Your committee are of opinion that ought to be granted, and recommend

The bill for improving the navigati-800 acres in the name of Oliver Rock, on of the Oconee, Alatamaha and Sa-which was renewed the 30th Novemvannah rivers, were severally read the ber 1801, upon the said Hugh M. Donald giving bond with

Mr. Wood notifies the Senate that rity to His Excellency the Governor

conditioned to indemnify the state a-|mined in the affirmative, and the year sustained by reason of the said War-Nays 11° rant being formerly issued as aforegreed to.

morning.

SATURDAY, 24th Nov. 1810.

Mr. M'Cormick from the committee reported a bill for the relief of Mary are Messsrs. Barnett, Byne, Cook. M'Wright, which was received and Crawford, Griffin, Hardin, Henderson. read the first time.

The Senate took up the re-consideration of the Journal on the reporting resolution; of the committee on the petition of Sa-Resolved, that it is the opinion of the rah Oliver, and the same being read Senate that the President of the Senate

rah Oliver the following resolution:

Be it resolved by the Senate & House to agree to the same it was determined Georgia in General Assembly met, & being required are, yeas 15, nays 22. the estate of James B. Oliver, dec. on Talbott, Taliaferro and Walker. account of the debt due by said estate Those who voted in the negative are to this state, for the term of three years Messrs. Barnett, Ball, Brown, Butler, from the passing of this resolution up-Cook, Davis, Foster, Fulgham, Griffin. on her paying the interest of the same Hardaway, Hardin, Hardie, Henderand giving satisfactory security to his son, Hudspeth, Lane (of Putnam) Excellency the Governor, to secure Lane (of Walton) Little, M'Cormick, the payment of the balance at the expi-Powell, Rabun, Williams and Wood. ration of said term; and on the questi- Mr. Foster from the committee reon to agree to the same it was deter-ported as duly enrolled and signed by

gainst any loss which hereafter may be and nays being required, are yeas 26,

Those who voted in the affirmative, said, and the same being read was a lare Messrs Bacon, Ball, Brown, Butler, Burnett, Davis, Foster, Fulgham, Harda-Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow way, Hardie, Johnston, Lane (o. Put.) Lane (of Walton) Lanier, M'Cormick, Park, Pray, Remson, Scrugge, Shepherd, Spalding, Talbott, Taliaferro, Williams, Walker and Wood.

> Those who voted in the negative, Hudspeth, Little, Powell and Rabun.

Mr. Walker introduced the follow-

was amended to read as follows, viz. is authorized to sign all enrolled bills The committee on the State of the in Senate presented for his signature, Republic, report on the petition of Sa-without asking the leave of the Senate for the purpose, and on the question of Representatives of the State of in the negative, and the year and nays

by the authority of the same, that the Those who voted in the affirmative Attorney or Solicitor General and are Messrs. Bacon, Burnett, Byne, Sheriffs or other officers be directed to Crawford, Johnson, Lanier, Park, Pray, stay all further proceedings against Remson, Scruggs, Shepherd, Spalding,

the Speaker, an act to pardon Edward to with amendments. Downing, which was presented to and Whereupon the said bill was read signed by the President.

Ordered, that the committee do take|tle thereof. said act to His Excellency the Govern-

or for his assent.

committee of the whole on the bill to re-across the Oconee river. Mr. Spalding gulate interest in this state. Mr. Bynefin the chair. Mr. President resumed in the chair. Mr. President resumed the chair and Mr. Spalding reported, the chair, and Mr. Byne reported, that they had gone through the same that he was requested to report the with amendments. further consideration of said bill be The report was taken up and agreed postponed 'till June next.

question to agree to the same, it was sed for a third reading. determined in the affirmative, and the The Senate resolved itself into a yeas and nays being required, are Yeas committee of the whole on the bill for

34. Nays :1.

are, Messrs. Barnett, Ball, Brown, But-in the chair. Mr. President resumed ston, Lane (of Walton), Park, Pray, out any amendment. Rabu:, Remson, Scruggs, Shephard, Spalding, Talbot, Talkaferro, Walker to. and Wood.

Messrs. Bacon, Cook, Davis, Griffin, thereof. Hardie, Henderson, Lanier, Little, M'-Cormick, Powell and Williams.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be tholic Society of Augusta &c. entitled an act to amend an act for the better regulating and governing the whole. town of Milledgeville. Mr. Barnett in the chair. Mr. President resumed persons therein named. the chair, and Mr. Barnett reported, that they had gone through the same with amendments.

The report was taken up and agreed county &c.

the third time and passed under the ti-

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to The Senate resolved itself into a authorize Henry Joice to erect a ferry

to.

The report was taken up, and on the Ordered, that the said bill be engros-

the relief of William Brown, Stephen These who voted in the affirmative Noble and Isaac Hughes. Mr. Little ter, Burnett, Byne, Foster, Fulgham, the chair and Mr. Little reported, that Hardaway, Hardin, Hudspeth, John-they had gone through the same with-

The report was taken up and agreed

Whereupon the said bill was read the Those who voted in the negative are, third time and passed under the title

> The following bills were severally read the second time, to wit;

> A bill to Incorporate the Roman Ca-

Ordered, for a committee of the

A bill to change the names of certain

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to repeal certain parts of an act to establish an academy in Putnam

Ordered for a committee of the whole rens county; Robert Flournoy, James on Monday next. Alston, Robert L. Troup, Abraham

A bill to incorporate the Planter's Jones, David M'Cormick of Montgome-Bank of the State of Georgia, &c. ry county; Thomas Mitchell, William

Ordered, for a committee of the Carroll, Mitchell Griffin, Abraham F. Powell, Benjamin Cray, of Telfair whole, A bill to improve the navigation of county, John Hatcher, Mathew Carsthe Oconee, Altamaha and Savannah well, Daniel Hicks, Stephen Gafford,

Jeremish Loitin, of Willinson county;

Ordered, for a committee of the Jacob Ricks, James M'Cormick, James whole., , Johnston, Thomas Daniel, Abraham

A bill to sell the squares and fracti- Wood, of Twiggs county—Commissional parts of surveys in the 7th dist oners of the academies of their several formerly Baldwin, now Twiggs coun-counties.

One appointing Thousand Carleton, 1y, &c. Ordered, for a committee of the sen, and Sterling Grimes, Esquires, Notaries Public for the county of Mora

A bill to alter the time of holding the gan.

General Assembly of this stree, &c.

whole.

Governor, by Mr. Porter his Secretary. Pratt, esquire, resigned:

Mr. President;

branch of the Legislature, viz.

Jonathan Sawyer, Thomas Davis, Ino. Bryan, esquires, resigned.

One confirming the Executive ap-Ordered, for a committee of the pointment of William Horson, Esoure, as a justice of the Inferior Court of A message from His Excellency the Jones county, in the place of Hillory

One appointing George Abbott, Es-I am directed by His Excellency the quire, a Commissioner of the town and Governor to inform the Senate, that helcommon of Frederica, in the county of: has approved of and signed sundry re-Glynn, in the place of A. D. Lawsolutions, which originated in this rence, esquire, removed, and appointing John Harris and John Morgan, es-One appointing Robert Ware, John quires, Commissioners of the town and H. Walker, Henry Jones, Wm. Dow-common of Brunswick in said county,

sing, Gibson Clark, Robert Fleming One confirming the Executive apand Thomas Murray, Esquires, Com-pointment of Thomas Flournoy, Esq. missioners of the Academy of Lincoln as a member of the board of Trustees of the Richmond Academy.

One appointing William A. Harper, One appointing Martin Hardin and Henry Fulgham, George G. Gaines, Daniel Brinson, esquires, justices of the William S. Lancaster, George Walker, Inferior court of Tattnall county, in the of Pulaski county; Henry Shepherd, place of Batt Wyche and John Hill

G. Underwood, John Fulwood of Lau- One appointing Samuel Lockhart.

Shepherd Williams, Charles M'Cali, for the rate of two cents and three John Rawies and William Hollowny, quarters per sheet, of 3 pages quanto. Esquires, Commissioners of the Aca- to be activered to the Executive by the demy of the country of Bullock. first day of Merch near &c.—and he

One abjection ; John H. Carson, Fre-warden.

denotifical & John Mulim, esquires, Mr. Foster from the committee on Consumes of the Academy Wenrolment, reported as duly enrolled track, a county, in the place of Lar-land signed by the Speaker, an act to En Gereland. Tho's P Carnes and continue in force an act giving further Lobe to Stillion esquires, removed. | lime to fortunate drawers to take out

One soy land a John A. Cuthbert heir grants &c. which was presented and John Dunghood, esquires, Jus-to and signed by the President. slows of the Literior court of Liberty| Ordered that the committee do take country, in the room of Thos. Bacon, said act to his Excellency the Govern-

son, and Edgen Baker, esquires, re-for for his assent.

The Senate again resolved itself into sign id. One confirming the executive ap-la committee of the whole on the bill pointment of Henry Cognilliat, Esq. asa sing the appointment of Harbora Justice of the Inferior pourt of Min-Master and Health-Officer of the Port tosh county, in the part of Emanuel of Savannah in the Mayor and Alder-Wamberson, et transcared. men of said City, and for other purpo-

One applicating it ham Chandler, ses therein mentioned. Mr. Talbot in Esquire, a just ce of the Infer or court the chair. Mr. President resumed the of Harcine county, arthe place of Wm. chair and Mr. Talbot reported, that they had gone through the same with Terred, escuere, resigned.

One on a pennon of Alizabeth amendments. Jones, die cong the present Commissi- The report was taken up and agreed one sof Condseared or perry, or a marko with amendments. formy of them, to make and execute tire. Whereupon the said bill was read tles for a certain tract of land therein the third time, and passed under the 4mentioned, to the heirs of Thos. Jones, the of a bill to regulate the fees of the deceased; and

princing of the Laws and Concurred act entitled an act establishing the tees Resolutions of the present Legisladof Harbor Master and Health-Officer ture, at the rate of two and one third of the Port of Savannah, passed 12th cents per phase of 16 pages octavo, to December, 1804. be care and to the Executive by the Mr. Hardin from the committee on the day of February next: and also Finance, reported on the petition of the mining of the Journals of both Charles Jones & John Bethune, which Includes of the Legislature, at and af-lwas read & ordered to lie on the table.

Health-Officer and Harbor Master of

One that Seaton Grantland have the the City of Savannah, and to repeal an

Mr. Davis gives notice that he will|the Judiciary System of this State. on Monday next move for the appoint-Mr Byne in the chair. Mr. President ment of a committee to prepare & report resumed the Chair, and Mr. Byne rea bill pointing out the mode of electing ported, that they had gone through the the Electors of President and Vice-Pre-same without any amendment.

Ordered, that the report do lie on

the table.

. On motion of Mr. Crawford, Resolved, That Peter W Goutier, The Senate again resolved itself in-David Adams, Jarrett Beasley, Zepha-ito a committee of the whole, on the niah Harvey and Charles Crawford belbili to be entitled, an act supplementaappointed Commissioners of the Acade-ry to the I diciary act now in force & my of Randolph county. to establish an uniform system of prac-

On motion of Mr. Foster,

sident of the United States.

tuce in the proceedings of the Superior Resolved, The James Wood, Esq. Courts of this state. Mr. Barnett in be, and he is hereby appointed Com-the Chair. Mr. President resumed the missioner of the Academy of Columbia Chair, and Mr Rarnett reported procounty in place of John Apling, de-gress and had leave to sit again. The Senate again resolved itself in-

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock Monday to a committee of the whole, on the bill morning.

to be entitled an act to repeal the 9th section of an an act entitled, an act to lay out and establish a county in the territory lately acquired by cession

MONDAY, 26th Nov. 1810.

The Senate resolved itself into a com-from the General Government, passed mittee of the whole on the bill to be en-on the 10th day of December 1803, so titled, an act to vest the property of far as respects tee proviso contained in George Bartholomew, deceased, in cer-said section. Mr. Pray in the chair. tain trustees for the use of his natural Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Byne Mr. Pray reported, that he was requestchildren and their mother in the Chair. Mr. President resumeded to report the further consideration the Chair and Mr. Byne reported, that of said bill be postponed until June the further consideration of this bill be next.

postponed until the first Monday in The Senate took up the report which was read, and on the question to agree

The Senate took up the report which to the same, it was determined in the affirmative, and the yeas and nays bewas read and agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a ingrequired, are yeas 23, nays 13. committee of the whole on the bill to be Those who voted in the affirmative entitled, an act to amend the 68th sec-are, Messrs. Bacon, Butler, Burnett, tion of an act, entitled an act to a mend Byne, Davis, Foster, Fulgham, Harda-

way, Hardin, Johnston, Lane (of Put-| The Senate resolved itself into a nam) Lane (of Vection) trainer, M'-committee or the woole, on the boll to Corniek, Park, Fray, Remson, Shep-be entitled an act to alter the time of herd, Spalding, Talbot, Tahaterro, the meeting of the General Assembly of this state, and for other purposes Walker and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative, therein mentioned. Mr. Park in the are Messrs. Barnett, Ball, Brown, Chair. Cook, Crawford, Griffin, Hardie, Hen-chair, and Mr. Park reported, that they derson, Hudspeth, Little, Powell, Ra-had gone through the same without àbun and 'cruggs.

Wright was read the 2d time

whole.

The Senate resolved itself into alrequired, are Yeas 16, Nevs 19. committee of the whole on the bill to Those who voted in the affirmative, be entitled, an act to incorporate the are Messrs. Bacon, Ball, Buder, Tyne, Roman Catholic Society in Augusta Cook. Poster, Fulgram, Johnston, Mr. Wood in the Chair. Mr. Prest Lane (of Putnam) Lane (of Wolam) dent resumed the Chair, and Mr. Wood Powell, Rabut, Shepherd, Spading, reported that they had gone through I aliaferro and Wood. the bill without amendment.

The Senate took up the report, which are Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Framett, was agreed to.

Whereupon the bill was read the 3d Hardin, Hardie, Henderson, Eudtime and passed under the title of a spetn, Lanier, Little, McCornack, Park, bill to be entitled an act to incorporate kemson. Scruggs Talbot and Walker. the Roman Catholic Society of Augus! Whereupon the said bill was read ta, and to enable the trustees herein afthe third time, and on the question, ter named, to establish a Lottery for shall this bill now pass, it was deterthe purpose of raising the sum of three mined in the negative, and the Yeas thousand dollars to enable them to and Nays being required, are Yeas 17, build a church; and also to authorise Nays 18.

the Trustees of the Richmond Acade- Those who voted in the affirmative, my to convey a lot of land in the city are Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Burnett, of Augusta to the said Roman Catno-Crawford, Davis, Hardaway, Hardin, lic Society. Hardie, Henderson, Hudspeth, Lanier,

The bill to authorise Henry Joice Little, Park, Remson, Scruggs, Talbot, to erect a Ferry across the Oconee ri and Walker.

ver, was taken up, read the third time. Those who voted in the negative, and passed. lare Messrs. Bacon, Ball, Butler, Byne-

ny amendment. The bill for the relief of Mary M'- The Senate took up the report and on the question to postpone the bill un-Ordered for a commutee of the til June next, it was determined in the negative, and the Yeas and Nays being

Mr. President resumed the

Those who voted in the negative, Crawford, Davis, Griffin, Hardaway, Cook, Foster, Fulgham, Griffin, John-yeas 8, nays 26. ston, Lane (of Putnam) Lane (of Those who voted in the affirmative; Walton) M'Cormick, Powell, Rabun, lare Messrs. Ball, Foster, Hardaway, Shepherd, Spalding, Taliaferro and Lane (of Putnam), Lanier, Little, Tal-Wood.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to arn Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Brown, be entitled an act, to incorporate the Butier, Burnett, Byne, Cook, Craw-Planters' Bank of the State of Georgia, ford, Davis, Fulgham, Griffin, Hardin, and to repeal an act entitled, an act to Hardie, Hudspeth, Johnston, Lane (of incorporate the Planters' Bank of the Walton), M'Cormick, Park, Powell, State of Georgia, passed the 5th De Rabun, Remson, Scruggs, Shepherd, cember, 1807. Mr. Wood in the chair. Spalding, Taliaferro and Wood. Mr. President resumed the chair, and The report being again read was a-Mr. Wood reported, that they had greed to gone through the same with amend. Ordered, for a third reading. ments.

The report was taken up, and On motion of Mr. Foster,

That the following clause be inserted in said bill:

thority aforesaid, That a branch of the drew. of whom shall be President, to be apland is as follows; pointed by the Legislature, whose seat The Honor ble, the President, shall be vacated and filled up at the same time and in the same manner as The Honorable, the Speaker, the President and Directors of the Bank in Savannah; & the said branch

bot and Walker.

Those who voted in the negative,

A message from His Excellency the Governor by Mr. Porter his Secreta-

Mr. President:

I am directed to lay before Senate a And be it further enacted by the au-short communication;—and he with-

aforesaid bank shall be extended The Senate took up the communicato the city of Augusta, under the su-tuon, which was read and referred to the perintendance of eight directors, one committee on the state of the republic,

and members of the Senate: and members of the House of Representatives.

at Augusta shall go into operation at The present situation of the records the same period with the bank in Sa of the Executive Department, which vannah, which branch bank shall at all were kept during the period of the Retimes be amenable to the bye-laws. volution and for some years afterwards, rules and regulations that may be a induces me to present the subject for dopted by the Corporation of the Plan your consideration. The frequency. lers' Bank of the State of Georgia; it of applications for extracts & copies was determined in the negative, and of papers having reference to proceedhe yeas and nays being required, arclings of those times, renders it necessary

gular order, by which those applicantalterations are necessary—and he withons could with more facility be complied rew. ed with, and their mutilated condition | Ordered, that the same do lie on the renders it equally necessary that some-stable. thing should be done with them in order to ensure their preservation.

suaded, produce a conviction of the ne-committee on the state of the Repubcessity of transcribing them into good & lic. inspection of any committee who may nance. be appointed by both branches, whose report will enable the Legislature to Mr. Pray had leave of absence 'till decide on the measures necessary to Saturday next. be taken to give validity and effect to a transcript of such records.

Executive Department, Gergia. Milledgeville, 26th N.v. 1810.

Mr M'Cormick from the committee reported a bill to regulate the town of Montice!lo in Randolph county, which was received and read the first time.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk;

Mr President,

passed a resolution on the petition of county of Wilkinson; whereupon, Devereux & Thweatt.

lectors of the counties of Montgome-of the Inferior court for the county of ty, Tattnall, Bullock and Bryan, to sell Wilkinson, in the room of John T. Fairso much of the land held by Geo Sib child, resigned. bald, dec. as will be sufficient to pay the Mr. Hardin from the committee on

on their part to join such as may be ap-was read and ordered to lie on the tapointed by Senate, to review and take ble. into consideration the constitution of

ry that they should be put in some re this state, and report if any and what

On motion:

Ordered, that Messrs. Remson and A view of those records will I am per-Lane (of Putnam), be added to the

durable books, and as I deem Legisla- Mr. Burnett presented a petition tive sanction necessary to such a pro-from John M'Kennon, which was read ceeding, they will be submitted to the and referred to the committee on Fi-

On motion;

Mr. Scruggs presented a petition from James Gibson, which was read & D. B. MITCHELL referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs Scruggs, Walker and Lanier.

> Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

TUESD AY, 27th Nov. 1810.

Mr. Ball presented an enclosed resignation of John T. Fairchild. Esq. as The House of Representatives have a Justice of the Inferior court for the

Resolved, that Abraham Lucas be, A resolution requiring the Tax-Col-and he is hereby appointed a Justice

taxes due by him to this state. And |Finance, reported, on the subject of A resolution appointing a committee bonds given for Indian goods, which

On motion of Mr. Walker,

ded to the joint committee on the pet tion of sundry inhabitants of Columbia county, praying to be added to 'Ric' mond county, to join such as may be added on the part of the House of Relalso, presentatives.

be added on the part of Senate.

Mr Park reported a bill to be enti-to regulate Mills in this state. tled an act to incorporate a company

A message from the House of Ke Mr. President;

passed the following bills:

A bill to be entitled, an act to authorize the Judge of the Middle District/Devereux and Thweatt. court in the county of Washington.

A bill to be entitled, an actural alter M'Kennie; the name of Wilkinson county Band

his wife.

They have passed a resolution a p and he withdrew.

the table.

Resolved, that two additional mem Senate, that he will on to-morrow bers on the part of this House be ad move for leave to introduce a bill to he entitled an act to authorize the In ge of the Superior courts of the Ocauigee District to hold an extra session in and for the county of Putnam; &

That he will on to-morrow move for Or tared, that Messrs. Davis & Park a committee to be appointed to prepare and report a bill to be entitled, an act

The Senate took up the message for the improvement of the Oconee ri-from the House of Representatives laid ver, from the mouth of Fishing Creeklan the table yesterday, and concurred near Milledgeville, up to the Big Shoals in the r solution on the subject of the at John Barnett's; which was read the hales of the lands of George Sibbald, ucceased.

In the resolution appointing a joint presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk | committee to review the Constitution of this state, and added on their The House of Be presentatives have part. Messrs. Hudspeth, Lanier, Powell, Foster, Walker and Byne.

In the resolution on the petition of

to hold an exera session of the Superior | Mr. Hardin from the committee on Finance, reported on the petition of M.

Ordered to lie on the table.

· A bill to be entitled an act to Avorce Mr. Bryan presented a petition from and separate John Nelson arufCelia, Gilbert Neyland, which was read and referred to the committee on Finance.

Mr. Hardin from the committee appointing a joint committee on the Go-pointed reported a bill to be entitled vernor's communication of yesterday; an act to point out the time and manner of electing delegates to form a con-P Ordered, that the message do lie conferention to alter the constitution, which was read the first time.

Mr Barnett presented a petition from Mr. Lanier from the committee on Elijah Blackshear, which was read and the state of the republic, reported on referred to the committee on petition is. the petition of Rene Fitzpatrick, which Mr. Lane (of Putnam) notified tize was ordered to lie on the table.

from John Hathori, which was toad Seal affixed to the same. and referred to the committee on the The bill to be entitled an act to alter state of the Republic.

he will to morrow move for a commit-to this, of Joshua, Jacob, Benj'n, kliza. tee to be unjointed to prepar, and re-beth and Susaimali Averet, and to enport a biling and an and amend the estitute them to inherit under the same. cheat laws of this state.

On motion of Mr. Butler,

Pesolved, that Abner Hiddle, Thos. White, Reaben Cole, David White analogmmittee of the whole on the bill to Worn ly Rose be, and v ey are hereby be entitled an act for improving the raappointed Commissioners of Jones Virginian of ne Oconee, Alatamaha & county academy

ported a bill to authorize James Gib-med the Chair, and Mr Lanier reportson to retail spritables inquors in the ecc that they had gone through the county of Effinguam, which was re-feame with sundry amendments. ecived and read the first time.

The Secute resolved itself into a! On motion of Mr. Park, committee of the abole on the bill to be! To strike out 5000 dollars to the entitled an actio to the contain parts office aring the Octoblee river, and inan act, passed on the 15th day of Dessert 2000 dols. It was determined in cember, 100%, enabled an act to estaggine aftermative, and the yeas and nays blish an acade my in the town of Eaton-being Luquired, are, Yeas 19-Nays ton and courage of Futnam, by the name 15. of Union Androy, and to incorporate the same—Mr Cardin in the Chair—are, Assers. Barnett, Bacon, Brown, Mr. President resumed the Chair, and Dyne, we look, Davis, Foster, Hardaway, Mir. President resumed the Chair, and Byne, othoris, Davis, Foster, Hardaway, Mir. Hardin reported progress and had clar Ve. Henderson, Hudspeth, Litleave to sit agmn.

A message from His Excellency the Struggs, Talbot & Taliaferro. Governor by Mr. Porter his Secreta- These who voted in the negative, ry;

Mr. President;

sented to and signed an act to pardon Walton), Lanier, M'Cormick, Shep-

Ordered, that the committee of enroland bills do carry said act to the Secre-

Mr. Johnston presented a petition lary of State's Office, and see the Great

the manes of Joshua, Jacob, Benja-Mr. Juria & control the Senate, that min, Elizabeth and Susannah Saffers, was tiden up, read the third time and passed under the fitle aforesaid.

The Senate resolved itself into a Savannah rivers in this state—Mr La-Mr. Scruggs from the committee re-inter in the Chai. — Mr. President resu-

The Senate took up the report.

ile, Feet, Powell, Rabun, Remson,

lare, Mossrs. Ball, Butler, Burnett, Crawford, Fulgham, Griffin, Harding His Excellency the Governor has as-Johnston, Lane (of Putnam), Lane (of Edward Downing—and he withdrew. herd, Spalding, Walker and Wood.

Cn motion of Mr. Barnett, Resolved, that the Senate do strikt out the whole clause relative to navirating the Comulgee river, and on the question to agree, it was ed as an amendment to said bill. determined in the negative, and the yeas and mays being required, are Yeas 14, Novs 21.

Cook, Foster, Hardaway, Hardin, Rabun, Remson and Taliaferro.

are Messrs. Ball, Brown, Butler, Bur-required, are, yeas 10, nays 25. Cormick, Park, Scraggs, Shepherd, Remson, Talbot and Walker. On motion of Mr. Lanier,

tion to agree, it was determined in the Spalding, Taliaferro and Wood. 'negative; and the Yeas and Nays be- Mr Davis moved that the following ing required, are Yeas 17, Nays 13. | clause be inserted in said bill.

are Messrs. Ball, Butler, Burnett, Shepherd, Spalding, Walker Wood. Henderson, Hudspeth, Little, Park, 22. Rowell, Rabun, Remson, Scruggs, Talbot and Taliaferro.

On motion of Mr. Hudspetin, That the follow we clause be insert-

Be it enacted, That

be, and they are hereby appinted Commissioners for super-Those who voted in the affirmative, intending the improving of the navigaare Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Byne, tion of broad river, and that the sum of be appropriated for that Henderson, Hudspein. Lutle, Powell, purpose; on the question to agree to said clause, it was determined in the Those who voted in the negative, negative, and the year and nave being

nett, Crawford, Davis, Fulgham, Grif- Those who voted in the affirmative, fin, Hardie, Johnston. Lane (of Put-Jare Messrs: Barnett, Davis, Headernam) Lane (of Walton) Lanier, M'-son, Hudspeth, Little, Powell, Rabun,

Spalding, Talbot Waiker and Wood. Those who voted in the negative, are Messrs. Bacon, Ball, Brown,, But-Resolved, that the sum of two thou-ler Burnett, Byne, Cook, Crawford, sand dollars be stricken out of the Foster, Fulgham, Griffin, Hardaway, clause for the navigating the Ocmul-Hardin, Hardie, Johnston, Lane (of gee river, and the sum of three thou-Putnam) Lane (of Walton) Lanier, sand dollars be inserted; & on the ques-M'Cormick, Park, Scruggs, Shepherd,

Those who voted in the affirmative, And be it further enacted, That

be, and they Grawford, Fulgham, Griffin, Hardan, are hereby appointed Commissioners Hardee, Johnston, Lane (of Putnam) for superintending the improving the Lane [of Walton] Laner, M'Cormick, navigation of Great Ogechee river, and andthat dollars be appropriated for that purpose; and on the ques-Those who voted in the negative tion to agree to the same, it was deter-**2006.** Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Brown, mined in the negative, and the yeas & Byne, Cook, Davis, Foster, Hardaway, nays being required, are, yeas 13, nays

> Those who voted in the affirmative. are, Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Byne, Das

vis, Hardin, Hudspeth, Lanier, Powell, Whereupon the said bill was read Rapus, Scruggs. Talbot, Walker and the third time, and on the question.

are Messrs. Bali, Brown, Butler, Burland nays being required, are Yeas 27, nett. Cook, Crawford, Foster, Fulgham, Nays 8.

Griffio, Hardaway, Hardie, Hender- Those who voted in the affirmative son, Johnston, Lane (of Putnam) Lane are, Messrs. Ball, Grown, Butler, Bur. (of Walton) Linle, M'Cormick, Park, nett, Cook, Crawford, Davis, Fulgham, Remson, Shepherd, Spalding, & Talia-Griffin, Hanne, Lenderson, Johnston, ferro.

Mr. Bacon moved that the follow-Lanier, Little, McCormick, Park, Raing clause be inserted in said bill.

thority aforesaid, That

by appointed Commissioners for state Messis. Barnett, Bacon, Byne, Fosperintending the opening and impro-ster, Hardaway, Hardin, Iludspeth & ving the navigation of Canouchee ri Powell. ver, and that dolllars be appropriated therefor; and on the corporate the Planter's Bank of the question to agree to the same it was state of Georgia and to repeal an act determined in the negative; and the to incorporate the Planters' Bank of yeas and nays being required, are yeas the state of Georgia, was read the third-5, nays 30.

Those who voted in the affirmative, of. are Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Hardin, Mr. Wood agreeably to notice mov-Hudspeth and Powell.

are Messrs. Ball, Brown, Butler, Bur-the line between the counties of Jeffernett, Byne, Cook, Crawford, Davis, son and Montgomery, &c. Foster, Fulgham; Griffin, Hardaway, Ordered, that Messrs. Wood, M'-Hardie, Henderson, Johnston, Lane Cormick and Foster be that committee. (of Putnam) Lane (of Walton) Lanier, Mr. Lanier agreeably to notice, mo-Little, M'Cormick, Park, Rabun, Rem | ved for the appointment of a commitson, Scruggs, Shepherd, Spalding, ee to report a bill to amend the fifth

the report was agreed to as amend-Lands in the counties of Baldwin and ८ंकु

shall this bill it was deterated as well as the shall this bill it was deterated as the shall be shall the shall be Those who voted in the negative, mined in the introduce, and the year

Lane (of Purpum). Lane (of Walton).

bun, Remson, Scruggs, Shepherd, And be it further enacted by the au-Spalding, Tabot, Tahaterro, Walker and Wood.

be, and they are here! Those who voted in the negative.

The bill to be entitled an act to intime, and passed under the title there-

ed for the appointment of a committee Those who voted in the negative, to report a bil to alter and make plain

Talbot, Taliaferro, Walker and Wood. Section of an act to sell and dispose The amendments being gone thro' of the fractional parts of surveys of Wilkinson.

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrowling them. morning.

On motion of Mr. Hardin,

pects the act for appropriating the se and read the 1st time. veral sums therein mentioned for the negative.

Mr. Foster from the committee toltra tax, which was read the 1st time. ordered to lie on the table.

"Mr. M'Cormick presented the follow-tee on Finance. ing resolution:

Resolved, that the following items in moved for a committee to prepare and vernors, Presidents and Speakers' war-Escheat Laws of this State. rants, paper medium, audited certifi- Ordered, That Messr. Burnett, Park, cates, State-Troop Bounty Warrants & and Walker be that committee. the Treasurer do cause a fair and accu-loned, were severally read the 1st time. rate list of said papers, in which shall The Senate took up the report of the be shewn the number, the date and committee on Finance, as follows: amount of each description of paper, & On the petition of Charles Jones. issued, to be made out and entered in ingresolution. a book or books to be by him provid- Resolved, That the Tax Collector said list shall have been completed, hereby authorized and required to al-General, under the direction and in the settlement of his taxes for the year presence of His Excellency the Go-1808, the sum charged improperly

Ordered, that the same do lie on the table.

Mr. Lane of Putnam reported a bill WEDNESDAY, 28th Nov. 1810. to be entitled an act, to authorise an extra session of the Superior court of That so much of the minutes as res-Putnam county, which was received

Mr. Taliaferro reported a bill to be improvement of the several navigable entitled an act to repeal the 2nd sectiwater courses therein mentioned, be re-lon of an act, passed the 22nd day of considered—on the question to agree December, 1808, entitled an act, to auto the same, it was determined in the thorize the Justices of the Inferior Court of Baldwin county to levy an ex-

whom was referred the petition of Jas. Mr. Walker presented a petition Espey and others, reported, which was from Rebecca T. Baldwin, which was received and referred to the commit-

Agreeably to notice, Mr. Burnett the Treasurer's Abstract, to wit, Go-report a bill to explain and amend the

Funded Certificates, are of no value to The Senate took up the message the state, but an incumbrance to the from the House of Representatives Treasury; therefore it is ordered, that yesterday, and the bills therein menti-

the persons name in whose favor eachlyour committee recommend the follow-

edfor that purpose, and that as soon as of Richmond county be, and he is that the Treasurer and Comptroller low the said Charles Jones credit in a vernor do destroy said papers by burn-for the tax on a Billiard Table as stated in the said petition.

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A message from the House of Re-sievers of Wayne county Academy. presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; In the resolution appointing Clement Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have Cooper, Moses Westbury and Ezekiel concurred in the resolution appointing Clifton, commissioners of the Tattnal two additional members on the petition county Academy; and,

county, and added Messrs. Newsom, am Rowe a Notary Public for the coun-J. Beall and Josiah Watts, on their ty of Baldwin.

part

In the resolution appointing a joint bills. committee to take into consideration the petition of sundry inhabitants of Jackson'ral Society of Georgia. and Franklin counties, and have added A bill to be entitled an act, to define

a committee on their part.

In the resolution appointing Alexan-and Inferior courts of this state. der Greene, Vendue Master for the Abil to secure to Jane Bridgwater, town of Milledgeville. .

In the resolution appointing James ter-Wood, a commissioner of the Acade. A bill to be entitled an act, amenda-

my of Columbia county. In the resolution appointing Abra-the Trustees of the Richmond Acadeham Lucas a Justice of the Inferior my to lease out the commons of Au-

court for the county of Wilkinson. In the resolution appointing Abnor mentioned.

David White and Wormly Rose, com-open Savannah, and Tugalo rivers.

W Gotier, David Adams, Jarret Beas-sfunds that may arise from the same. ley, Zepheniah Harvey and Charles A bill to be entitled an act to autho-Crawford, Commissioners of the Aca-rize the Inferior court of Greene coundemy of Randolph county.

In the resolution appointing John E. ty into bound books. gan county Academy.

In the resolution appointing James And the same being read was agreed Fort, George Linder, Moses Harrison, John Wallace and John Fort, commis.

Bryan, John P Blackman, Richard

of sundry inhabitants of Columbia In the resolution appointing Willi-

They have passed the following

A bill to incorporate the Agricultu-

the duties of the clerks of the Superior

any property she may acquire hereaf-

tory to an act, entitled an act, to enable

gusta, and for other purposes therein

Biddle, Thomas White, Reuben Cole, A bill to be entitled an act to keep

missioners of Jones county Academy. A bill to authorise the commissioners In the resolution appointing Peter of St Mary's Lottery to dispose of the

ty to transcribe the records of that coun-

Dawson, William Mitchell, James A bill to be entitled an act, to secure Mitchell, David Files, and John B. to Lewis Calfrey and John Coats, Whatley Commissioners for the Mor-their heirs and assigns the sole and exclusive right of running a line of Stage

Carriages between the Cities of Savanand and Augusta.

section of an act, to impose a tax for Public for the county of Chatham. the support of government for the year 1808,

vise, amend and consolidate the seve-den tal militia laws of this state, &c.

porate the town of Warrenton, and,

A bill to point out a definitive rule for greed to, and is as follows:

the priority of judgments.

the said several bills were read the Isrgranted. time.

Mr. Remson presented a petition from Richard Whitfield, which was re-be received in Senate after Friday next. ceived and referred to the committee on petitions.

tled, an act to ascertain the line be-second time.

Mr. Rabun from the committee to Randolph. whom was referred the petition of a Ordered for a third reading. number of inhabitants of Hancock and A bill to be entitled an act to point Baldwin, Reported.

Ordered, to lie on the table.

which was referred to Messrs. Butler, for the state of Georgia. Lane (of Putnam), and Taliaferro.

Agreeably to notice, Mr Lane of next.

act to regulate Mills in this state. Ordered, that Messrs. Lane, Hender- Ordered for a third reading; and

son and Wood be that committee.

On motion of Mr Davis,

Resolved, that Sampson Mordecai be . A bill to alter and amend the third and he is hereby appointed a Notary

On motion of Mr Hardie,

Resolved, that Daniel Miller and Jas. A bill to be entitled an act, to repeal Hanny be and they are hereby appointthe first and second sections of an actied Lumber-Measurers for the City & to amend an act, entitled an act, to re-river St. Mary's in the county of Cara-

The Senate took up the report of the A bill to be entitled an act, to incor-committee on the petition of William. Lowry, which being amended was a-

Resolved, that the player of the per The Senate took up the message, & titioner is unjust and ought not to be-

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

Resolved, that no new business

Ordered to lie on the tab...

The Senate took up the following. Mr. Wood reported a bill to be enti-bills, which were severally read the

tween the counties of Montgomery and A bill for the incorporation of the Jefferson, which was read the 1st time town of Monticello in the county of

out the manner and time of electing Delegates in the several counties

Mr. Butler presented a petition from in this state, to form a convention for a number of inhabitants of Putnam, the purpose of framing a constitution

Ordered for a third reading in June

Runnim) moved for a committee to pre- A bill to be entitled an act to authopare and report a bili to be entitled an rise James Gibson to retail spirituous liquors in the county of Effingham.

A hil to incorporate a Company for

the improvement of the Oconce river vid M'Cord, surveyor appointed by His from the mouth of Fishing Creek near Lycethency the Governor to re-survey Milledgevide, up to the Dig bhoals at the trectional surveys in said district. John Earnett's.

to a committee of the whole on the busine chair. Mr. President resumed the to be entitled an act to repeal certain chair, & Mr. Foster reported progress parts of an act passed on the 15th dayland had leave to sit again. of December, 1809, entitled, an act to The Senate took up the report of establish an academy in the town of I.a. the committee of the whole, on the bill torton and county of l'utilizm, by thelto be entitled, an act to amend the name of Union Academy, & to incor-with section of an act, to revise and a. porate the same—and to amend the mend the Judiciary System of this some. Mr. Davis in the Chair. Mr. state, which being again read was or-President resumed the Chair, and Mr. dered to lie on the table. Davis reported, that they had made! Mr. Lanier from the committee reprogress in said bill, and beg leave to ported a bill to be entitled an act to asit again in June next.

was read and agreed to.

committee of the whole on the bill for read the first time. the relief of Mary M'Wright. Mr. Mr. Park from the committee, re-Henderson in the chair. Mr. Pre-ported abill to be entitled an act, to sident resumed the Chair, & Mr. Hen-jerplain and amend the escheat derson reported, that they had gone laws, which was read the Ist time. through the bill without any amend- Mr. Henderson notified the Senate,

greed to the same.

Whereupon the said bill was read that of Josiah Bush Harris. the third time and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to he is hereby appointed Notary Public be entitled an act to sell and disposelfor the county of Jefferson. of the squares and fractional parts of surveys of lands in the seventh district, morning. formerly Baldwin, now Twiggs county. watch remains yet unsold or disposed of the sume being re-surveyed by Da-l

weach was originally surveyed by Bes Ordered for committee of the veloce major a math, surveyor, and other The Senate again resolved itself in hots mercin mentioned. Mr. Fosterin

mend the fifth section of an act entitled The Senate to keep the report, which an act to sell and dispose of the fractional surveys of land in the counties The Senate resolved itself into alof Baldwin and Wilkinson, which was

that he will on to-morrow ask leave to The Senate took up the report and a-report a bill to be entitled an act to change the name of Josiah Smith, to

On motion of Mr. Burnett,

Resolved, that John Guyton be, and

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow

THURSDAY, 29th Nov. 1810. Mr. Brown presented a petition from Silvanus Walker, which was received, Mr. Byne presented a petition from read and referred to Mossis. Brown, Hannah Leptrot, which was recessed, Lane (of Putnam), and Cook, a special read and referred to the committee on committee, to report thereon. Peritions.

Mr. Cook from the committee on pe-Mr. Taliaferro laid before Senate the following communication from titions reported, on the petition from James Bozeman, Comptroller General, Catharine Fitzgerold, Executrix viz. Henry Osporne, which being read was

Mr. President, and lagreed to; and is as follows:

Gentlemen of the Senate.

87,003 dols. 76 1-2 cents in state-pa-loner be not granted. pers have been received at that office. M. Park presented a petition from the and Speaker's Warrants to the amount Crawford and Taibot of 50,334 dols. 9 cents. I should have On motion of Mr. Crawford, done this at an earlier day, but my indisposition has been such, as to render Eli Glover be appointed Notaries Pubme incapable of attending to busi-lie for the county of Randolph. ness.

Iam gentlemen, Your most obedient humble servant.

Comptroller General.

29th November, 1810.

Ordered to be referred to the committee on Finance.

ceived, read and referred to the com in the Commissioners of Greense mittee on Finance.

That whilst it must be a source of I now do myself the honor to lay regret to every benevo est mind to before you, an estimate of the receipts view the widow and or, han deprived and payments made at the Treasury of their property, yet at micife ence Office, between the 6th Nov. 1809, and by the Legis ature in cares similar to the 31st October, 1310, inclusive, by this, would be impoline and of langewhich you will, perceive that the sum rous tendency. They therefore reof 71,109 dols. 39 1-3 cts. in cash, & commend that the planer of the petiti-

in the above mentioned period, and intrabatems of Greensboro', which was that there has been checked in the received read & referred to a special same time, Governor's, President scommittee, consisting of Messrs. Park,

Resolved, that John C. Gibson and

Mr. Cook from the committee to whom was referred the pention of Jawith the highest respect & esteem, loob Mordecai, reported a bill to be entiitled an act to authorise Jacob Mordecal to Peddle in this state; and on the JAMES BOZEMAN, question, shall this bill be read the first time? 🔅 was determined in the nesa-1.00

Mr. Park from the committee to whom was referred the Petition of the Mr. Lane (of Pumam) presented a pe-linhabitants of Greensboro', repo ted a tition from George Hill, which was re-bill to be entitled an act to vest p. wer to sell and convey certain lands there-N

in mentioned, which was read the first | Ordered for a committee of the

The Senare took up the following bills, which were severally read the 3d committee of the whole, on the bill to time and passed.

late the town of Monucello in the countaince river from the mouth of Fishing ty of Randolph.

rize James Gibson to retail parituous in the entire Mr. President resumed liquors in the county of Effling the chair, & Mr. Wood reported, that

The following bills were taken up with sundry amendments. and severally read the second time.

tain the line between the countries of to. Montgomery and Jefferson.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to be entitled an act to repeal The following bills from the House the 2d section of an act, passed the 22d of Representatives were taken up and day of December 1808, entitled an act'severally read the second time. to authorise the justices of the Inferior. A bill to be entitled an act to repeal court of Baldwin county to levy anithe first and second sections of an act extra tax.

whole.

A bill to authorize an extra session Congress of the United States. of the Superior Court of Putnam coun- Ordered for a committee of the ty.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

and amend the Escheat Laws.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

mend the 5th section of an act, entitled heirs and assigns, the sole ond excluan act to sell and dispose of the Frac-sive right of running a line of stagetional parts of Surveys of Land in the carriages between the cities of Savancounties of Baldwin and Wilkin-nah and Augusta, for the term of ten 5011.

whole.

The Senate resolved itself into a be entitled an act to incorporate a com-

A bill to be entitled an act to regulpany for the improvement of the Uco-!Creek, near Milledgeville, to the Big

A bill to be entitled an act to autho-Choals at John Barnett's. Mr. Wood they had gone through the said bill

The Senate took up the amend-A bill to be entitled an act to ascer-ments, which were read and agreed

> Whereupon the said bill was read the third time and passed

lto revise amend and consolidate the Ordered for a committee of the several Milia Laws of this state, & to adapt the same to the act of the

whole

A bill to be entitled an act to authorize the judge of the Middle district A bill to be entitled an act to explain to hold an extra session in the county of Washington.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to be entitled an act to secure And a bill to be entitled an act to a-to Lewis Calfrey & John Coats, their years.

Ordered for a third reading.

porate the town of Warrenton, in the Celah his wife. county of Warren, and to vest certain powers in the commissioners thereof.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to alter and amend the 3d the name of Wilkinson county. section of an act to impose a tax for the support of government, for the year whole. 1808.

Ordered for a third reading.

tise the Inferior court of Green coun-sheriffs. ty to transcribe the records of that county into bound books, and to con-whole. firm the same in courts of record.

Ordered for a committee of the rule for the priority of judgments. whole.

A bill to authorize the Commission-whole. ers of St. Mary's Lottery to dispose of same.

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to be entitled an act to keep open Savannah and Tugalo rivers.

whole.

A bill to be entitled, an act amenda-worth of Confiscated property. tory to an act entitled, an act to enable gusta, and for other purposes therein Twiggs. mentioned, and to enlarge their pow-

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to secure to Jane Bridgewa-of the common belonging to said town. ter any property she may hereafter acquire.

whole.

A bill to be entitled an act to di-A bill to be entitled an act to incordvorce and separate John Nelson &

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A bill to be entitled an act to alter

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to be entitled an act to define the duties of the Clerks of the Superi-A bill to be entitled an act to autho-or and Inferior courts of this state and

Ordered for a committee of the

And a bill to point out a definitive

Ordered for a committee of the

A message from the House of Rethe funds that may arise from the presentatives, by Mr. Holt their clerk. Mr. President;

> The House of Representatives have passed the following bills.

A bill to be entitled an act to authorize the commissioners of the Acade-Ordered for a committee of the mies of the several new counties in this state to purchase one thousand pounds

A bill to be entitled an act to estathe trustees of the Richmond Acade-blish and make permanent the site of my to lease out the commons of Au-the public buildings in the county of

> A bill to be entitled an act to author rize the Commissioners of the town and common of Frederica to sell five acres

> A bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Charles Sthal.

Ordered for a committee of the A bill to be entitled, an act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of spening the Ogechee river, and for Friday and inserting Saturday. the improvement of the navigation Loreof.

wine.

vorce Thomas Harvey and Martha his sident. wife.

renewal of a certain bounty warrant vernor for his assent. therein mentioned

enurts, elections, and other county bu-to Jones county; which was received siness of I elfair county, and to fix on aland read the first time. proper seat for the same.

And they have pass d the bill from morning. Senate to incorporate the Bank of Augusta, with amendments; and he with-&cew.

The Senate took up the message, and the said several bills were read/severally read the second time. the first time.

to the amendments made by the House boro' to sell and convey certain lands Representatives to the bill to incor-therein mentioned. porate the bank of Augusta, except the following clause;

"And be it further enacted, that the ty to Jones county; Directors of said bank shall pay all expence which may arise from the promulgation of this law;"

Which is disagreed to by Senate.

Mr. Rabun presented a Petition from the third time and passed. John Coffee, Esq. which was read and or the Republic.

Mr. Foster from the committee reported as duly enrolled and signed by A bill for the relief of Kenneth Ir-the Speaker, an act to incorporate the Agricultural Society of Georgia, which A bill to be entitled, an act to di-was presented to and signed by the Pre-

Ordered, that the committee do car-A bill to be entitled, an act for the ry said act to His Excellency the Go.

Mr. Butler from the committee re-A bill to repeal an act to remove the ported a bill to add a part of Putnam

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow

FRIDAY, 30th Nov. 1810.

The following bills were taken up &

A bal to be entitled an act to vest Resolved, That the Senate do agree power in the Commissioners of Greens-

> Ordered for a third reading; and A bill to add a part of Putnam coun-

Ordered for a third reading.

The bill to be entitled an act to ascertain the line between the counties of Montgomery and Jefferson was read

The Senate resolved itself into a referred to the committee on the state committee of the whole on the bill to be entitled an act to authorize an extra Mr. Bacon called up the following re-|session of the Superior court of the county of Putnam. Mr. Hardie in the Resolved, that no new business will Chair. Mr. President resumed the 300 received in Senate after Friday next | Chair and Mr. Hardie reported, that Which was agreed to by striking outliney had gone through the hill without

Ordered, that the bill do lie on the

any amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and table.

Whereupon the said bill was read the committee of the whole on the bill to third time, and passed under the afore-ne exhibit. In act to explain & amend said title.

said title. The Senate resolved itself into a Chara-Mr. Presolent resumed the committee of the whole on the bill to be Chair, and Mr. Walker reported, that entitled, an act to repeal the 2d section they had gone through the same and of an act, passed the 22d day of Decimale no can nament.

1808, satisfied, an act to authorize the The Senate took up the report, Justices of the Engineer court of the which was read and ordered to lie of county of Endown to levy an extra the table.

tax, which shall not exceed one half. The following bills were taken up & of the general tan, for the purpose of severally read the 2d time, viz.

building a courthouse and jud in said. A bill to be entitled, an act to incorcounty, and to appoint Commissioners porate a company for the purpose of oto carry the same into effect. Mr Bar-pening the Ogechee river.

nett in the Chair. Mr President result of the whole.

med the Chair, and Mr. Barnett red A bill to be entitled, an act to auported that they had gone through said phorize the Commissioners of the Acabill, and the committee rise and denties of the several new counties in report, that the further consideration this state, to purchase one thousand of this bill be postponed until the first pounds worth of Conficated Property.

Monday in June next.

The Senate took up the report, A call to be entired, an act to estawhich was agreed to. blish and make permanent the site of

The Senate resolved itself into sithe Public Buildings in the county of committee of the whole on the blitte I wiggs.

be entitled an act to amend the fifth sell. Ordered for committee of the whole, of an act, entitled an act to self and distant the be entitled an act to authorose of the fractional parts of serveys of rize the Commissioners of the town & land in the counties of Baldwin and common of Frederica, to sell five acres Wilkinson—Mr. Eyes in the Chair—of the common belonging to said town. Mr. President resumed the Chair, and Greed for a third reading.

Mr. Byke reported, that they had made A bill to be entitled, an act for the progress, and ask leave to sit again in relief of Charles Sthal.

The Senate took up the report, A bill for the relief of Kenneth irwhich was amended to strike out June, vine.

Rext. Ordered for a third coalling

A bill for the renewal of a certain/severally read the third time, and pasbounty warrant therein mention a

Thomas Farry and Martia his wife pose a tax for the support of govern. Ordered for committee of the whole, ment for the year 1808; and £ 17.

courts, elections, and other county bu-like trustees of the Richmond county siness of Testair county, and to fix on a academy to lease out the commons of proper seat for the same.

Ordered for a thord reading.

The follown bills were taken uplers. read the third time, and passed under their respective titles.

rize the Judge of the Middle District to the Clerks of the Superior and Inferior hold an extra session in the county of courts of this state, and Sheriffs-Mr. Washington

to Lewis Calfrey and John Coas, then led, that they had gone through the heirs and assigns, the sole and exclusione with an amendment. sive right of running a line of Stago- The Senate rook up the amendment, Carriao is between the Cides of Savan-Juhich was read and agreed to. nah and Augusta, for the term of ten. Whereupon the said bill was read the years and

tive rate I rathe priority of judgments lact of the Congress of the U. Statesresumed the Chair, and Mr. Park re-dent resumed the Chair, and Mr. Remported, that hey had gone through the son reported, that they had gone thro' ame with arcendments.

Ordered, that the report do lie on the Ordered that the report do lie on

ised, under their respective titles, to wit:

Ordered for committee of the Abele. A bill to be encaled an act to alter & A hill to be a texted an act to anyone amend the third section of an act to im-

A bill to be entitled an act amenda-A bill to repeal an act to remove the tory to an act, entitled, an act to enable Augusta, and for other purposes therein mentioned, and to enlarge their pow-

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be A bill to be entitled an act to autho-fentialed, an act to define the duties of Park in the Chair—Mr President re-A bill to be entided, an act to secure sumed the Chair, and Mr Park report-

third time and passed as amended.

A bill to be entitled, an act to incor- The Senate resolved itself into a porase the fown of a arrenton in the committee of the whole on the bill to be county or Warren, and to vest certainfentitled, an act to repeal the first and powers in the Commissioners thereof. [second sections of an act to amend an (17) Senate resolved itself into afact, entitled, an act to revise, amend and sommittee of the whole on the bill to consolidate the several militia laws of be enfailed on act to point out a definition state, and to adapt the same to the Mr. Park in the Chair. Mr. President Mr. Remson in the Chair-Mr. Presithe bill with amendments.

the table.

The Senate resolved itself into a

committee of the whole, on the bill to be Clerk. emitled an act to authorise the Inferior court of Greene capacy to transcribe The House of Representatives have ed progress and had leave to sit a-Catlett, Esq. resigned. gain.

agreed to, so wit;

Governor's, President's and Speaker's ty—and brance to the Treasury, therefore it is den county. in which shall be shewn the number, Tax Collector, and made out and entered in a book or monies when collected. &c. surer and Comptroller General under nitive mode of calculating interest; & the direction and in the presence of his They recede from their amendments said papers by burning them.

Resolved further that the sum of er to enable him to purchase the ne-stable. said.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their severally read and ordered to lie on

Mr. President;

the records of said county, &c. Mr. passed a resolution appointing Free-Byne in the chair. Mr. President re-|man Walker, Esq. a Trustee of the sumed the chair, and Mr. Byne report-Richmond Academy, in place of John

A resolution authorising the Tax-Mr. M'Cormick called up the fol-Collector of M'Intosh county to relowing resolution, which was read and ceipt to the Hon. Pierce Butler for his

ltaxes, &c.

Resolved, That the following items A resolution appointing a Justice of in the Treasurer's rabstract, to wit ithe Inferior court of Twiggs coun-

Warrants, Poper Medium, Audited A resolution appointing a Commis-Certificates, State Troop Bounty War-stoner of the road leading from Nodrants and Familied Certificates are of ding's Point to the public road from no value to the State, but an encum-Fort Barrington to St. Mary's in Cam-

ordered, that the Treasurer do cause. They have passed a bill pointing afair and account to list of said papers, out the mode of electing Receiver and

the date and amount of each descrip- A bill to compel Coroners, Sheriffs, tion of paper and the person's name in Clerks, Attorneys, Justices of the whose fav or each issued, to be Peace and Constables to pay over all

books to be by him provided for that A bill to change the name of cerpurpose & that as soon as said list shall tain persons therein mentioned. And have been completed, that the Trev-. A bill to establish a certain and defi-

Excellency the Governor, do de voy to the bill to incorporate the Augusta Bank, and concur with Senate; & ho withdrew.

dollars be appropriated to the Treasur- Ordered that the same do lie on the

cessary books, and pay for transcri- Mr. Cook from the committee rebing and making out the list afore-ported on the petition of Rich'd Whitelhead, Elijah Blackshear and John A message from the House of Re-Cunningham, which said reports were the table.

Mr. Davis gives notice that he will Mr. M. Cormick agreeably to notice. on to-morrow report a bill for the re-reported a bill to be entitled, an act for lief of Noah W Bradley,

will to-morrow report a bill to autho-plainly marking the same, which was rise the running the dividing line be-received and read the first time. tween Montgomery and Tatnall counties.

Mr. Rudspeth gives notice that he of the inhabitants of district No. 1, in will on temorrow move for the ap-the county of Columbia, reported as pointment of a committee to prepare blows:

and report a bill to alter and amend. The joint committee to whom was the first section of the third article of referred the petitition of Sundry inhathe Constitution of this state.

veys; and

Mr. Lane of Putnam reported a bill to regulate Mills in this state, which was Whereupon Mr. Walker moved that received and read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

Walker of the county of Richmond, Richmond county; and on the questihave leave of absence from Senate afton it was determined in the negative, ter to-morrow for the remainder of the and the original report was agreed

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

SATU ADAY, 1st Dec. 1810.

moved for a committee to be appoint-from James Ballin and Mary his wife, ed to prepare a bill to alter and amend which was received, read and referred the 1st section of the 3d article of the to a special committee, consisting of Constitution of this state.

Ordered that Messrs. Hudspeth, con. Remson and Powell be that commit- Mr. Davies agreeably to notice, to

ltee.

running the line dividing the coun-Mr. M'Cormick gives notice that heltics of Montgomery and Latuall, and

> Mr. Walker from the joint committee to whom was referred the petition

bitants of Columbia county, praying

Mr. Foster gives notice, that he will that district No. 1 of said county night on to-morrow move for leave to re-be severed from and annexed to kichport a bill to afford temporary relief mond report, that the prayer of the to the purchasers of Fractional Sur petitioners is unreasonable and ought not to be granted.

The Senate took up the report,

the report be disagreed to, and that he have leave to report a bill to be entitled Resolved, that the Hon. Freeman an act to annex a part of Columbia to

> Mr. Hudspeth from the committee, reported a bill to alter and amend the 1st ection of the third article of the Constitution of this state, which was received and read the first time.

Agreeably to notice, Mr. Hudspeth! Mr. Burnett presented a petition Messrs. Barnett, Davies and Bar

ported a bill to be entitled, an act for The Senate resolved itself into a the relief of Noah W. Bradley, an in-committee of the whole, on the bill to solvent debtor, confined in the combe entitled, an act to authorise the mon Jail of the county of Chatham, Commissioners of St. Mary's Lottewhich was received and read the first ry to dispose of the funds that may larise from the same. Mr. Park in the

On motion of Mr. Rabun,

chair. Mr. President resumed the Resolved, by the Senate and House chair, and Mr. Park reported that they of Representatives of the state of had gone through the same without any Georgia in General Assembly met, amendment.

That all the Confiscated property here- Whereupon the said bill was read after advertised or to be advertised the third time and passed.

by the Commissioners of Confiscated! The Senate resolved itsel into a Estates situate in the Eastern District committee of the whole on the bill to of this State, shall be sold at the city be entitled, an act to keep open Savanof Savannah; and all property of the nah and Tugalo rivers, and to prevent same description situate in the upper obstructions in the same calculated to district, shall be sold at Augusta or impede the free passage of boats and Milledgeville, as a majority of the fish, so far as respects the county of Commissioners shall deem most expe-Franklin. Mr. Henderson in the chair. dient for the interest of this state; prc-Mr. President resumed the chair, and wided that notice be given of such sales Mr Henderson reported, that they had agreeably to the laws now in force re-gone through the bill with an agulating such sales. mendment.

Ordered, the resolution do lie on the Whereupon the said bill was read the third time and passed.

The Senate took up the message. The Senate resolved itself into a from the House of Representatives laid committee of the whole, on the bill to on the table yesterday, and concurred be entitled, an act for the relief of Jane in the several resolutions therein con-Bridgewater. Mr. Bacon in the chair. tained, and the several bills were read Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr Bacon reported, that they had

The Senate took up the report of gone through the same without any as the committee of the whole, on the bill mendment.

to be entitled, an act to explain and The Senate took up the report, which amend the Escheat Laws of this state, was amended and agreed to; and and the same being amended was a- On the question that the report do lie on the table, there being an equal greed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read number, the President determined its the third time and passed. the affirmative.

The Senate resolved itself into a was no mention of the same in His Ex committee of the whole on the bill to cellency's Communication: be entitled an act to divorce John Nelson and Celah his wife—Mr. Remson tee appointed on the part of this House, in the chair—Mr. President resumed to join such as may be appointed by the chair, and Mr. Remson reported, he House of Representatives, to exathat they had gone through the bill mine what progress has been made in without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and on.

the same was agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read the table. the third time, and on the question shall this bill now pass? it was determined—The yeas and nays being Governor be instructed to transmit the required are, Yeas 22 Navs 11.

are, Messrs. Barnett, Ball, Brown, posing the United States, and that he er, M'Cormick, Park, Powell, Rem-linat Department; and aferro and Wood.

Messrs. Bacon, Byne, Cook, Foster, ceeding two hundred dollars. Fulgham, Griffin, Hardaway, Hardin, Little, Scruggs and Rabun.

There being a tye as to Constitutional requisite, the President voted in the presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; allirmative.

On motion of Mr. Foster;

at their last session appoint a person Jones; to arrange and digest all the laws and In the resolution appointing Lumber resolutions of this state, subsequent Measurers for the river and City of St. to Marbury and Crawford's Digest, up Mary's in Camden county; and to the year one thousand eight hun- In the resolution appointing Sampdred and ten, and report the same tolson Mordecal a Notary Public for the His Excellency the Governor for his county of Chatham. perusal and assent; and whereas there

Resolved, that there be a commit-

the same, and report especially there-

Ordered that the resolution do lie on

On motion of Mr. M'Cormick;

Resolved, that His Excellency the Laws of this state to the Executive De-Those who voted in the affirmative, partments of the different states, com-Butler, Burnett, Crawford, Davies, be authorized to purchase such books Mardie, Henderson, Johnston, Landtor the Executive Department of this (of Putnam), Lane (of Walton), Lani-state, as he may believe necessary for

son, Shepherd, Spalding, Talbot, Tali- Be it further Resolved, That he be authorized to draw on the Contingent Those who voted in the negative are, Fund for the same, in any sum not ex-

Ordered, that the resolution do lie on

the table

A message from the House of Re-Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have Whereas the General Assembly did concurred in the resolution of Charles

They disagree to the amendments

Heath-Officer in the Mayor and Alder-and insert Habersham." men of the City of Savannah; and to adhere to their original bills—and he|Yeas 22—Nays 13. ·withdrew.

the table.

as duly and correctly enrolled, viz.

An act to incorporate the Agricul-herd, Talbot and Wood. tural Society of Georgia.

boro' in the county of Columbia.

An act to amend the first section of bun and Spalding. an act, entitled, an act to extend the rally signed by the President.

Ordered, that the committee of enrol-|required are, Yeas 14, and Nays 21. led bills do carry the said several acts them.

The Senate adjourned 'till Monday ing, Talbot, Taliaferro and Wood. morning 10 o'clock.

MONDAY, 3d Dec. 1810.

be entitled an act to alter the name of Pray and Rabun. and Mr. Hardin reported, that they had sed, viz.

made by the Senate to the bill vestingigone thro' the same with the followthe appointment of Harbor Master and ing amendment; " strike out " Marion"

The Senate took up the report, and the amendments made by Senate to on the question to agree to the same, the bill for improving the Oconee, Ala-lit was determined of the Armative, & tamaha and Savannah rivers; and still the year and nays being required, are

Those who voted in the affirmative Ordered, that the message do lie on are, Messrs. Barnett. Brown, Burnett, Byne, Cook, Crawford, Davies, Foster, Mr. Foster from the committee on Fulgham, Hardaway, Hardin, Hardie, enrollment, reported the following acts Henderson, Hudspeth, Lane (of Putnam), Park, Remson, Scruggs, Shep-

Those who voted in the negative are An act to extend the powers of the Messrs. Bacon, Ball, Butler, Griffin, Commissioners of the town of Wrights-|Johnston, Lane (of Walton), Lanier, Little, M. Cormick, Powell, Pray, Ra-

Whereupon the said bill was taken laws of this state over the persons re-up and read the third time, and on the siding in Wafford's settlement, and to question shall this bill now pass as as organize the same; which were seve-mended? it was determined in the negative, and the yeas and nays being

Those who voted in the affirmative, to the Office of the Secretary of State, are, Messrs Byne, Crawford, Davis, and have the Great Seal affixed to Fulgham, Hardin, Hardie, Henderson, Remson, Scruggs, Shepherd, Spald-

Those who voted in the negative are Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Ball, Brown, Butler, Burnett, Cook, Foster, Griffin, Hardaway, Hudspeth, Johnston, Lane The Senate resolved itself into a (of Putnam), Lane (of Walton), Lacommittee of the whole on the bill to nier, Little, M'Cormick, Park, Powell,

Wilkinson county-Mr. Hardin in the The following bills were taken up & chair-Mr President resumed the chair severally read the third time, and pasA bill to add - part of Putnam cound The Senate resolved itself into a com.

Ty to Juice commits;

A bill to recess an act to remove the courts, elaction and other commy by his the purpose of opening the Ogesiness at I I recently, and to fix only be river, and for the improvement of a proper scaling the same.

A bill to be entitled an act to autho-gress, and had leave to set again. rize the Corenissioners of the town and I for Senate resolved itself into a comcommons of Frederica to sell five acres and er of the whole, on the bill for the of the commons belonging to said reflet of Chas. Sthal-Mr. Grawford in town.

A bill to be entitled, an act to vestichair, and Afr Crawford reported, that power in the Commissioners of Greens they had gone through the bill without bor? to self a la convey certain lands'any amendment.

therein ment and. verslinew opin a mains state, to par 2 % bays 11.

no amendment.

Whereupon the bill was taken up, snepherd, Spalding and Talbot. read the third time and pursed.

be entitled an act to establish & make|Powell, Rabun, Taliaferro and Wood. permanent the site of the Public Build- The Senate resolved itself into a ings in the county of Pwiggs-Mr. committee of the whole, on the bill to Powell in the enalr--Wr. President re-lbe entitled an act for the renewal of a sumed the Char, and Mr. Powell re certain Bounty Warrant therein menported, mat they had gone through the tioned, Mr. Remson in the chair. bill and made no amendment.

the third time and passed.

mittee of the whole on the bill to be enstled an act to incorporate a Company have navigation if ercof-Mr. Talbot in A bul for the relation Kenneth In-hie chair -- Mr. i resident resumed the chair, and Mr. Talbot reported pro-

line chair— Mr President resumed the

Whereupor the said bill was taken up The Senate resolver it will into a sid read the third time, & on the quescommittee of the whole die fill to man shall this bill now pass? it was debe established as not rower or me the coal termined in the affirmative, and the missioners of the a. . Lanes of the economic and nays being required, are Yeas

chase one company pounds whom of Those who voted in the affirmative; Configured Property - Mr. Dr. 1 . a Messi, A.M. Burler, Burnett, Byne, the Chair-ide a sea at resume and and airdaway, Hardin, Hardie, chair, and And Brown reported, that heads son, Johnston, Lane of Putnam, they had some it rough the bill to made I show of Walton, Lanier, Little, Mo-Cormick, Park, Pray, Remson, Scruggs:

Those who voted in the negative, The because as olved uselikato alare Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Cook, romand took the whole on the bill to Crawford, Foster, Griffin, Hudspeth,

Mr. President resumed the chair, and Whereupon the said bill was read Mr. Remson reported, that they had gone through the bill and made no 2mendment.

whole.

Whereupon the said bill was taken A bill to be entitled, an act to comup, read the third time and passed.

pel Coroners, Sheriffs, Clerks, Attor-The Senate resolved itself into aneys, Justices of the Peace and Concommittee of the whole, on the bill to stables, to pay over all monies so soon be entitled, an act to divorce Thomas's collected, by virtue of execution pla-Harvey and Martha his wife. Fir. ced in their hands.

Foster in the chair. Mr. President re- Ordered for a committee of the sumed the Chair and Mr. Foster re-whole.

ported, that they had gone through the: A bill to alter and change the names bill without any amendment. of certain persons therein named.

Whereupon the said bill was read: Ordered for a 3d teating. the third time, and on the question, A bill to establish a cerrain and defishall this bill new pass? It was deter-initive mode of calculating limerest in mined on the affirmative, and the yeas this state.

mays 11.

Those who voted in the affirmative are Messrs. Barnett, Ball, Brown, izuder, ley.

Hardee. Henderson, Johnston, Lane whole. Remson, Shep lerd. Spalding, Talbot, Tamell. Taliaferro and Wood.

are Messrs. Bacon, Byne, Cook, Fos-late Mills in this state. ter, Fulgham, Griffin, Hardaway, Hudspeth, Little, Itabun and Scruggs.

A bill to be entitled, an act to point out the mode of electing a Receiver & whole. year, 1805.

Ordered for a committee of the

and nays being required, are yeas 24, Ordered for a committee of the

whole. A bill for the relief of N. W. Brad-

Burnett, Crawford, Davies, Plandin, Ordered for a Committee of the

(of Putnam), Lane (of Walton), La- A bill to run the dividing line benier, M'Co mick, Park, Powell, Pray, tween the counties of Montgomery &

Ordered for a 3d reading.

Those who voted in the negative, A bill to be entitled, an act to regu-

Ordered for a committee of the whole.

The following bills were taken up. And a bill to alter the first section of and severally read the second time, to the 3d article of the Constitution of this

Ordered for a committee of the

Tax Collector, for the several counties. The report of the committee of the of this state, to repeal the 27th section whole, on the bill to be entitled, an act of an act, entitled, an act to raise a taxto point out a definitive rule for the for the support of government, for the priority of judgments was taken up, amended and agreed to.

nays being required, are yeas 14, nays was read and agreed to. 20.

are Messrs. Barnett, Butler, Byne, Batting and Mary Batting his wile, te-Crawford, Davis, Foster, Hardawas ported, that from the decometris c-Hardin, Hudspeth, Powell, Remson, companying the petition, the class of

Scruggs, Talbott and Word.

are Messrs Bacon, Ball, Brown, Bur-meritorious controlls, which ought long nett. 1 son, Euglish, Griffin Hardy, since to have seen small a pel. The Henderson, Johnston, Lane (of Pathornautice therefore vectormend the nam), Lane (of Walton). Lanier, Lit-following resolution, tle, Park, Pray. Rabun, Shepherd, Resolved by the Hennie and House Spaiding, and Talieferro.

ported a bill to be entitled, an act to affinereby resolved, that the a tailor Gefor Promperary relief to the purchase speral of this state be, an increase hereby of Tractional Surgers, and to prevent authorized and required, to issue a cersaid brations from being sold, for theinficate in favor of James & Mory Batttax and they are paid for to the something, formerly Mary Hardy, for the sum which was read the first time.

Petitions reported, to wit;

inhabitants of the upper district of Li-ceived at the treasury, at the rate pointberty county praying to be added toled out by the laws of this state with res-Tatnall, your committee are of opini pect to other audited ceruficates, that on, that the prayer of the petitioners is to say, one eighth of its nominal vais unreasonable and ought not to bellue. The Senate took up the report,

your committee having considered the ought not to be granted for the want of case of the petitioner and feel a grati-proper vouchers. tude for the services of our Revoluti | A message from the House of Reonary Patriots ing the demand for remuneration hav-

Whereupon the said bill was reading long since expired, we deem it imthe third time, and on the question proper to afford longer madely acc, and shall this bill now pass? it was deter-therefore recommend, that the priver mined on the negative, and the year & of the petitioner be not granted; which

Mr Burnett from the committee to Those who voted in the affirmative, whom was referred the patition of Fo. the said petition at 100% to lave been Those who voted in the negative, founded in justice the opening of these

of Representatives of the state of Geor-Mr Foster from the committee regia in General Assembly real and it is

of nine hundred and eight pounds, in Mr. Cook from the committee on full for the claims of the late Capt. John Hardy, deceased, against the state of On the petition of a number of the Georgia; which certificate shall be regranted, which was read and agreed and the same being read, on motion, resolved, that the report be disagreed to, On the petition of Stephen Herd, and that the petition is unreasonable, &

Yet the time of mak-presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk;

Mr. President;

passed a bill to fix on the site of the determined in the affirmative, and the Public Buildings in Laurens county; yeas & nays being required are, Yeas

A bill to admit Eldred Simkins to plead and practice as an Attorney and are, Messrs. Ball, Brown, Byne, Craw. Solicitor in the several courts of law & ford, Davis, Foster, Fulgham, Hardin, equity in this state.

pointing a Commissioner of Warrenherd, Scruggs, Spalding, Talbut, Tali-

county Academy;

A resolution appointing Lumberand

Measurer for the Port of Darien; and Powell, Rabun, and Remson. he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, & ble. the bills were severally, read the first

ren county academy;

"In the resolution appointing Lumber Measurers for the City of Savan-Itable. nah with an amendment; and

with an amendment.

On motion of Mr. Hardie,

Resolved, that Stephen Westmore to Marbury and Crawford's Digest. be, and he is hereby appointed Vendue Camden county.

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning

TUESDAY, 4th Dec. 1810. On motion of Mr. Hardin,

'day so far as respects the bill to change Savannah rivers in this state.

The House of Representatives have the name of Wilkinson county, it was 21; Nays 15.

Those who voted in the affirmative, Hardie, Henderson, Johnston, Lane of They have passed a resolution ap-|Putnam, Lane of Walton, Pray, Shepaferro, Williams and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative are Measurers for the Port of Savannah: Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Butler, Bucnett, Cook, Griffin, Hardaway, Huds-A resolution appointing a Lumber-peth, Lanier, Little, M'Cormick, Park;

Ordered that the same lie on the tax

On motion of Mr. Hardin,

The Journal of yesterday so far a .. They concurred in the resolution respects the bill to point out a regular appointing a Commissioner of the War-land definitive mode for the priority of judgments, was reconsidered; and

Ordered, that the bill do lie on the

Mr. Foster called up the resolution In the resolution appointing a Lum-lappointing a joint committee to examine ber Measurer for the Port of Darien what progress has been made by the person appointed to arrange and digest the Laws and Resolutions subsequent

Ordered, that Messrs. Foster, Har-Master for the town of St. Mary's indin and Remson be the committee on the part of Senate.

> The Senate took up the message of Saturday last, and

Resolved, that the Senate do adhere to all and each of their amendments lmade to the bill for improving the navi-To re-consider the Journal of yester-gation of the Oconee, Alatamaha and

Resolved also, That the Senate dolclaiming the right of appeal shall first adhere to all and each of their amend-make oath, that the value of the proments made to the bill vesting the ap-perty in dispute exceeds the amount of pointment of Health-Officer and Har-thirty dollars; on the question, it was for taster of the Port of Savanah in determined in the negative, and the the wip or and Aldermen of the said Ci-yeas and nays being required, are Yeas .15—Nays 18.

Mr. Hardin called up the re-conside- Those who voted in the affirmative, ration of the minutes of yesterday, so are, Messes. Barnett, Bacon, Burnett, far as relates to the bill to be entitled an Byne, Hardin, Hardie, Hudspeth, act to efter the name of Wilkinson Park, Powell, Pray, Scruggs, Spalding,

county, and that the proceedings there-Talbot, Williams and Wood.

on be disagreed to; and Those who voted in the negative are Resolved, that the name of "Haber-Mesors. Ball, Brown, Cook, Crawford, sham" be stricken out, and the name Foster, Fulgham, Griffin, Hardaway, of Emanuel be inserted in lieu thereof, Henderson, Johnston, Lane of Putnam, which was agreed to. Lane of Walton, Lanier, Little, M'Cor-

Whereupon the sate bill was read the mick, Rabun, Remson, Shepherd and Taliaferro. third time and passed a amended.

mr. Hardin also called up the re-con-! Whereupon the said bill was read sideration of the minutes of yesterday, the third time and passed. so far as relates to the bill to be said. The following bills were taken up & tled an act to point out a constant rule rule severally read and third time and pas-

for the priority of judgment, and to assed:

to, which was agreed to.

mittee of the whole on said bill was ta-plain the same; and ken up, and

On motion of Mr. Hardin,

ed in said bill, to wit; "And if either committee of the whole on the bill to party be dissatisfied with the decision be entitled an act to regulate mills in of the jury, he, she or they may enter this state—mr. Rabun in the chair an appeal to the Superior court within Mr. President resumed the chair, and the time and according to the mode Mr. Rabun reported progress, and had pointed out by the Judiciary laws of leave to set again in June next. this state, with regard to appeals from The Senate took up the report, which the Inferior to the Superior courts; and was read and agreed to. the trial on such appeal shall be final The Senate resolved itself into a

the proceedings thereon be I word: A bill to be entitled, an act for runining the line dividing the counties of Whereupon the report of the com-mon gomery and Tattnall, and marking

> A bill to alter the names of certain persons therein mentioned.

That the following clause be insert. The Senate resolved itself into a

and conclusive, provided the partyleommittee of the whole on the bill to al-

ter the 1st section of the 3d article of Linder, Moses Harrison, John Walthe Constitution of this state—Mr. Balace and John Fort Esqrs. Commissioncon in the chair; Mr. President resu-jers of the Wayne county academy. med the chair, and Mr. Bacon reported! One appointing Abner Biddle, Those that they had gone through the bill-White. Reuben Cole, David White &

without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report, of Jones county academy

which was amended and agreed to. One appointing John E. Dawson, Whereupon the said bill was read the! William Mitchell, James Mitchell, Dathird time, and passed the Senate with-vid Files and John A Whatev. Hogrs. out a dissenting voice. Commissioners of the Mongan county

The Senate resolved itself into alacademy. the several counties of this state, and academy. Park in the chair—Mr President resuldency of Kandolph county. med the chair, and Mr. Park reported. One appointing Abraham Lucas Eswithout any amendment.

A message from His Excellency the tary;

Mr. President:

Governor to inform the Senate, that he Bildwin; and he withdrew. has approved of and signed sundry resolutions which originated in this presentatives by Mr Holt their Clerk; branch of the Legislature, viz.

One appointing James Wood, Esq. a Esq. deceased.

committee of the whole on the bill to be One appointing Clement Bryan, Jno. entitled an act to point out the mode of P. Blackman, Richard Cooper, Moses electing a Receiver of Returns of Tax-Westberry and Ezekiel Clifton, Esgrs. able property and Tax-Collectors for Commissioners of the Tattnal county

Wormley Rose, Esqrs. Commissioners

to repeal the 27th section of an act en- One appointing Peter W. Gautier, titled an act to raise a tax for the sup-David Adams, Jarret Beasley, Zepheport of government for the year 1805, niah Harvey 'and Charles Crawford, passed the 12th December, 1804—Mr | squires, Commissioners of the Aca-

that they had gone through the billiquire, a justice of the Inferior Court for the county of Wilkinson, in the : Ordered that the report do lie on the room of John T. Fairchild, Esq. vesign-

One appointing Alexander Greene, Covernor by Mr, Rousseau his Secre Esq. a Vendue-Master for the town of Milledgeville—...id

One appointing William Rowe, Esq. I am directed by His Excellency the a Motary Public for the county of

A message from the House of Re-

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have Commissioner of the Columbia county passed a bill to incorporate a Company Academy, in the place of John Appling for improving the navigation of Broad River.

One appointing James Fort, George A bill for the relief of the heirs and

sawful representatives of James, Sim- I tions of sundry inhabitants of the and for a relief of Peter H. Collins | Junties of Clarke, Elbert, Jackson, And

A bill for the relief of John Barnes; and he who draw.

Ordered that one same do lie on the ven; and he will drew. table.

On motion of Mr. R. bun,

Model ed that the committee on the state of the Republic nave leave to re-following resolution. coive any document or evid see that Resolved, That upon the re-consimany be adduced or introduce as them; leration of the Journal upon the final in the examination of the nerval rey of assage of a bill, the question shall be

On motion of Mr Park.

Recolved that William We straig bod enome. and he is hereby any intest a justice of the benate took up the report of the the inferior equal of the country excountance in the petition of James Greene, in the of lames basber is at specimental or a vineiras as follows, Transport.

morning.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk, Revolutionary War,

Mr. President,

concurred in the resolution appointing the prayer of the petitioners is just a Notary Public for the county of Jeffand reasonable, and ought to be grantrson.

ries Public for the county of Ran-following resolution; dolph—And,

Lachariah Sims.

pointing a committee on their part to of the General Assembly, passed May, ima such as may be appointed by Se-1782.

Oglethorpe and Franklin—and,

They have passed a bill for the reof of Rev'd Charles Oddingsells Scri-

Ordered, that the same lie on the hable.

Mr. Barnett laid on the table the

the 8th dist. of Wilkinson courty. on the passage of the bill only, and but no amendment can be made fer

Adjourned full so o'clock to-morrow on the petition of James Espev. Wiley astroy, and John Espey, the lehad helps also representatives of Capt. be made Lapev, dec. who served as a WEDNESDAY 5th Occ. 1310. Papiain of the Dragoons, commanded Ar. assect from the House of Report Col Leonard Marbury, in the late

Your committee are of opinion that The House of Representatives have from the vouchers produced to them, ed, as it has been allowed to others in In the resolution appointing Nota-similar situation, and recommend the

Resolved, That an appropriation be In the resolution on the petition of made in their favour for four hundred and sixty-six dollars eighteen and three They have passed a resolution ap-quarter cents agreeably to a resolution

now, to take into consideration the pe- And on the question to agree to the

same, it was determined in the affirma-settlement of the taxes for that year tive, and the year and nays being re- as stated in the digest deposited in the quired, are Young 22-Nays 11. | said Comptroller's office. They there-

Those who voted in the affirmative, fore recommend the following resolu-

are Messrs Barnett, Ball, Brown, But-tions.

Hardie, Hudspeth Lane of Wilton, timoner be granted, so far as respects Lanier, Park, Roy, Rabun, Remson, the tax on said Billiard Table Shepherd, spaking, l'albot, Taliaferro, be it further resolved, that the sum of Williams and Wood.

On motion of Mr. Powell,

Resolved, That John Fort, esquire, the same being taken up and read be, and he is hereby appointed a Justice was agreed to.

of the Inferior court of Wayne county, Ordered that Messrs. Lanier, Byne moved.

ports as follows:

On the perision of Gilbert Nevland the records of the Likelinive. taxable property from the county of ained were read the third time. until after the 30th day of January morpe.

ler, Burnett, Crawford, Foster, Ha. dm.! Resolved, that the prayer of the peone hundred dollars, which is already Those who voted in the negative, are paid into the treasury of this state by Messrs. Bacon, Byne, Cook, Fulgham, William Davis, Tax Collector of Burke Griffin, Hardaway, Henderson, John-county for the year 1809, being the ston, Little, Powell, and Scruggs. Itax on the said Billiard table, be appropriated to the said William Davis, &

in place of Matthew Jones, esquire, re-land Wood be the committee on the part of Senate to take into consideration , Mr. Hardin from the committee re-line is wellency the Governor's Comfounication relative to the transcribing

your committee after making every en- The Secate took up the several mesquiry, find that the said Nevland stands sages from the House of Representacharged as a defaulter in the digest offlives, and the several bills therein con-

Burke for the year 1800, in the sum. They added on their part a commitof 102 dollars, which appears to be aftee consisting of Messrs. Cook, Hendouble tax on a Billiard table includerson, Barnett, Little and Hudspeth, ding the other property he was suppo to join the committee appointed by sed to possess, and from the vouchers the House of Representatives to take accompanying the petition it appears, into consideration the petitions of the that the Billiard table on which the said inhabitants of the counties of Clark, double tax was charged, was not in usely ckson, Elbert, Franklin and Ogle-

1809; also from a statement made by The Senate again resolved itself inthe Comptroller General, that William to a committee of the whole, on the Davis Tax-Collector for Burke councy bill to authorize the Lawror Court of for the year aforesaid, has made a final Greene County to transcribe the re-

cords of said county, &c. Mr Byneller, Burnett, Cook. Fulgham, Hardee, in the chair. the chair, and Mr Byne reported, that ton.) Lanier, Luttle, McConnich, Powthey had gone through the same with ell, Remson. Show ord, appropriate Tal. out any amendment.

The Senate wak up the report, and the same being read was agreed agreed to.

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the third use and passed under the this bill now pass? it was determined title aforesaid.

to a committee of the whole on the bill 16. to incorporate a company for the im- Those who voted in the affirmative are provement of the navigation of the O Messrs Butler, Burnett, Cook, Fulgham, ged tee river. Mr Remson in the chair Hardie, Henderson, Johnston, Lane Mr. President resumed the chair and (of Walton) Lanier, Little, M'Cor-Mr Remson reported progress, & had mick, Powell. Shepherd, Spalding, leave to sit again.

The report was taken up and agreed Wood. to.

the committee of the whole on the bil Byne, Crawford, Davis, Fosier, Grif-10 secure to Jane Bridgewater, any fin, Hardaway, Hardin, Eudspeth, property which she may hereafter ac Park, Pray, Rabun, Remson and quire by deed, will or otherwise, and Scruggs. the same being read, M. Hardin mo-| The Senate took up the report of the ved that the further consideration of committee of the whole, on the bill to said bill be postponed until June next, repeal the first and second sections of and on the question to agree to the an act to amend an act to revise amend same it was determined in the negative, and consolidate the several Militia and the year and nays being required, laws of this state, and to adopt the same are yeas 13, nays 22.

Those who yoted in the affirmative ted States, and the same being amendare Mess a styne, Crawford, Davis, led was agreed to. Foster, Griffin, Hardaway, Hardin, Whereupon the said bill was read Hudspeth, Park, Pray, Rabun and the third time and passed under the Scruggs.

Mr. President resided Henderson, Johnston, Lane (of Vialbot, Taliaferro, Willbrais and W. d.

The report was then amended and

Whereupon the said bill was read Whereupon the said bill was read the 3d time, and on the question was l in the affirmative, and the year and 'I he Senate again resolved itselfin-mays being required, are yeas 18, nays

> Talbot, Tahaferco, Williams and

Those who voted in the negative, The Senate took up the report of ale Messrs. Barnett, Hall, Brown,

to the act of the Congress of the Uni-

ltitle thereof.

Those who voted in the negative, The Senate again resolved itself inare Messrs. Bacon, Ball. Brown, But-lto a committee of the whole, on the Wilkinson, so far as respects the fifth state section of said act. Mr Byne in the chair. Mr. President resumed the chair whole and Mr Byne reported, that they had

The Senate took up the report and wit; the same being read was agreed to

the third time and passed under the ti-ton county. tle thereof.

to a committee of the whole, on the county. counties of this state, and to repeal sioners thereof. 1804. Mr Park in the chair. President resumed the chair and Mr cated property. Park reported, that they had gone An act to divorce Thomas Harvey through the same without any amend-and Martha his wife.

the table.

The following bills were severally Sthal. read the 2d time, to wit:

lic buildings in Laurens county.

Ordered for a committee of the town. whole.

the purchasers of Fractional Surveys, siness of the county of Telfair &c.

whole.

bill to amend an act to sell and dispose A bill to admit Eldred Simkins, Esq. of the fractional parts of Surveys of to plead and practice in the several land in the counties of Baldwin and courts of law and equity in this

Ordered for a committee of the

Mr. Foster from the committee regone through the same with amend-ported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, the following acts, to

An act to authorize an extra sessi-Whereupon the said bill was read on of the Superior Court of Washing-

An act to make permanent the site The Senate again resolved itself in lof the Public Buildings in Twiggs

bill to point out the mode of electing. An act to incorporte the town of Receiver of returns of taxable proper-Warrenton in the county of Warren, & ty and Tax Collector for the severallto vest certain powers in the Commis-

the 27th section of an act to raise a tax | An act to authorize the Commissifor the support of government for the oners of the Academies of the several year 1805, passed the 12th December, new counties in this state to purchase Mr one thousand pounds worth of Confis-

An act for the renewal of a certain Ordered that said report do lie on bounty warrant therein mentioned.

An act for the relief of Charles

An act authorizing the Comm'rs of A bill to fix on the site of the pub-the town and commons of Frederica to sell five acres of the commons of said

An act to repeal an act, to remove the Abill to afford temporary relief to courts, elections, and other county bu-

An act to keep open Savannah and Ordered for a committee of the Tugalo rivers, and to prevent obstrucions in the same, calculated to imso far as respects the county of Frank-

able the Trustees of the Richmond am Jones a Notary Public for the councounty Academy to lease out the com-ty of Richmond—and mons of Augusta, and for other pur- A resolution appointing John H. poses therein mentioned; and to en-Mann a Notary Public for the county sarge their powers.

An act to secure to Lewis Calfrey & John Coats, their heirs and assigns, lize the Commissioners of Milledgeville the sole and exclusive right of running to sell and dispose of certain lots in said a line of Stage-Carriages between the town—and Cities of Savannah and Augusta for A bill to appropriate monies for the the term of ten years.

An act to alter and amend the third section of an act to impose a tax for table. the support of Government for the year 1808.

Nelson and Celia his wife.

An act to authorize the Commissioners of St. Mary's Lottery to dispose of petition of Elijah Blackshear, was tathe funds that may arise from the ken up, and the same being read was same—and

vine.

said acts to His Excellency the Go-ment commended by Col. John Ruvernor for his assent.

morning.

THURSDAY, 6th Dec. 1810.

ported on the petition of John Smith; Adjutant, from the 8th to the 20th of

Ordered that he have leave to with Dec. 1805 inclusive. Graw the report, together with the The report of the committee on the roughers on which the same was petition of John Bethune was taken up, founded.

A message from the House of Re-follows and agreed to, viz. On the

pede the free passage of boats & fish, presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have An act amendatory to an act to en-passed a Resolution appointing Willi.

of Richmond.

They have passed a bill to author-

political year 1811—and he withdrew.

Ordered that the same do lie on the

The report of the committee on the petition of Col John Cunningham was An act to divorce and separate John taken up, which was read and again ordered to lie on the lable.

> The report of the committee on the agreed to and is as follows, to wit;

An act for the relief of Kenneth Ir- On the petition of Elijah Blackshear praying to be remanerated for servi-Ordered that the committee do take ces rendered as Adjutant in the Regitherford of Washington county—Your Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow committee are of opinion, that the prayer of the petitioner appears to be reasonable, and that the said Elijah Blackshear be paid the sum of twenty-six Mr. Wood from the committee re-dollars, being for services rendered as

and the same was amended to read as

Micajah Little, your committee having are, Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Brown, taken under serious ennsideration the Burnett, Hardin, Hardee, Johnston & said petition, and being willing to grant Powell. indulgence to the said John Bethane, Those who voted in the negative, as Administrator as aforesaid, recom-are, Meisrs. Ball, Buder, Byne, Cook, mend that the execution against the Crawford, Foster, Fulgham, Griffin, property of the said Micajah Little, Hardaway, Henderson, Lanier, Litdec. as security for John Darracott, tle, McCormick, Park, Pray, Remson, Collector of the Taxes for Wilkes Scruggs, Shepherd. 132 195 Calbets county for the year 1808, be suspend-Tailaterro, Williams and Wood. eduntil the 1st day of November 1812 The said resolution was then aherein contained shall operate to defeat to wit; the lien which the state has upon the Resolved by the Senate and House property of the said Micajah Little, de-of Representatives of the state of Georceased.

lowing resolution;

surer for the Port of Savannah.

which being read,

oners shall be liable in their individu the expences of such sales. al capacity for the title of the land so | The Senate took up the message gative—and the yeas and nays being rally read the first time. required, are Yeas 8, Nays 23.

petition of John Bethune, Adm'r of Those who voted in the affirmative,

-provided nevertheless, that nothing mended, agreed to, and is as follows,

gia in General Assembly met, that all Mr. Johnston gives notice, that he|the Confiscated Property hereafter adwill on to-morrow move for leave to in vertized or to be advertised by the troduce a bill to make valid all the of-Commissioners of Confiscated Estates, ficial acts of the clerk of the county of situate in the Eastern District of this state, shall be sold at the City of Sa-Mr. Lanier laid on the table the fol-wannah; and all the property of the same description situate in the Upper Resolved that Daniel Daley be and Districts, shall be sold at Augusta or he is hereby appointed Lumber Mea-Milledgeville, as a majority of the commissioners shall deem most expedi-The Senate called up the resolution ent for the interest of the state; provion the subject of Confiscated Sales, ided that notice be given of such sales lag reably to the laws now in force, re-Mr. Barnett moved the following a greating such sales—and that there be paid by the purchaser or purchasers at Resolved, that where any land may Confiscated Sales (except for Acadebe sold by the Commissioners of Con-mies) one and an half per cent in cash, fiscated Property, the said Commissi-howards the re-surveying & defraying

sold—and on the question to agree to from the House of Representatives, & the same, it was determined in the ne-the bills therein contained were seve-

The resolution appointing Willian.

Jones a Notary Public for Richmond ver. Mr. Talbot in the chair. Mr county-and

Mann a Neture Public for Richmond, through the same with amendments. county, were concerred in.

A message true this Excellency the agreed to. Governor by Mr. Louisseau his Secre-

Mr. President;

Governor to miss in the Senate, that he of opening the Ogcchee river, and for has assessed to and signed the follow-limproving the navigation thereof from ing acts, to wit;

An est to incorporate the Ennik offer weekly Comfort

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timel Society of Georgia; and he with still seterated to the committee on Potidie w.

rollment do carry said acts to the office file Some of the Republic, of the Secretary of State, and see the keponed on the part of His Excelgreat scal affixed thereto.

mittee of the whole, on the bill to be en-Sta district of Wilkinson county, which titled, an act to fix the site of the public was read and ordered to lie on the tabuildings in the county of Laurens. ble.

and the same belog read was agreed as collected by virtue of Executions

Wereupon the said bill was readiler in the Chair. the third time and passed under the resumed the chair, and Mr Butler reditle therrof.

The Senate again resolved itself in-lihe same without any amendment. which the navigation of the Ogecheeri-termined in the negative.

President resumed the Chair, and Mr. The resolution appointing John H [Talbot reported, that they had gone The report was taken up, read and

Whereupon the said bill was read the third time and passed under the title of a bill to be entitled, an act to in-Lair directed by His Excellency the corporate a company for the purpose the mouth of Canouchee to the mouth

All Wood presented a pedition from An act to incorporate the Agric a-John Thomas, while was read

Ordered, that the committee on en-

lency the Governor's Communication The benate resolved itself into a com-liable relates to the resurvey of the

Mr Luigham in the Coair. Mr Presi- The Senate resolved itself into a elect resumed the enair, and Mr Ful-committee of the whole, on the bill to gham reported, that they had gone compel Coroners, Sheriffs, Clerks, Atthrough the same with amendments. stornies, Justices of the Peace and Con-The Schate took up the report stables, to pay over all monies so soon placed in their hands. ported, that they had gone through

tracompattee of the whole, on the Whereupon the bill was taken up. bullet be entitled, an act to incorporate read the third time, and on the questia company for the purpose of impro-on, shall this bill now pass, it was defer the calculation of interest in this stitution; and Mr. Mr Powell in the chair. leave to sit again in June next.

The Senate took up the report which was read and agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into altatives, & was read the first time. sers of fractional surveys and to pre-Wilkinson county. to the state. 'ed leave to sit again.

the table.

morning.

FRIDAY, 7th Dec. 1810. On motion of Mr Barnett,

calculating interest in this state.

Clerk.

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have passed a bill to apportion the Repre-Idered to lie on the table. sentatives among the several counties

The Senate resolved itself into in this state; according to the third ea Committee of the whole, on the bill to numeration in conformity to the 7th paint out a certain and definite model section of the first article of the Con-

They disagree to the amendment President resumed the chair, and Mr made by Senate to the bill to change Powell reported progress and asked the name of Wilkinson county; and he withdrew.

> The Senate took up the Message, and the bill to apportion the represen-

committee of the whole on the bill to They still adhere to their amendment. afford temporary relief to the purcha-made to the bill to change the name of

vent said Fractions from being sold for The Senate took up the report of the the tax thereof until they are paid for committee on the Petition of Peter Mr Rabun in the chair. Kemble, which is as follows:

Mr President resumed the chair, and The committee on the State of the Mr Rabun reported progress and ask-Republic to whom was referred the memorial of Pet: Kemble, praying Ordered that said report do lie on payment for a Wagrant, number seven, issued by Edward Telfair, on the 24th Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow of February, 1786, to Isaac Governeer, Esq. or order, the sum of one thousand two hundred and one pounds. three shillings and four peace three parthings sterme, the same to be charged to the general expenditures, Resolved that the Journal of yester-are of op.nion, that the same is inadday be reconsidered, so far as respects missible at this time, in asmuch as the the bill to point out a difinitive mode of same is not brought in & charged agreeable to the several laws of this state Ordered that the same do lie on the for calling in the outstanding evidences of debt, in order that the same A message from the House of Re-might have been passed to the credit presentatives, by Mr Mr Holt their of the State of Georgia on their settlement of accounts with the General Government; and

The same being read was again or

Mr Lane of Putham presented a pes

ution from James Scott, which was re- Ordered for a committee of the ceived, read & referred to the commit-whole. And tee on Petitions.

A bill for the relief of the Reverend

On motion of Mr Lane (of Putnam,) Charles O Scriven.

Resolved that Henry Branham, Esq. Ordered for a committee of the be, and he is hereby appointed a No-whole.

tary Public for the county of Put- The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole, on the bill to nam.

On motion of Mr Lane (of Wal-laduat Fldred Simplement to plead and practice in the several courts of

Resolved, that the executive ap-Law and Equity in this state. Mr. pointment of Thomas Dimean; as a Earnett in the chair. Mr President Justice of the Inferior court for the testimed the chair and Mr Barnett county of Walton be, and the same is reported, that they lied gone through hereby confirmed; and that folial articles some with above scents

kins be, and he is bereby appointed as The Senter took up the report which Justice of the Inferior court of Wal being read. Mr. Barbeit meted to diston county in the place of Kitt Smill agree to N. T. ander's amendment made removed pr. Committee, which is as lobe ws:

The following bills were severally Provided he shall now the same tax taken up and read the second time, tours, osed on other attendes of the bar

in this state; and the yeas and rows A bill to incorporate a company for being required, are yeas 25, nays the purpose of improving the naviga 12.

tion of Broad r zer. whole.

town.

Ordered for a committee of the bot, & Wood. whole.

political year 1811

whole.

lawful representatives of James Sims, mended, and the bill read the tand and for the relief of Peter H. Col-time and passed under the title thereins.

Those who voted in the affirmative, Cidered for a committee of the are, Messrs, Barnest, Pacon, Butter, Burnett, Byne, Crawford, Davis. Inl-A bill to authorise the Commission-gham, Hardin, Hardie, Ludspeth Johners of the town of Milledgeville to sellston, Lane (of Punnam), Lane (of and dispose of certain lots in said Walton,) Mrt ormick, Park, Pray, Dabun, Remson, Scruggs, Spalding, Tal-

Those who voted in the negative, are A bill to appropriate monies for the Messrs. Ball, Cock, Foster, Griffin, Hardaway, Henderson, Lanier, Little, Ordered for a committee of the Powell, Shepherd, Taliaferro, & Williams.

A bill for the relief of the heirs and The report was then agreed to as alof.

The Senate resolved itself into a up the blank with the whole amount committee of the whole, on the bill to due by the purchasers, it was debe entitled, an act for the relief of No-stermined in the negative, and the yeas ah W Bradley. Mr Park in the chair and nays being required, are yeas 16, Mr President resumed the chair, and nays 18.

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow Pray, Scruggs and Falbott.

morning.

SATURDAY, 8th Dec. 1810.

committee of the whole, on the bill to Shepherd Spalding, Taliaferro, Willi-'be entitled, an act to afford temporary ams and Wood. relief to the purchasers of Fractional Surveys and to prevent said Fractions mended. from being sold for the tax thereof, until they are paid for to the state.

17.

Those who voted in the affirmative, lie on the table. ams and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative, ed to lie on the table. Talbot.

Mr Park reported, that he was instruct- Those who voted in the affirmative are ed to report the further consideration Messrs Barnett, Bacon, Burnett, Byne, of said bill be postponed till June next. Cook, Davis, Griffin, Hardin, Hardie, The report was taken up & 1 greed to Henderson, Hudspeth, Little, Park,

Those who voted in the negative, are Messrs Ball, Brown, Butler, Crawford, Foster, Fulgham, Hardaway, Lane (of Putnam), Lane (of Walton), The Senate took up the report of the Lanier, M'Cormick, Powell, Remson,

The said bill was then read as as

Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Barnett from the joint committee Mr Lanier moved that the first blank appointed to call on the State Commisbe filled with the month of April next, sioners for the Town of Milledgeville, and on the question, it was determined for information relative to the disposiin the affirmative, and the yeas and tion of the monies appropriated by this pays being required, are yeas 18, nays state for building the State-House, reported, which was read and ordered to

are Messrs Ball, Brown, Butler, Craw- He also reported from the commitford, Foster, Fulgham Hardaway, tee who were instructed to report what Hardin, Lane [of Putnam], Lane (of quantity and description of Furniture is Walton,) Lanier, M'Cormick, Remson, requisite to be purchased for the Se-Shepherd, Spalding, Taliaferro, Willi-nate and House of Representative Chambers, which was read and order-

are Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Burnett, Mr. Johnston agreeably to notice in-Byne, Cook, Davis, Grissin, Hardee, troduced a bill to make valid the pro-Henderson, Hudspeth, Johnston, Lit-ceedings of the Clerk of the Superior tle, Park, Powell, Pray, Scruggs and Court of Twiggs County, &c. which was received and read the first time.

On motion of Mr Hudspeth to fill A message from the House of Re-

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk hamed, to draw Grand and Petit Ju Mr. President, fors &

The House of Representatives have no boll to authorize an extra session passed a bill from Senate to repeal and/of the unerior Coart in Pulham counamend some parts of an act to regulately

Tavern and Snopheepers &c. with A bill to and oxize Henry Joles to amendments; and ferent a kerry sumss the Ocones Ri.

The bill from Senate for the relief it is a.

of Mary M'Wilght; with an amend | A bill to ame at an act to make perment.

And they have passed the followings. L'ulaski county.

bills without any amendment; of a Lottery for the purpose of enclo-M. Little deceased. And sing the Burial Ground of Micaway 1 bill to amend the 4th section of an

nutacturing Company.

Church in Liberty county.

tholic Society of Augusta and county the table. of Richmond, &c. &c.

Stephen Joble and isaac Hughes.

A vill to alter an act for the betterlas follows: selection and drawing Grand and Pour "The Committee on the State of the ties of Wayne and Camden.

rents.

roads, so far as respects the opera ion Sturges of the 8th District of Wilkinof said act in the counties of Bryan, Li-son, report, that having maturely deliberty. M'Intosh, Glynn, Camden and berated on the subject matter of differ-Wayne, so far as respects the countylence in the two surveys of the said of Glynn.

Special Jury in cases of Divorce.

ing out the county of Twiggs, and to opinion, that the inundation of the waauthorize the Justices of the Inferior ters on the low grounds, the dead ri-Durts of the several counties therein vers, lakes and lagoons upon the Oak-

furnient the seat of the public buildings

They have passed a bill for the relief A bill to authorize the establishment of John Accloud, and the Admirs of

act, passed 14th December, 1809, to A bill to incorporate the Wilkes Ma-divide the county of Wilkinson; and he withdrew.

A bill to incorporate the Roman Ca-! Ordered, that the message do lie on

Mr. Park called up the report of the A bill for the relief of Wm. Brown, committee on the state of the Republic which was read and agreed to, and is

Jurors, e.c. so far as respects the coun-Republic to whom was confided the duty of reporting upon that part of His A bill to regulate the collection of Excellency the Governor's Communication relative to the survey of John A bill to explain an act regulating Coffee, and that of the resurvey of Mr. district, are of opinion, that from the A bill to prescribe the oath of the satisfactory nature and the respectable lity of the testimony adduced to the A bill amendatory to an act for lay-committee, they are unanimously of

nulgee river has been the entire cause Mr. Sturges; and with respect to the foroducing the difference in the sur-surplus land discovered by the same, recommend the following resolution:

We feel ourselves authorized to Resolved, that the Commiscioners lraw this conclusion specially from the to be appointed to sell the Fractions of estimony of Mr. Gades who declares the 7th district, in Twiggs county, be amon bath that he acard as Marker for directed by law to sell 1614 acres of Molor. Cofice in the stavey of that dis-land, as discovered in the Sth district wiet, and was frequently necessitated of Wilkinson county by re-survey of to wade to his blease in water, and an Daniel Sturges, Esquire. The Year thres to swim, in order as near as a six of Nays being required, are, Yes-

elble to ascertain the margin of the n 21 -- Nays 5.

iver; and in many instances they were. These who voted in the affirmative, at a loss, and indeed found it impeacu-are, Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Ball, gable assuredly to identify the same-Brown, Eurler, Burnett, Byr.e, Cook, This also appears from the report of Crawford, Foster, Fulgham, Harda-Mr. Stewart, who re-surveyed the pre-way, Hardin, Henderson, Mudspeth, mises (a man who we presume is not Lane (of Putnam), Lane (of Walton), liable to suspicion of collusion or im-Länier, Park, Pray, Shepherd, Spaldpropriety); as also from the testimonyling, Talbot, Williams and Wood.

of Mr. Harris, that when Mr. Sturges Those who voted in the negotive, made his re-survey of the said dismet, are Messrs. Griffin, Little, Powell,

the river was uncommonly low; so Scruggs and Tahaferro.

that the dead rivers or cut-ons in the Mr. Henderson from the joint combends of the said river, were either mittee to whom was referred the petidry or did not run. It follows of course, tion of sundry inhabitants of Franklin that the margin exhibited by Mr. Stur-land Jackson counties, praying a new ge's, and that exhibited by Major Cof-scounty, reported, that they had taken fee's survey must be different, and that the same under consideration, and are in many instances arabic land is found of opinion, that the objects of the petibetween their respective marginar lines, tioners cannot be granted without in-

The committee are therefore deci-fringing on the sites of the Publica deally of opinion, that no degree of Buildings in said counties; therefore blane can, or ought to be attached to recommend that the prayer of the Pe-

Ligor Coffee; the rectinde of his conditioners be not granted.

duct in making the survey aforesattlis! Ordered that the report do lie on the indispt. • ile, and his reput alon in that table.

On motion of Mr. Barnett, respect entirely unhanceachable.

We also state with pleasure, that well Resolved, that the General Assemhave entire confidence to me accuracy bly of this state will adjourn sine diewith a resurvey of said district made by on Wednesday next.

The Senate took up the message of navigation to the same.

this day, and the amendments made by | Ordered that the report do lie on the

the House of Representatives to the table.

bill for the relief of Mary M'Wright, The Senate resolved itself into a and to the bill to repeal and amend commutee of the whole on the bill to be some parts of an act to regulate Ta-lentitled an act to authorize the Commisverns and Shop-keepers, were agreedisioners of the town of Milledgeville, to to, and the bills therein mentioned sell and dispose of certain lots in said were severally read the 1st time

Nir Burnett reported, to wit;

Alutamaha into Turde River, have ta-lwas read the third time and passed. ken the matter into consideration, and The Senate resolved itself into a do not healtate to say, in their opinion committee of the whole on the bill to the measure is enurgly practicable, Edbe entitled, an act for the relief of the would redound very much to the inter-heirs and representatives of Jas. Sims, est and convenience of a great part of and for the relief of Peter Collinsthe papulation of this country to have Mr. Pray in the chair—Mr. President a safe place of depend for produce resumed the chair, and Mr. Pray iclumber, merchandice to all or near the ported progress and had leave to set mouth of the Alatamana tiver; but we again. sonceive the bener way of identifying. The Senate resolved itself into a this important object, would be by core-committee of the whole on the bill for missioners from the western part of the relief of John Barnes-Mr. Bynein this state to explore the premises. Welthe Chair—Mr. President resumed the therefore recommend the following re-Chair, and Mr. Byne reported, that

Resolved, that ———— be, and any amendment. they are hereby appointed Commissi- Whereupon the said bill was read oners to explore the inlets of the Ala-the third time and on the question, ramaha and Turtle river, also Sapaloe|shall this bill now pass? it was deterriver, for the purpose of ascertaining mined in the affirmative, and the year the best possible place of deposit for and pays being required, are yeas 21, merchandize, produce, lumber, &c. and nays 11. that they do report thereon upon oath, Those who voted in the affirmative, to the next legislature, and an esti-are Messrs Baron, Burnett, Byne, Damate of the probable expense that maylvis, Foster, Fulgham, Hardin, Hardie,

town. Mr. Davis in the chair. Mr.

President resumed the chair, and Mr.

The committee to whom was refer-Davis reported, that they had gone red a petition for enquiring into the through the bill without any amendpracticability and utility of the planfment. The report was taken up and proposed in making a Canal from the agreed to. Whereupon the said bill

hey had gone through the bill without

axisa from opening and improving the Johnston, Lane [of Pamam], Lane (of

(Walton) Lanier, Park. Pray, Remson made to the bill to be entitled an act to Shepherd, Spalding, Talbot, Taliafer-incorporate a company for the purpose ro, Williams and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative tion of the Ogechee river. are Messrs Barnett, Ball, Brown, Cook, speth, Little, Powell and Scruggs.

The Senate resolved itself into aland Inferior courts of this state. committee of the whole, on the bill to ment.

the third time and passed.

Monday morning.

MONDAY, 10th Dec. 1810.

The Senate repolved itself into nies for the political year, 1811. Taliaferro in the chair. Mr President sit again.

and amend the 4th section of an act. the Ogechee river. passed the 14th of December, 1809, time.

Ordered for a third reading.

Mr. President—The House of Re-county. And presentatives have agreed to some and disagreed to others of the amendments Wood, Byne & Lanier be a committee

of opening and improving the naviga-

They disagree to the amendment Griffin, Hardaway, Henderson, Hud-made by Senate to the bill to define the duties of the Clerks of the Superior

They also disagree to the amendbe entitled, an act to incorporate a com-ments made by Senate to the bill to alter pany for the improving the navigation the name of Wilkinson county, & have of Broad river. Mr Bacon in the chair appointed a confer. committee thereon. Mr President resumed the chair, and They also disagree to the amendments Mr.Bacon reported, that they had gone made to the bill vesting the appointthrough the bill and made no amend-ment of Harbor Master and Health Officer of the port of Savannah, in the Whereupon the said bill was read Mayor and Aldermen of said city, and have appointed a committee of Confer-The Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock|ence on the subject matter of dispute. And they still do disagree to the amendments made by Senate to the bill to be entitled an act for improving the navigation of the Oconee, Alatamaha aland Savannah rivers, and have apcommittee of the whole, on the bill to pointed a committee of Conference on be entitled, an act to appropriate mo-the subject matter in dispute; and he Mr withdrew.

The Senate took up the Message, resumed the Chair, and Mr Taliaferroland resolved that the Senate do adhere reported progress and had leave to to their amendments, made to the bill to be entitled, an act to incorporate a The bill to be entitled, an act to alter company for the purpose of opening

Resolved, that they do recede from to divide the county of Wilkinson, their amendments made to the bill to was taken up and read the second be entitled an act to define the duties of Clerks and Sheriffs, &c.

Resolved, that the Senate do still A message from the House of Re-ladhere to their amendments made to presentatives by Mr Holt, their clerk. the bill to alter the name of Wilkinson

Ordered, that messrs. Barnett,

ments made to the bill to be entitled, do lie on the table. an act vesting the appointment of Har- | The Senate resolved itself into a bor Master and Health-Officer of the committee of the whole on the bill to port of Savannah in the Mayor and be entitled an act for the relief of Chs. Aldermen of said city And

ter and Little be a committee on the chair, and Mr. Crawford reported part of Senate to confer on the sub-progress and had leave to set again, ject matter of dispute relative to said The bill to be entitled an act to afbill; and resolved that the Senate do ford temporary relief to the purchasers still adhere to their amendments madelof Fractional Surveys, and to prevent to the bill for improving the navigation said Fractions from being sold for the of the Oconec, Alamaha and Savan-lax thereof until they are paid for to nah rivers in this state; and

ing, M'Cormick, Lane (of Putnam) was determined in the affirmative, and Griffin, Park, Taliaterro, Johnston & the yeas and nays being required, are Fulgham, be a committee on the part Yeas 17—Nays 17. of Senate to confer on the subject man ter of disagreement between the two are, Messrs Ball, Brown, Butler, Craw-

second time, to wit:

ings of the Clerk of Twiggs county.

Ordered for a committee of the whole; And

relief of John M'Cloud, and the Admin-Hardie, Henderson, Hudspeth, Johnistrators of micaiah Little, dec.

Ordered for a committee of the Scruggs and Talbot. whole.

The Senate resolved itself into a President determined in the affirmative. committee of the whole, on the bill to The report of the committee of the be entitled, an act to apportion the Re-whole on the bill to be entitled an act presentatives among the several coun to point out the mode of electing a Reties in this state, according to the 3d ceiver and Tax-Collector for the sever enumeration in conformity to the se-ral counties of this state, and to repeat venth section of the first article of the the 27th section of an act entitled, an Constitution; Mr. Foster in the chair act to raise a tax for the support of go-Mr. President resumed the chair, and vernment for the year 1805, was taken Mr. Foster reported, that they had up and agreed to. Whereupon the

of conference on the part of Senate. Igone through the bill and made no They also adnere to their amend-amendment. Ordered that the report

Odingsells Scriven; Mr. Crawford in Ordered that Messrs. Spalding, Fos-the chair; Mr. President resumed the

the state, was taken up, and on the Ordered that Messrs Bacon, Spald-question, shall this bill now pass? it

Those who voted in the affirmative ford, Foster, Fulgham, Hardaway, The following bills were read the Hardin, Lane (of Putnam, Lane (of Walton,) Lanier, Powell, Shepherd, A bill to make valid the proceed-Spalding, Taliaferro, Williams and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative, are Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Burnett, A bill to be entitled an act for the Bync, Cook, Davis, Foster, Griffin, ston, Little, Park, Pray, Remson,

There being an equal number, the

committee of the whole on the bill to be situation, and acknowledge the obligaentitled, an act to sell and dispose of tions which this state ought to feel to the Squares and Fractional Parts of those who have been instrumental in Surveys of Land in the 7th district, delivering our country from a foreign formerly Baldwin, now Twiggs county, yoke. Your committee find by an act which remains yet unsold or disposed of the General Assembly of this state, of, and other lots therein mentioned that Officers who served during the bill without any amendment.

Ordered that the report do lie on the recommend the following resolution:

table.

mittee of the whole on the bill to be enti- to Col. John Cunningham, as a gratuithat they had gone through the bill Nays 14. quired, are, Yeas 13, Nays 19.

berd, Spalding, Taliaferro, Williams Wood.

and Wood.

ler, Byne, Cook, Crawford, Davis, mainder of the session after this day. Griffin, Hardaway, Hardin, Hender On motion of Mr. Hudspeth, Powell, Pray, Remson and Talbot.

port to read as follows:

said bill was read the 2d time & passed. The committee sympathize with the The Senate resolved itself into a Petitioner and regret his unfortunate Mr. Foster in the chair. Mr. Presidentlate revolutionary war, were entitled resumed the chair, and Mr. Foster re-to one hundred guineas as a gratuity, ported, that they had gone through the and therefore are of opinion, that the prayer of the petition be granted, and

Resolved, that four hundred & sixty The Senate resolved itself into a com-six 'lollars 18 3-4 cts. be appropriated tled, an act for the relief of the heirs of ty for his services as an officer during James Sims and Peter H. Colling. Mr. the late revolutionary war; which be-Pray in the chair. Mr. President resu-ling read was agreed to; and the yeas med the chair, and Mr. Pray reported, and nays being required, are Yeas 16.

without any amendment. Whereupon Those who voted in the affirmative, the said bill was read the third time, & are, Messrs Barnett, Butler, Crawford, on the question, shall this bill now Davis, Hardin, Henderson, Lane (of pass? it was determined in the nega-Putnam), Lane (of Walton), Lanier, tive, and the yeas and nays being re-M'Cormick, Park, Scruggs, Spalding, Talbot, Taliaferro and Williams.

Those who voted in the affirmative, Those who voted in the negative, are, Messrs. Foster, Fulgham, John-are Messrs. Bacon, Ball, Byne, Cook, ston, Lane (of Putnam), Lane (of Wal-Foster, Fulgham, Griffin, Hardaway, ton), Lanier, Park, Scruggs, Shep-Hudspeth, Johnston, Little, Powell &

On motion; The Honorable John Those who voted in the negative. Burnett and the Hon. John Hardie had are Messrs. Barnett, Ball, Brown, But-leave of absence from Senate the re-

son, Hudspeth, Little, M'Cormick, Resolved, that His Excellency the Governor be, & he is hereby directed to The Senate took up the report on cause to be published in one of the the petition of Col. John Cunningham; Milledgeville Gazettes the bill to be Mr. Barnett moved to amend the re-lentitled, an act to amend the first secltion of the 3d article of the constitutions

Gidered to lie on the table.

Mr. President;

I am instructed by His Excellency Those who voted in the negative, the Governor to inform the Senate, are Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Cook. that he has approved of and signed a Crawford, Davis, Griffin, Henderson, resolution which originated in this Hudspeth, M'Cormick, Powell, Rabranch of the Legislature, stating that bun and Shepherd. the sum of three thousand dollars shall be appropriated to Zachariah Sims out table. of any monies unappropriated, to enable him to carry into operation a Paper Manufactory, upon his giving bond & terday be reconsidered, so far as ressufficient security to His Excellency pects the report of the committee on the Covernor, for the return of said the petition of Col. John Cunningham. money with interest, into the Treasury Ordered, That the same do lie on of this state, at the expiration of three the table. wears next after the said Zachariah Sims shall have received the same.

Ordered to lie on the table.

morning.

TUESDAY, 11th Dec. 1810. On motion of Mr. Barnett,

Resolved, that the Journal of yesterday be re-considered, so far as res-do recede and concur with Senate in pects the bill to afford temporary relief each and every of the amendments to the purchasers of fractional surveys made by Senate to the aforesaid bill. &c.

Ordered that the same do lie on the the table. table.

Journal of yesterday, so far as respects ter of disagreement, on the bill to alter the bill for the relief of the heirs of the name of Wilkinson county, Re-James Sims and Peter H. Collins-ported, and on the question to agree to the That the House of Representatives same, it was determined in the affirmal do recede and concur with Senate. tive, and the yeas and nays being re- Ordered to lie on the table. quired, are Yeas 20—Nays 12.

Foster, E. lyham Hardaway, Harchy,

Johnston, Lanc [of Putnam]. Land A message from His Excellency the (of Walton,) Lanier, Park, Remson, Covernor by Mr. Porter his secretary; Scruggs Spalding, Taliaferro, Talbox Williams and Wood.

Ordered, that the same do lie on the

On motion of Mr. Wood,

Resolved, That the Journal of yes-

Mr. Bacon from the joint committee of conference on the subject matter of disagreement between the two Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow branches of the Legislature, on the bill to be entitled an act, for improving the navigation of the Oconee, Altamaha, and Savannah rivers, in this State,

Reported,

That the House of Representatives

Ordered, That the report do lie on

Mr. Barnett from the joint commit-Mr. Wood moved to reconsider the tee of conference on the subject mat-

The Senate again resolved itself in-Those who voted in the affirmative, to a committee of the whole, on the bill are Messrs Bacon, Ball, Butler, Byne, for the relief of the Rev. Charles O. Mr. Crawford reported that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

The report was taken up, and Mr. hate. Park moved to amend the same by in-10 wit:

authority aforesaid, That the Comp-mendments. troller General of this State be, and he sate issued at Augusta on the 12th amendment. day of November seventeen hundred then Auditor of the State, in favour rendments-And, to the said George Cook another cer ledgeville. tificate for the like amount in lieu therestanding. Provided the said George Cook shall give bond with sufficient ciary acts now of force in this state. security to indemnify the state in case rious or counterfeit.

And on the question to agree to the year 1777 to 1784, and, same, it was determined in the negative, and the year and nays being re-liam Mein; and he withdrew. quired, are Yeas 11. Nays 19.

Those who voted in the affirmative, table. are, Messrs. Davis, Hardin, Lane (of Spalding, Talbot, Taliaferro, Williams the Speaker, the following acts, to wit; and Wood.

Brown, Butler Byne, Cook, Crawford, county of Putnam. and Rabun.

Scriven, Mr. C:awford in the chair. A message from the House of Re-.Mr. President resumed the chair, and presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

The House of Representatives have passed the following bills from Se-

A bill to incorporate the Planter's serting the following enacting clause, Bank of the State of Georgia, & to repeal an act to incorporate the Planter's And be it further enacted by the Bank of the State of Georgia, with a-

A bill to regulate the town of Monis hereby required to receive a certifi-ticello in Randolph county with an

A bill to alter the first section of the and ninety three, by John Wereat 3d article of the Constitution, with a-

of George Cook for eleven handred and A bill to amend an act, to appoint fifty two pounds nineteen shillings & Commissioners for the better regulatithree pence three farthings, and issue on and government of the town of Mil-

They have passed a bill to legalize of, any law to the contrary notwith certain acts of Clerks and Sheriffs, &c. And a bill to amend the several Judi-

They we passed a resolution authe certificate should prove to be spu-thorizing the transcription of the books in the Executive of this state, from the

A resolution on the petition of Wil-

Ordered that the same do lie on the

Mr. Foster from the committee, re-Walton), Park, Remson, Scruggs, ported as duly enrolled and signed by

An act to authorize the Judge of the Those who voted in the negative, Superior Courts of the Ocmulgee disare Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Ball, trict to hold an extra session in the

Fulgham, Griffin, Hardaway, Hender- An act to alter an act, entitled, an son, Hudspeth, Johnson, Lane (of act for the better selection and drawing Putnam), Lanier, M'Cormick, Powell Grand and Petit Jurors for the several counties in this state, passed on the 7th day of December 1805, so far as it

Camden.

Manufacturing Company.

An act for the rehet of Mary M'-Wright.

An act amendatory to an act for laying out the county of Tw ggs, passea 14th December, 1809, and also to en-still disagree to the amendments made able the justices of the Inferior courts by the Senate to the bill for improving of Telfair, Laurens, Wilkinson, Pulas-the navigation of the Ogechee river; & ki and Montgomery to draw Grand Shave appointed a committee of Confer-Petit Jurors for their respective coun-lence, to join such as may be appointed

parts of an act for the better regulationing between the two branches; and he of tavern and shop keepers, and mare withdrew. effectually to present their trading with The Senate took up the message, & slaves, passed at milital geville on the concurred in the appointment of a joint 22d Deember, 1808.

erect a Ferry across the Oconee Niveridaway & Williams be the committee on at or near his landing.

En act to authorize certain commis! sioners therein named to establish ala committee of the whole on the bill to Lottery for the purpose of raising \inf be ϵ ntified, an act to appropriate monies teen hundred dollars, to enclose the political year 1811. Mr. Lanier Burial Ground of Midway Church in the Chair. Mr. President resumed Liberty county.

special jury in cases of divorce.

An act to amend an act entitled, an Ordered that the report do lie on act to make permanent the seat of thelthe table. public buildings in the county of Fulaski; and

ry said acts to His Excellency the Go-court of said county, which being read vernor for his assent.

The Senate took up the message The Senate took up the report of the from the House of Representatives, & committee of the whole on the bill to be agreed to the several amendments entitled, an act apportioning the repremade to the bills contained in said mes-Isentation of the several counties of this cage.

respects the counties of Wayne and The bills from the House of Representatives were severally taken up and An act to incorporate the Wilkes read the first time; and the several reso. flutions concurred in.

> A message from the House of Re. presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; Mr. President;

The House of Representatives de on the part of Schate, to confer on the An act to repeal and amend some subject matter of disagreement exist.

committee of Conference.

An act to authorize Henry Joice to Ordered that Messrs. Wood, Harthe part of Schate.

The Senate again resolved itself into the chair, and Mr. Lanier reported, An act to prescribe the oath of the that the committee land gone through the bill, and made amendments.

Mr. Hardin laid on the table a letter addressed to the President of Senate, An act to regulate the collection of enclosing a statement relative to the public site of the county of Wiikinson, Ordered that the Committee do car-signed by three justices of the Inferior was ordered to lie on the table.

tion, in conformity to the seventh secti | amendment. on of the first article of the Constitution. And

On motion of Mr Barnett,

Jones county, and three be inserted;

presentation of the county of Clark be to point out the place for holding counstricken out and three inserted.

Agreed to. :

Mr Barnett then moved, that at the chair. of north latitude shall be ascertained ments. and the dividing line shall be run;" termined in the negative; and the yeas and nays being required, are yeas the third time and passed. 13, nays 18

and Scruggs.

gham, Hardaway, Hardin, Johnston, being read was agreed to Lanier, M'Cormick, Park, Remson line 3d time and passed. and Wood.

time and passed as amended.

committee of the whole, on the bill to presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk. chair. Mr President resumed the Esq. and he withdrew. chair and Mr Foster reported, that they | Ordered that the Message do lie

state agreeably to the third enumera-had gone through the bill without any

Whereupon the said bill was read the third time and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a Resolved, that the number two belcommittee of the whole, on the bill to stricken out of the representation for be entitled, an act to make valid the proceedings of the late therk of the And that the number two in the re-Superior court of Twiggs county, and ty election of the Superior and Interior courts of said county Mr Cook in the Mr Precident resumed the end of the bill-after the words Walton, chair, and Mr Cook reported, that they two, add "so soon as the 31th degree|bad gone through the bill with amend-

The Senate took up the amendand on the question to agree it was de-ments which were read and agreed to.

Whereupon said bill was read

The Senate took up the report of the Those who voted in the affirmative, committee of the whole, on the bill to are Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Ball, But-be entitled, an act, to sell and dispose ler, Cook, Crawford, Davis, Griffin, of the Squares and Fractional Surveys Henderson, Hudspeth, Powell, Rabun of land, in the 7th district formerly Baldwin, now Twiggs county, which Those who voted in the negative, remains yet unsold or disposed of, and are Messrs. Brown, Byne Foster, Full-other lots therein mentioned, which

Lane (of Putnam), Lane (of Walton), Whereupon the said bill was read

Spalding, Talbot, Taliaferro, Williams The bill to be entitled an act to after and amend the 4th section of an act. The report of the committee of the passed the 14th of December, 1809 to whole being amended and agreed to, divide the county of Wilkinson, was The bill was takenup, read the Sdiaken up read the third time and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a A message from the House of Re-

be entitled, an act for the relief of John Mr President; The House of Re-M'Cloud and the administrators of Mi-presentatives have passed a resolution cajah Little, dec. Mr Foster in the on the application of John M'Kinnon,

on the table.

Finance, reported on the petition of Re-ted. becca T Baldwin widow of Augustin Baidwin, dec. which was read and or-llowing resolution; dered to lie on the table.

Communication from the Commission-authorized and required to place or ers of Confiscated Property including cause to be placed in the hands of the an abstract of their late sales, which proper officer for immediate suit, the was read and referred to Messrs Park, bonds of the Undertakers for building

the juint committee appointed to call on House in a complete manner within the State Commissioners for the town ninety days from this date, and that the of Milledgeville, for information rela-said Commissioners do appoint fit and tive to the disposition of the monies proper persons to value the Stateappropriated by this state for building House, and report the result of that a braie-House, and to obtain informa-jvaluation to the next Legislature; which non why the State-House has hot been report being read, was agreed to. completed agreeably to contract, to wit: On motion;

the result of their enquiry, viz.

ou from the State-Commissioners that Francis Powell have leave of absence they have paid over to the undertakers from the Senate for the remainder of for besiding the State House all the the session after to-morrow. mosay which was confided to their immediate management; but they state morning. that the last appropriation made by the State for building the State-House was incorporated in the appropriation law in layor of Scott and Thomas; there-presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk. fore placed beyond their control or management.

The undertakers for the building the ing bills, to wit: State-House have informed the committee, they have been prevented from porate the Savannah Female Asylum completeing the State House in conse Society in the city of Savannah. quence of the indisposition of the workmen, & several of them have been called known the dividing line between Bulfrom them contrary to their approbati-lock and Montgomery counties; and on. Therefore they beg of the State A bill to be entitled, an act to authoan indulgence of ninety days, at the ex-frise certain Commissioners to lay out a

piration of which, they pledge them-Mr Hardin from the committee on seives the State-House will be complete

The committee recommend the fol-

Resolved, that the State Commissi-Mr. Park laid before the President aloners for the town of Milledgeville be Foster and spalding, to report thereon, the State-House: Provided the said Mr Barnett called up the report of Undertakers do not finish the State-

The committee beg leave to report Resolved, that the Hon. David M's Cormick, the Hon Thomas Bacon, the That they have received informati- Hon. William Davis and the Hon.

Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow

WEDNESDAY, 12th Dec. 1810.

A message from the House of Re-

Mr President; The House of Representatives have passed the follow-

A bill to be entitled, an act to incor-

A bill to be entitled an act to make

to Hartford in the county of Pulaski.

Donald; and he withdrew.

first time.

from the House of Representatives on not otherwise appropriated. the application of John M'Kinnon, Esquire, which was read and agreed

presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk.

Mr President;

&c. and he withdrew.

for the political year 1811.

On motion of Mr Spalding,

ed by inserting to John M'Kinnon, state of Georgia. Esq. 608 dollars, agreeably to a concurred resolution.

On the question it was agreed to. On motion of Mr Davis,

be inserted.

And be it further enacted, That His Excellency the Governor be, and he is

yablic road leading from Milledgevillelgusta and Planters' Banks of this state, in terms of the acts for incorporating They have also concurred in the relithe said banks, passed at the present solution on the petition of Hugh M'-session of the Legislature, and to pay the sums of money which may be re-The Senate took up the Message, quired to be paid by said acts of incorand the said several bills were read the poration, out of any money which may be now in, or which may hereafter The Senate took up the resolution come into the Treasury of this state,

And be it further enacted, That

be, and they are hereby appointed agents on the part of the State Mr Barnett had leave to withdrawlof Georgia, and are hereby authorized the petition of Col. John Cunning-to ask, demand and receive from the United States, such sum or sums of A message from the House of Re-money as may be due this state from the United States, in virtue of a contract and deed of cession, entered into The House of Representatives have between this State and the United passed a resolution authorising His States at the City of Washington, on Excellency the Governor, to sell or the 24th day of April, 1802, by James dispose of any quantity of arms he may Madison, Albert Gallatin and Levi think proper, taking care to keep a suf-|Lincoln, Commissioners on the part of ficient number for the use of the state, the United States, and James Jackson. Abraham Baldwin, and John Milledge, The Senate took up the report of the Commissioners on the part of the State committee of the whole, on the bill to of Georgia; and upon the receipt of be entitled, an act to appropriate monies any money from the United States, upon virtue of the said deed of cession. good and sufficient receipts and dis-Resolved, that the report be amed-leharges to give therefor in behalf of the

And be it further enacted, that the said money, when received by the said Commissioners, shall be transmitted to this state in such way and manner as That the following enacting clause shall be directed by his Excellency the Governor.

On motion of Mr. ——

That the Senate do disagree to the hereby empowered and directed to have first enacting clause, it was determined the shares subscribed for, which have in the affirmative, and the yeas and been reserved for the state in the Au-hays being required, are Yeas Sc.

Nays 9.

Cook, Crawford, Foster, Fulgham, be entitled, an act to amend the 1st. Griffin, Hardaway, Hudspeth, John-section of the 3d art. of the Constitut ston, Lane (of Putnam), Lane (of Wal-on, as pointed out by the 15th section ton, Lanier, Park, Rabun, Remson, of the 4th art. of the Constitution of Spalding, Taibot, Taliaferro, Willi-this state, ams and Wood.

are Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Brown State-House during the night, from & Davis, Hardin, Henderson, McCor-lafter the passing of this resolution, mick, Powell and Scruggs.

nate disagree to the remaining enactivit;

are Messrs. Ball, Brown, Butler, Byne, by requested to pay the said Cuard Cook, Foster, Fulgham, Griffin, Har-quarterly out of the Contingent Funds daway, Henderson, Johnston, Lane (of any usage or custom to the contrary Putnam), Lane (of Walton), Lanier, notwithstanding; and His Excellency' Powell, Rabun, Remson, Scruggs, the Governor is also authorized to pay Spalding, Taliaferro, Williams and the said Officer twenty-five dollars per Wood.

Those who voted in the negative are use of said Guard Messrs. Barnett, Bacon, Crawford. Davis, Hardin, Hudspeth, McCormick Itermined in the negative. Park and Talbot.

propriate monies for the political year's has as expedient, to ameliorate the 1811 was taken up, read the third time, Cranical Code, and passed as amended.

House of Representatives for their and have appointed sub-committees to concurrence to the amendments.

ion requesting His Excellency the Go-report to the Chairman, what progress vernor to have printed the act to amend they respectively shall have made, on the 1st section of the 3d article of the or before the first day of May next; & Constitution, which was amended and he on his part, within twenty days afagreed to, and is as follows:

Resolved, that His Excellency the the whole system conformably to the

Governor be, and he is hereby request. Those who voted in the affirmative, d to cause to be published in one of Ball, Butler. Byne, the Miledreville Gazettes, the bill to

On motion of Mr. Taliaferro,

Those who voted in the negative | Resolved that the Guard kept in the shall receive as a compensation for And on the question shall the Se-their services the following sums, to

ing truses? it was determined in the To the Officer of the Guard tendolaffirmative; and the year and nays be-lars per month, and to each of the priing required, are Yeas 22. Nays 9 | vaics seven dollars per month; and Those who voted in the affirmative, Itis Excellency the Governor is hereannum for furnishing Candles for the

On the question to agree, it was de-

Mr. Barnett from the joint commit-The bill to be entitled, an act to ap-|tee appointed to systematize, digest, &

Reported, that they have divided Ordered that the bill be carried to the the same into different general heads, fill up the abstract thus agreed upon.

Mr. Hudspeth called up the resolu- The sub-committees are directed to ter the receipt of the same, is to compile abstract and reports, and transmit one ons as may remain with His Excellenentire copy to each member of theley the Governor and by him assented cellency the Governor, in conformity nal of Senate. to the concurred resolution of both On motion of Mr. Lanier, branches of the Legislature

the table.

On motion of Mr. Foster,

state-house.

Ordered to lie on the table.

nan, which was read and agreed to.

galize certain acts of clerks and she-on the table. riffs, and to regulate the admission of On motion of Mr. Spalding, read the 2d time.

read the 2d time

Ordered for a third reading.

On motion,

Ordered, that Mr. Rabun be added to the committee appointed to examine the accounte of the members of Senate.

On motion of Mi. Hardin,

Resolved that the President, Messrs rollment, reported sundry acts as dul-

isint committee. They are to re-as to, after the adjournment of the presemble on the 15th August next, final-sent Legislature: and also to examine ly to decide on their report to His Ex the remainder of the engrossed Jour-

Resolved that the Members of the Ordered that the report do lie on Senate and House of Representatives will convened in the Representative Chamber on Thursday next at 110'-Resolved that the Secretary of State clock, for the purpose of electing three and Surveyor General be allowed sta-[Commissioners to sell the equares & tionary in the same mander as is fur-fractional surveys of land, which have nished to the other Officers of the been ascertained by a re-survey, made by David McCord in the 7th district of Baldwin, now Twiggs county.

Mr. Lanier called up the resolution Mr. Park from the committee to appointing Daniel Daley Esq. a Lum-whom was referred the communicatiber-Measurer for the Port of Savan-fon of the Commissioners of Confiscated Property

The bill to be entitled, an act to le- Reported, which was ordered to lic

evidence in the several courts of law Resolved that His Excellency the and equity in this state, so far as re-Governor be requested to draw upon lates to certain papers, was taken up & the Contingent Fund for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, in favor Ordered for committee of the whole of the Chairman of the joint commit-The bill to be entitled, an act to a-tee on the Criminal Code, for the purmend the several judiciary acts now pose of providing paper, and to pay the in force in this state, was taken up & postage that may be necessary on the occasion.

> The Senate adjourned till 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

THURSDAY, 13th Dec. 1310. Mr. Foster from the committee of En-

Wood and Taliaferro be a complete of the presented to & signed by the on the part of Senate to see the great speaker, thich were presented and sessal affixed to such acts and resoluti-verally significant the President.

Ordered that the committee of En-spetween Bullock & Montgomery counreliment do carry said acts to the Office lies. of Secretary of State, and have the big They have passed a resolution re-

Bir. President; the House of Repre-amount of one thousand pounds. sentatives have concurred in the reso- They have passed a resolution on Engion on the petition of South Chiver of the petition of Hompworth Carter. in the resolution authorising the fem- They have passed a resolution and unssioners of Confiscated Property to thorising bills of the banks of Augusta sell all the lands advertised by them, and the Planters' Bank to be received citrate in the Eastern District, at the in payment of taxes. city of Savennah & c.

am W. Strang a Justice of the Interior Inferior court for the country of Frankcourt for the country of Greene.

In the resolution appearing Lenry ett. Branham a Motary Public for the And have passed a resolution that county of Patram.

committee of Firmure, relative to thelilouse of Representatives, to examsurvey of John Coffre and then of theirs the Journal of this House for the re-survey of Daniel Sturges I sq.; in remainder of this session, and see that the report of the count utter on the state the same be accurately engrossed; as of the Republic to whom was referred also to see the great seal of the State the memerial of John Hiti.

ated by this state for building the state-same. house; in the resolution appointing a They have made amendments to the joint committee to examine what pro-sfollowing bills. gress has been made in the Digest. The bill regulating roads, so far as subsequent to that of Marbury and respects the counties of Burke, Jefferson Crawford, and have appointed on their & Richmond. part Mesers. Montgomery, Ware, H. The bill for the regulation of free Blair, Dunwoody and Iverson.

pointing Henry Carlton a Notary Public Sheriffs, &c

for the county of Greene.

They have passed a res, with a sur-Carleton a Notary Public for the county of Greene.

seal affixed to them respectively. | quiring the Treasurer to deliver over A message from the House of Re-bonds to the Commissioners of the A. presentatives by Mr Holtthers esk scademies, who have not received the

They have passed a resolution ap-In the resolution ary sirring Willi-pointing Dudley Jones a justice of the lin in the place of Bazell Jones resign.

Missest Iverson, W Terrell and Clav-In the resolution on the resort of the ton be the committee on part of the laffixed to the Laws passed the pre-

In the resolution relative to the re-sent session which may remain in the port of the committee to enquire into Elecutive Department, and that they the disposition of the money appropri-be allowed threedays to perform the

persons of color.

They have passed a resolution apt. The bill pointing out the duty of

In the resolution appointing Dudley presentatives by Mr Holt their cierk Jones a justice of the Inferior court for the county of Franklin, and in the re-

with the House of Representatives in Inferior courts for county funds. all their amendments made to the several bills contained in said message.

Ordered that the remainder of the Message do lie on the table.

taken up and read the 2d time, viz.

A bill to be entitled, an act to make to lie on the table on the counties.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to be entitled, an act to lay county of Pulaski.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to be entitled, an act to incor-Society in the city of Savannah.

Ordered for 3d reading.

The Senate resolved itself into allows: valid certain acts of Clerks, Sheriffs, ers of Confiscated Property, Report, &c. $M_{\rm F}$. Johnson in the chair. $M_{\rm F}$. ment.

the third time and passed.

was again read and agreed to.

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have solution appointing a committee on passed a bill to authorize the Judges their part to receive the acts, &c. and of the Superior courts to issue execu-Resolved that the Senate do concur tions against delinquent justices of the

> The Senate took up the Message &: the bill was read the first time.

The Senate took up the re-consideration of the Journal, on the bill for the The following bills were severally relief of the heirs of James Sims and Peter H Collins, which was ordered known and establish the dividing line on the question, shall this bill now between Bulloch and Montgomery pass? it was determined in the affirmative.

On mot on of Mr. Barnett,

Resolved, that His Excellency the. out and establish a public road leading Governor do pay out of the Contingent from Milledgeville to Hartford in the Fund the sum of 26 dollars to Elijah Blackshear agreeably to a concurred And resolution.

Mr Park called up the resolution on porate the Savannah Female Asylum the communication of the Commissioners of Confiscated Property, which was lagain read and agreed to, and is as fol-

committee of the whole, on the bill to The committee to whom was referred be entitled, an act to realize and make the communication of the Commission-

That they have had account of sales President resumed the chair, and Mr. before them, and find they have sold to Johnston reported, that they had gone the amount of sixty-eight thousand, frough the bill without any amend-four hundred and fifty-four dollars, and have closed their sales.

Whereupon the said bill was read Your committee therefore recommend the following resolution:

Mr Foster called up the resolution Resolved, that His Excellency the allowing to the Secretary of State and Governor be, and he is hereby request-Surveyor General, Stationary; which ed to sepretain the amount of Commissions due the commissioners of Con-A Message from the House of Re-fiscated Estates for thrus services, and

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that he may cheek the Transurer to Me President: credit the same, on their respective bonds due this state for the amount that the House of Representatives is thereof.

presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk. ballot to the election of three commis-Mr President;

passed the bill from Schate to be entit Baldwin, now Twiggs county, agreea. tled, an act for the more effectually se-bly to a concurred resolution; and he curing the probate of Wills, limiting withdrew. the time for Executors to qualify and The Senate then repaired to there. widows to make their election, &c with presentative floor, and being seated. amendments; and he withdrew.

the amendments were read and agreed in the said concurred resolution, and to.

the Governor, by Mr. Porter his Secre-and William D. Jarratt, were duly etary.

Mr President;

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor to inform the Senate, that helply will adjourn sine die to-morrow has approved of and signed a resoluti morning 9 o'clock; and that the Secreon appointing this day at 11 o'clock tary do immediately wait on the House for the purpose of electing three com of Representatives for their concurmissioners to sell the Squares and rence. Fractional Surveys of land which has been ascertained by a re-survey made presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk. by David M'Cord in the 7th district of Baldwin, now Twiggs county; and help withdrew.

form the House of Representatives, north latitude dividing this state and that the Senate is in readiness to con-North Carolina; and a resolutivene in the Representative Chamber, on providing furniture and carpeting for the purpose of proceeding by joint for the State-House; and he withdrew. ballot to the election of t' ree commis- The Senate took up the Message, sioners to sell and convey the Squares and the resolutions were severally conand Fractional Surveys of land in the curred in 7th district of Baldwin, now Twiggs county.

A Mussage from the House of Representatives by Mr Holt their clerk.

I am directed to inform the Senate. ready to receive them in their chamber. A message from the House of Re-for the purpose of proceeding by joint sioners, to sell the squares & fraction. The House of Representatioes have all surveys of land in the 7th district of

they proceeded by joint ballot to elect The Senate took up the Message & the three Commissioners as specified on counting out the votes it appeared A Message from His Excellency that John Herbert, Samuel Devereux, llected.

On motion of Mr Park,

Resolved that the General Assem-

A Message from the House of Re-

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have passed a resolution appointing Mr El-Ordered that the Secretary do in-lucott to ascertain the 35th degree of

Adjourned till 7 o'clock to morrow morning.

FRIDAY, 14th Dec. 1810. On motion of Mr Walker,

Resolved, that William J Hobby be, and he is hereby appointed a jusresigned.

A Message from the House of Re-mond county; and he withdrew. presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk. Mr President;

The House of Representatives have passed the following bills, to wit:

&c. passed 8th Dec. 1806.

A bill to vest power in the Commis-now ready to adjourn sine die. sioners of Greensboro' to sell and convey certain lands therein mentioned; & Hudspeth and Walker be that commit-A bill to make valid the proceedings tee.

of the clerk of the Superior court of Twiggs county, &c.

They have disagreed to the resoluti-the Speaker the following acts. on appointing William J. Hobby a Justice of the Inferior court of Richmond Jones county. county, in place of John Catlett, Esq. resigned.

They concurred in the resolution in favor of Elijah Blackshear;

They have passed a resolution requesting His Excellency the Governor cheat Laws. to publish the outlines of an act for the Tax-Collector; and he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, & On motion of Mr. Walker,

Resolved, that the Senate still ad-in this state; bere to their resolution appointing W. , of Richmond county;

They concurred in the resolution reto publish the outlines of the act point-lands &c. passed och Dec. 1806. and Tax-Collector.

A message from the House of hepresentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; Mr. President;

The House of Representatives still tice of the Inferior court of Richmond adhere to their disagreement to the recounty, in place of John Catlett, Esq. solution appointing Wm. J. Hobby a Justice of the Inferior court of Rich-

> Ordered that the same lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

Resolved, that a committee be ap-A bill to amend an act to dispose of pointed to wait on His Excellency the the fractional parts of surveys of land, Governor and inform him, that both branches of the General Assembly are

Ordered, that Messrs.

Mr. Foster from the committee reported as duly enrolled and signed by

An act to add part of Putnam to

An act running the dividing line between Montgomery and Tattnall.

An act more effectually securing the probate of Wills, &c.

An act to explain and amend the Es-

An act to incorporate a company to "section of Receiver of Tax Returns & improve the navigation of the Ogechee river &c.

An act for regulating and governing free persons of color coming or residing

An act for regulating and keeping in 5. Hobby a Justice of the Inferior Court replan the public roads &c. in the counties of Burke, Jefferson and Richmond.

An act to amend an act to dispose quiring His Excellency the Governor of the fractional parts of surveys of

ing out the mode of electing Receiver An act to vest power in the Commis desioners of Greensboro' to sell and ec

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An act to make valid the proceedings of the Clerk of Twiggs Superior courtlary acts. &c. which were presented to and signed by the President.

Ordered, that the committee do car-and Bulloch counties. ry said bills to His Excellency the Governor for his assent.

taken up, read the third time and pas-ly &c. sed.

sylum Society of Savannah;

A bill to authorize certain commissi-signed by the President, oners to lay out a public road from Milledgeville to Hartford in Pulaski coun-ry said acts to His Excellency the Goty; and

A bill to make known the dividing line between the counties of Bulloch presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; and Montgomery.

On motion,

paid out of the Contingent Fund, the to wait on His Excellency the Goversum of 40 dols. 50 cts. provided His nor, to inform him that both branches Excellency the Governor should find of the General Assembly are now reahis accounts right, for a balance for dy to adjourn sine die; and have added firewood for the last year.

Representatives, authorising the Trea-sported, that he had waited on his Excurer of the state to receive the bills of cellency the Governor to inform him the Bank of Augusta and the bills of that both branches of the General Ase the Planters' Bank of the state of Geor-sembly were ready to adjourn sine die, gia in payment for taxes.

Mr Foster from the committee on the had nothing further to communicate. enrollment reported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker the followingacts:

James sims and Peter H. Collins.

sylum Society of Sammah &c.

proceedings of the sheriffs, clerks, &c. Senate without a day.

An act to sell and dispose of the frac- Attest,

certain lands therein mentioned; tional parts of surveys in the 7th dist. Baldwin, now Twiggs county &c. .

An act to amend the several judici.

An act to make known and establish the dividing line between Montgomery,

An act to authorize certain Commis. sioners to lay out a road from Mil. The following bills were severally ledgeville to Hartford in Pulaski coun-

An act to apportion the Representa-A bill to incorporate the Female A-tives among the several counties in this state; which were presented to and

> Ordered, that the committee do carvernor for his assent.

A message from the House of Re-Mr. President—The House of Representatives have concurred in the re-Resolved that Zachariah Gray be solution appointing a joint committee

The resolution from the House of Mr. Barnett from the committee reand His Excellency informed them that

a committee on their part.

On motion of Mr. Lanier,

Resolved unanimously, that the hhanks of the Senate be, and they here-An act for the relief of the heirs of by are presented to the honorable Jared Irwin, President thereof, for the In act to incorporate the Female A-lible, prompt, decisive and impartial discharge of the duties of his station.

An act to legalize & make valid the The President then adjourned the

WILL. ROBERTSON, See'r to the Senate.

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State of Georgia.

AT an annual Session of the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, begun and held at the State-House in Milledgeville, on the first Monday, being the 4th day of November, in the year of our Lord, 1811.

MILLEDGEVILLE:

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JANUARY-1812.

Randolph, Charles Crawford. PulaskiEdmun Hogan. Liberty, Daniel Stewart. Bryan, John Pray. Warren, Jeoday Newsom. Thomas Watts. Telfair,Clarke, Zadock Cook.

of their President, and on counting out and were ready to proceed to business; the votes, it appeared that the Honora-which was read and agreed to. ble Matthew Talbot was duly elected, who was conducted to the chair.

their Secretary, and on counting out red to a special committee, consisting of the votes, it appeared that William Ro-Messrs. Johnston, Barnett, Pray, Park bertson was duly elected.

They then proceeded to the choice of or otherwise. Messenger and Door-keeper, and on counting out the votes, it appeared that on to-morrow move for leave to intro-Henry Williams was duly elected Mes-duce a bill to alter the time of holding senger, and Alexander Greene Door-ine Superior courts of Wayne county. keeper.

Mr. Scruggs moved the following resolution;

Resolved, That the Secretary inform the House of Representatives, that the Senate have formed a quorum, have made choice of the Honorable Matthew the House of Representatives, to con-Talbot their President, and William Robertson their Secretary, and are ready hals and Concurred Resolutions, that to proceed to business—which was read may be passed at the present session. and ordered to lie on the table.

ber elect from the county of Bullock, at-part of Senate. tended, produced his credentials, & the usual oam being administered to him by the President, took his seat.

djourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

TUESDAY, 5th November, 1811. member elect from the county of Chatham, attended, produced his credentials, & the usual oath being administer. ed to him by the President, took his seat.

Mr. Scruggs called up the resolution of yesterday, requiring the Secretary to inform the House of Representatives, The Senate proceeded to the choice that the Senate had formed a quorum

Mr. Johnston presented a Petition from a number of the inhabitants of the city They then proceeded to the choice of of Savannah, which was read and referand Leigh, with power to report by bill

Mr. Powell gives notice that he will

On motion of Mr. Byne,

Resolved, that the Senate be governed by the rules of the last session.

On motion of Mr. Jackson,

Kesolved, that a committee be appointd to join such as may be appointed by tract for the printing of the Laws, Jour-

Ordered, that Messrs. Jackson, Doo-The Hon. Sheppard Williams, a mem-key and Owens be that committee on the

On motion of Mr. Rabun,

Resolved, that a committee be-ap-. pointed on Privileges and Elections, and that the returns from the different counties be laid before them.

Ordered, that Messrs. Rabun, Reid and Crawford be that committee.

The honorable James Johnston, at M. Newsom moved for the appoint-

ment of a committee on Petitions.

Cook and Brown be that committe ϵ .

• Mr. Park presented a Petition from John M'Intyre, a citizen of the state of South Carolina, which was read at all re-pointed on the part of Senate, to join ferred to the committee on Petition 13.

he will on to morrow move for the ap-cellency the Governor, and inform him pointment of a committee to report a bili that the General Assembly are now orto alter the first section of the third ar ganized and are ready to proceed to ticle of the constitution.

Mr. Dooley gives notice, that he will on to-morrow move for the appoin | ment | Barnett be that committee. of a committee to prepare and report a bill to alter the second section of the se-· state

On motion of Mr. Byne,

Resolved, That the Executive ap-be and the same is hereby confirmed. pointment of Southworth Harlon as a Justice of the Inferior court of Burke 'signed, be and the same is hereby, con-| Thursday next, at 12 o'clock, in order firmed.

On motion of Mr. Hogan,

Resolved, That James M. Taylor and Murdock M'Leod be, and they are hereof William A Harper, dec'd, and Samu-and the same is hereby confirmed. el Jones resigned.

On motion of Mr. Dooley,

of the Inferior court of the county of the m the State of the Republic. bert Walton and John Lockheart, esqrs. Stewart, Watts (of Washington) Wilson, confirmed.

Mr. Owens gives notice, that he will

on to-morrow move for leave to intro-Ordered, That Messrs. New som, duce a bill for the better regulation of the town of Milledgeville.

On motion of Mr. Scruggs,

Resolved, That a committee be apsuch as may be appointed by the House Mr. Hudspeth notifies the Senate; that of Representatives to wait on His Exbusiness.

Ordered, That Messrs. Scruggs and

On motion of Mr. Hudspeth,

Resolved, that the Executive appointcond article of the constitution of this ment of Hezekiah Luckey as a Justice of the Inferior court of Oglethorpe county in place of John Davenport resigned,

On motion of Mr. Foster,

Resolved, That the Senate will concounty in the place of William Jones re-vene in the Representative Chamber on to elect a Governor, pursuant to the constitution of this state.

On motion of Mr. Cook,

Resolved, That the Executive apby appointed Justices of the Inferior pointment of John Ector as a Justice of court of the county of Pulaski, in place the Inferior court of Clarke county, be,

On motion of Mr. Rabun,

Resolved, That a committee be ap-Resolved, That the Executive ap-pointed on the part of Senate, to join pointments of Thomas Murray, Henry such as may be appointed by the House Jones and John Parks, esqrs. Justices of Representatives to compose a commit-

Lincoln, in place of Newel Walton, Ro- Ordered, That Messrs. Rabun, Park, resigned, be, and the same are hereby Lawson and Liddspeth be the committee on the part of Senate.

On motion of Mr. M'Cormick,

be appointed a Justice of the Inferior Excellency would, on to-morrow at 15 court of the county of Montgomery, in o'c lock, lay his communication before room of Joshua Hightower, esquire, re-bot h branches of the Legislature. signed.

A petition was laid on the table from mo rning. John Darracott, which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their clerk.

Mr. President,

presentatives to inform the Senate, that con stitution. they have formed a quorum, have made choice of the Honorable Robert Iverson Little and Newsom be that committee. their Speaker, and Hines Holt their clerk, and are ready to proceed to busi-

on from Senate, appointing a joint com- of E ffingham county, in place of John mittee to wait on His Excellency the Goldwine and James King, esqrs. re-Governor, and inform him that both signed. branches of the General Assembly are organized and ready to proceed to busi-ported a bill to alter the first section of ness, and have added a committee on the third article of the constitution of this their part—and he withdrew.

On motion of Mr. Foster,

Resolved, That a committee be appose a committee on Finance.

nett, Byne, M'Cormick, Crawford, Wood, for their services, and that he may direct and Johnston be the committee on the the T reasurer to credit the same on their part of Senate.

Mr. Scruggs from the joint committee amount thereof;

lors (anized and ready to proceed to busi Resolved, That Isaac Furguson, esq. ness, and received for answer, that His

Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow

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WIEDNESDAY, 6th November, 1811. Mr. Hudspeth agreeably to notice moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to alter I am directed by the House of Re-the first section of the third article of the

Ordered, That Messrs. Hudspeth,

C'n motion of Mr. Scruggs,

Resolved, That William Bird and John Waldhour, be, and they are hereby They have concurred in the resoluti-lappointed Justices of the Inferior court

> Mr. Hudspeth from the committee restate, which was received and read the first time.

Or a motion of Mr. Dooley,

pointed on the part of Senate, to join Whereas, by a concurred resolution such as may be appointed on the part of of the 15th December 1810, His Excelthe House of Representatives, to com-lency the Governor was requested to ascertain the amount of Commissions due Ordered, That Messrs. Foster, Bar-Ithe Commissioners of Confiscated estates respective bonds due the State for the

reported, that they had waited on His Be it therefore Resolved, That the Excellency the Governor, and informed Treasurer, as soon as possible, lay behim that the General Assembly were fore the Senate a statement of the amount,

department.

Mr. Powell agreeably to notice, intro-

On motion of Mr. Blair,

place of Daniel Blackburn and John Pol-the constitution of this state. lock, esgrs. who refuse to qualify.

On motion of Mr. Harrison,

Resolved, That James Neplen and Francis Hopkins esqrs. be, and they are the room of Robert Watts and Henry in place of David Robinson, dec'd. Harford, removed out of the county.

On motion of Mr. Cook,

ty of Clarke, be, and the same is here-county. by confirmed.

on Monday next, move for the appoint-was ordered to lie on the table. ment of a committee to prepare and re- Mr. Johnston presented a petition rivers.

Mr. Scruggs gives notice, that he will and Powell. on to morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a from performing patrol duty.

Hepworth Carter, which was read and ed, and Jesse Bird resigned.

If sales and expenditures, and the bill referred to a special committee, consistfor extra services if any there be in his ing of Messrs. Stewart, M'Cormick and Stripling.

Mr. Johnston presented a petition fuced a bill to alter the time of holding from a number of the inhabitants of the the Superior courts of Wayne county, City of Savannah, which was read and which was received and read the first referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Johnston, Pray and Blair.

Resolved, That Thomas Brannen & Mr. Dooley agreeably to notice, mov-Thomas F. Lovett, be, and they are ed for the appointment of a committee hereby appointed Justices of the Inferi-to prepare and report a bill, to alter the or court of the county of Scriven, in second section of the second article of

> Ordered, That Messrs. Dooley, Harrison and Hardee be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Byne,

Resolved, That William Stone be, hereby appointed Commissioners of the and he is hereby appointed a Justice of Academy of the county of M'Intosh, in the Inferior court of the county of Burke,

On motion of Mr. Owens,

Resolved, That John W Devereux, Resolved, That the Executive ap-Augustine Harris, and Hubert Reynolds pointment of James Meriwether, as a be, and they are hereby appointed Com-Justice of the Inferior court of the coun-missioners of the Academy of Baldwin

Mr. Rabun from the committee on Mr. Jackson gives notice that he will Privileges and Elections reported, which

port a bill for the improvement of the from Worthington Gale, which was read navigation of the Oconee and Alatamaha and referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Johnston, Scruggs

On motion of Mr Watts (of Telfair.) Resolved, That Noah Perrimore and bill to release persons not owning slaves Benjamin G. Cray, be appointed Justices of the Inferior court of Telfair coun-Mr. Stewart presented a petition from ty, in the room of William Lott remove

On motion of Mr Newsom,

Resolved, That a committee of en of Savannah. rolment be appointed on the part of Se-

Or lered, That Messrs Newsom, Foster and Riban be that committee.

on Monday next, move for the appoint-appointing a committee on the State of ment of a committee to report a bill tolthe Republic, and have added a commitafford temporary relief to the purchasers tee on their part. of Fractional Surveys, and to prevent said Fractions from being sold for the on appointing a committee to contract tax thereof, until paid for to the state

to-morrow move for the appointment of committee on their part. a committee to prepare and report a b.ll to repeal an act to amend an act, to make on appointing a committee on Finance, permanent the site of the public build have added a committee on their ings in the county of Pulaski.

 $M_{\rm F}$ Johnston presented a petition from Ann Houston, of the City of Savannah which was read and referred to the co.x. mittee on Petitions.

Mr Owens gives notice that he was on Monday next, move for the appoint ment of a committee to prepare and re po.t a bill, to authorize the building o a Ware-house at or near the mouth of viz: Fishing Creek, in the town of Milledgeville.

On motion of Mr Hudspeth,

Resolved, That a committee be ap Fellow Citizens of the Senate and pointed to see that the Journal of the present session is correctly engrossed.

Barnett and Powell be that committee.

On motion of Mr Dooley,

in the House of Representatives on Sa sphere of your Legislative functions. turday next, at 12 o'clock, to elect the In addition to that knowledge, I shall

Master and Health Officer for the City

A message from the House of Representances by Mr Holt their Clerk;

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have Mr Foster gives notice that he will concurred in the resolution from Senate,

They have concurred in the resolution for printing the Laws and Journals of Mr Hogan gives notice that he will on the present Session, and have added a

> They have concurred in the resolutipart—and,

> I ney have concurred in the resolutimappointing Thursday next, at 120'clock, for the election of Governor, purmant to the Constitution of this stateand he withdrew.

> The following written communication vas received from His Excellency the Fovernor, by his Secretary Mr Porter,

> > Executive Department. Georgia, ? Milledgeville, 4th Nov'r, 1811. \$

of the House of Representatives.

Assembled from the various sections Ordered, That Messrs Hudspeth, of the state, you are, it is presumed, possessed of a correct knowledge of the wishes and wants of your constituents, Resolved, That the Senate will meet in all such matters as come within the Attorney General of the State, Harbour-proceed to lay before you some account

my administration for the political expect will be in a few days, it shall be ir last past, and suggest some mea-limmediately laid before you.

merit your serious consideration. their opinion of its accuracy & plan. ty over the case.

y of March next.

have received his final report, which I state. I recommend a revision of that

les of a general tendency, which I I have also received through our Reimportant, and which in my opini-presentatives in Congress, the decision of the House of Representatives of the soon after the adjournment of the last United States, on the memorial of this on, Augustin S. Clayton, esq. report-state presented to that body on the subthe Executive Departmenta Compi liect of our boundary on North-Carolina, on of the Laws & Resolutions of this by which it will be seen, that the state is to passed from the year 1800 to the referred to judicial interposition for a dear 1809 inclusive; and I referred the cision of her right; Congress disclaiming me to four Commissioners to report to any authority in a Legislative capaci-

neir report being satisfactory, I ratified | Agreeably to an act of the last sessie compilation, and the work is now in on, the Commissioners appointed for that e press, and is to be delivered at this purpose, sold at this place the lots and we by contract on or before the first fractional surveys in the seventh district of Baldwin, now Twiggs county; and Under a concurred and approved re-three other lots particularly specified in lution of the 15th of December last, I the law. The payment of the nett prorote to the Executive of North-Caroli-ceeds, amounting to the sum of twentyy requesting that state to co-operate eight thousand nine hundred and eighth Georgia in a further endeavor tolty-eight dollars, has been secured in certain the 35th degree of North lati-|terms of the law, for which the bonds are ie; to which request I received a po-now in the Treasury. Several other ive refusal on the part of that State. lots have been reported as recovered unthe same time I wrote to Andrew der the act passed the 22d December, flicott, esq. and enclosed him a copy 1808, entitled "an act to point out the that part of the resolution which de- of rendering void all grants, or gnated him as the artist this state wish- "other proceedings founded on false or 1 to employ, and requested him to "fraudulent returns, made by persons me on as soon as convenient, as Geor-" not entitled to draws in the late land in was desirous of ascertaining the "lotteries in this state, & to repeal an act oint of controversy for her own satis- "passed at the last General Assembly ktion, in case North Carolina refused "on that subject," which remain withco-operate. Mr. Ellicott, after con-out any further proceeding being taken, Merable delay, occasioned as he states, in consequence of the want of a provisiy unavoidable circumstances, arrived, on in the law directing the steps to be and is now employed in ascertaining taken after a division by the County the long disputed point. When I shall Surveyor between the Informer and the law so far at least as to embrace that ob-Senate and Representative Chambers ject

House have caused to be made, agreea Treasury will exhibit a clear view of the bly to a resolution passed at the last ses-expenditures of the year, and the Trea sion upon that subject, a number of surer's Abstract will, in like manner. desks and chairs for the accommodation exhibit the amount of revenue received of the members of each House. The within the same period. carpeting I caused to be purchased Of our public debt, the sum of one under the provisions of the same resolu-hundred and fifty nine thousand and pattern could not be procured to cover ven twelfths cents, has been received at the whole floor, and I therefore deter-the Treasury. This sum has been paid mined to cover the avenues between the principally in State Troop Bounties and desks and the vacant space in front of Funded Certificates. But few of We. the President and Speaker's seats.

partment from the year 1777 to the year dium of the emission of 1786, no ade-1784 inclusive, have been transcribed quate provision has as yet been made into new books, as contemplated by the for its redemption; a circumstance which Resolution of the 10th of December last. I presume must have escaped the atten-I suggest the propriety of passing a law tion of the Legislature when the law was authenticating and making valid the passed for the redemption of our other transcript in lieu of the original records debts. The fund originally pledged for

this Communication will be found a list lands in the Tallassee county, which of Executive appointments made during the State having lost by the Treaty of the recess, which are subject to Legisla-New-York, entered into by the United tive interference.

the sum of twelve thousand, nine hun-fund for the redemption of that debt. dred and twenty-four dollars sixty-six! Permit me to direct your attention to and a half cents, has been drawn, leaving that part of the act, passed at the last a balance of two thousand and seventy-session, incorporating the Bank of Aufive dollars thirty-three & an half cents, gusta, which reserves for the State the yet in the Treasury. The drafts on right of subscribing for fifty thousand this fund have been larger this year dollars of the Capital of their Stock. The than the year preceding, in consequence period within which that subscription of the expence attending the compilation must be made will expire on the first day and contract for printing our Laws and/of January next, & the advantages of be-

and the employment of Mr. Ellicott, &c. The Commissioners of the State- The Abstract of Warrants drawn on &

A sufficient quantity of any one eighteen dollars, twenty-seven and elereats audits have been received; and The old records of the Executive De-the small sum now out of the paper me-Among the documents accompanying the redemption of this debt, was the States with the Creek Indians, she was Of the contingent fund for last year, bound in good faith to provide another

Resolutions; the arrangements in the ling original subscribers to the Stock of

an active and well managed Bank are solution of a plan for arming our miligreat, that I recommend to your serious tia. I have heretofore stated it as my consideration, the propriety of authoriz-opinion, and the more I reflect on the Ing the subscription to be made; and at subject, the more am I confirmed in the future day, if the funds necessary to accuracy of that opinion, that all atdo this should be wanted for any public tempts at training and disciplining men, purpose, the stock can, no doubt, be then will be ineffectual until they have arms

sold to good account.

any present, pension, office or emolu-mand his respect. its adoption: it is, therefore, submitted quired by law. without comment.

proposed have been adopted.

on to the all-important consideration and piece. Under a Resolution passed on

lin their hands: arms are the first grand I have received from the Secretary requisite. And I will only now add that, of State of the United States, a Resolu-lin the present critical situation of our tion bassed by Congress during their country, we are almost wholly unprelast session, proposing an amendment to pared to engage in any military enterthe Constitution of the United States, in prize, even of a defensive kind, and yet the words following, viz. " If any ci-it is uncertain how soon we may be intizen of the United States shall accept, volved. Our weakness will invite agclaim, or receive, or retain any title of gression, whereas in a state of prepara-Nobility or honor, or shall, without the tion, we would at least impose upon an consent of Congress, accept or retain enemy the necessity of caution, and com-

ment of any kind whatever, from any Our Cavalry are, with a few excepti-Emperor, King, Prince, or Foreign pow-lons, destitute of the necessary equiper, such person shall cease to be a citi-nents to enable them to take the field, zen of the United States, and shall be in case any emergency should require incapable of holding any office of trust them to do so, and the heavy expence of or profit under them, or either of them." those equipments, has a serious tenden-The propriety, and, indeed, necessity of cy in retarding their enrollment, by which this amendment, is too obvious to need many of the Companies are very far inany recommendation of mine to induce ferior in point of number, to what is re-

Our Artillery are nearly in the same I have also received communications situation. The certain and contingent from most of the Executives of the se expence attending the maintenance of a veral States, announcing the rejection of Company of Artillery, is such as to put the proposed amendments to the Con-lit out of the power of any one who is stitution of the United States, by the not possessed of considerable resources states of Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, to engage as members. The hardy laand Virginia, severally; from which it bouring class of our citizens are unable appears that neither of the amendments to bear this expence, and hence we see how few of our Companies now estab-Permit me again to call your attenti-lished are able to man even one field

the 15th December, 1809, I issued an of Artillery as have, or may hereafter order to the late Quarter Master Gene-have, their legal compliment of men in ral, Col. Hammond, to procure two brass uniform, in order to provide ammunitipieces of three pounds calibre; and his on and the necessary articles used in report will show, that after diligent en the laboratory. And that similar provisit quiry, pieces of that size could not be ons be made for the purchase of swords. had, unless east by special instruction pistols and carbines, for the equipment Four pounders could have been procur-of the Cavalry. ed at several places, and as they are un- I am impelled by a sense of duty to a. questionably the size which would be gain eall your attention to the opening more useful than smaller ones, I have & improvement of the navigation of our declined ordering three pounders to be Rivers and Public Roads, and the revicast until I should have an opportunity sion of our Criminal Code. Having of representing to you the facts, in order stated my reasons for urging these imthat you may, if you think proper, change portant considerations on the attention the Resolution from three to four pound-of the Legislature upon a former occareport is a statement of the expence, by the necessity of repeating them now. which it appears, that the carriages, &c. Their usefulness and importance is ewill cost full as much as the field pieces, vident to every man of observation, and and upon enquiry I find, that the same that being the case, there can be no reaarticles can be made here for little more soning necessary to induce their adoptithan one half of what they will cost, if on. What progress the committee and made to the northward and imported pointed by the last Legislature, have here. It will also be seen that the high made in the revision of the Criminal price of those articles compelled me to Code during the recess, I am unable to confine myself, for the present, to the state, having received no report from purchase of two pieces only, although them; but I doubt not, but that they have the Resolution contemplates more, since given it a due portion of their attention. they were to be paid for out of the con-Should their labors, however, be incomtingent fund, which has been subject to plete, and a work of that magnitude be the payment of so many large sums dur-considered as requiring more time than ing the past Political year, that I was fear-an individual can be reasonably expectful of making engagements with which ed to bestow without compensation, I I should be unable to comply. I there-have been furnished with proposals fore take the liberty of recommending which I am requested to lay before you a revision of the Resolution upon this by a Gentleman of the Bar of talents and subject, so as to authorize the purchase learning, who will undertake to digest of four pounders in place of three's. - our Criminal Law for a stipulated com-I also recommend that some provision pensation. When the committee have be made for the aid of such Companies reported, and the subject is again before

Accompanying Col. Hammond's sion similar to the present, precludes

you, then will be the proper time for have been formed ten years ago. Comthe presentation of the memorial of the bined with this subject, the raising of gentleman alluded to.

cuting the plan proposed.

to in consequence of the aggressions am, that a small fund judiciously aptonsequence has resulted to the peo-ment of domestic goods. quantity manufactured in almost every ficial to both. Tamily in the state, during our embar- Upon the present situation and pros-

sheep is also an object highly worthy On the subject of inland navigation me attention and encouragement of the by Canals, the state of New-York have Legislature. The increase of our passed a law for the purpose of open flocks, and the improvement of their sing a communication between the great wool, will warrant the expectation shat Lakes and the Hudson river, and the with reasonable encouragement by the Commissioners appointed and named Legislature to excite emulation, we in that law have addressed me a letter could, in a short time, become wirely accompanied by a copy of the law, and independent of importation for all our requested that I would communicate it coarse goods. This would be so deto you for the purpose of obtaining sirable a state of things that I cannot your concurrence or assistance in exe-forbear soliciting your attention to the subject. I will not presume to suggest Among the various privations and the plan which would be most likely to Embarrassments we have been subject effect this desirable end, but certain I

of the belligerent European nations plied could not be better employed than upon our neutral rights, one happy in promoting the increase and improve-

Ple of this country, and that is, it has With our red neighbours, the Creeks. been the means of promoting domestic|the usual intercourse has been mainmanufactory. In many parts of the ained. It is not long since a deputation middle and eastern states a great vari-from the Lower Creeks, accompanied by ety of articles of the first necessity in Col. Hawkins and Mr. Barnard, called bur domestic consumption are manu-at this place to assure the government factured of as good or better quality, of their friendly and amicable dispositiand can be sold as cheap as any of the on towards the State. A road is now same kind ever imported, and although opening through their nation from Fort we, locally speaking, cannot boast of Hawkins on the Ocmulgee river, to the much improvement in this particular. Mobile, which, it is expected, will be yet some laudable and praiseworthy en-completed in about twenty days from deavours have been made, particular-this time. Thus a direct communicaly in Wilkes county, where a compa-tion, by which carriages of every deny of gentlemen have associated for the scription can pass, will be opened and purpose of establishing a manufactory established between us and our breof cotton cloth; but the increase of the thren on the Mississippi, highly bene-

rassments, has been greatly beyond the pect of our foreign relations, I mean of most sanguine anticipations that could the General Government, I shall forbear to comment. are now in session by a call of the Exe-to the Constitution of the United States: cutive, the destinies of the nation are and the document containing In the various conflicts between the belligerents, wherein our Col. Hammond, Quarter Master Gerights and interests have been involved, neral, directing him to purchase for the the President has done his duty faith-state, Brass Ordnance, and his refully to the nation; and I have the port thereon, be referred to the comfullest confidence that Congress will mittee on the State of the Republic. discharge theirs.

Confident in the undivided energy|ments do lie on the table. and strength of our nation, having no views but such as are sanctioned by the address from Col. Thomas P. Carnes. dictates of justice & national honor, and to wit; aided by an all-wise and kind Providence, we can patiently await, and we ought to be prepared, to meet the worst that can result from the ambition, the tyranny, or the lawless aggression of any of the European powers.

verse may so guide and direct all our pains during the past year, to collect efforts in the discharge of our public and reduce into form, Reports of Judiduty, that the result may be for the ho cial cases decided in the Superior nor, the happiness and prosperity of courts of the Oakmulgee and Western our beloved country, is the sincere Districts of this state, and flatters himprayer of your devoted fellow-citizen.

D. B. MITCHELL.

Which being read, together with the useful and satisfactory, and might have several documents; Ordered, That the a tendency of proving a necessity of document containing warrants drawn|producing an uniformity of decisions on the Treasury for the Political year throughout the several districts of the 1811, be referred to the committee on state, than which nothing that apper-Finance.

a copy of a letter from certain Com-in this state have been applied to for missioners appointed by the state of the purpose of having those Reports New-York, for the purpose of provi-printed. But the price of striking of ding for the internal navigation of said seven hundred and fifty copies (a quanstate, to the Governor of Georgia;

To Congress, who Resolution, proposing an amendment

The copy of an Executive order to

Ordered, That the remaining docu-

Mr. Dooley presented the following

GEORGIA.

To the Honorable the Speaker, and members of the House of Representatives of the State of Georgia.

The undersigned respectfully re-That the Almighty Ruler of the Uni. presents, That he hath taken some self that if they could be published and distributed throughout the state, they might be found in some degree, both tains to our courts of Justice could be That the documents which contain more desirable. Several printers withuity which it is presumed might be im-The document containing a copy of almediately disposed of) is a sum not within the reach of the undersigned; and for that cause, he is solicitous that his labours, if they are found to con-he is hereby appointed a Lumber Meatain any merit, should be under the pa-surer for the county of Bryan. tronage of the Legislature of his country. The undersigned will be gratifiand if the work is found to be worthy signed. the attention of the Legislature, it believes, be reasonably rejected which is most respectfully submitted

THO's P. CARNES.

Milledgeville, 6th Nov. 1811.

Which was read and referred to a special committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Dooley, Park and Stewart be that committee.

A letter from George R. Clayton, esq. Treasurer, was laid on the table, which was read and referred to a special committee.

... Ordered, That Messrs. Barnett, Dooley and Foster be that committee ... Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

-00000000-THURSDAY, 7th November, 1811.

third article of the Constitutionwas tak-learnestly regret the unfortunate condien up, read the second time, & ordered tion of the petitioner, yet his claim is

on Monday next, move for the appoint-compelled to reject, and therefore the ment of a committee to prepare and re-prayer of the petitioner ought not to be port a bill, to make permanent the site granted—which was read, and ordered of the public buildings for the county to lie on the table. of Wilkinson.

On motion of Mr. Pray,

Resolved, That Joseph Hill be, and

On motion of Mr. Pray,

Resolved, That Lee Blacksill be, and ed in meeting a delegation from each|he is hereby appointed a Justice of the branch of the General Assembly, to Inferior court for the county of Bryan, whom he will submit the manuscript, in the room of Patrick Houston, re-

Mr. Scruggs agreeably to notice will be offered to the government on moved for the appointment of a comsuch terms as cannot, as the udersigned mittee to prepare and report a bill to re-All lease persons not owning slaves from performing patrol duty.

> Ordered, That Messrs. Scruggs, Barnett and Williams be that committee.

Mr. Jackson presented a petition from Daniel Butler, which was read and referred to the committee on Petitions.

Mr. Watts (of Telfair) gives notice that he will on Monday next, move for the appointment of a committee to report a bill to make permanent the site of the public buildings in Telfair county.

Mr. Newsom from the committee on Petitions reported on the petition of John M'Intyre as follows, viz.

The committee to whom was referred the petition of John M'Intyre, beg leave to report, that they have had the The bill to alter the first section of the same under consideration, & altho' they for committee of the whole on to-morrow, one among those which the State has Mr. Jackson gives notice that he will long since in justice to its citizens been

A message from His Excellency the

Governor by Mr. Porter, his Secretary, the Directors of the Oconee River was received, inclosing the resignation navigation, which was read and referof Oliver Skinner, esq. Solicitor Gene-red to a special committee consisting neral for the Western Circuit.

a number of the inhabitants of Wayne will on Monday next, move for the and Glynn counties, which was read appointment of a committee to prepare and referred to a special committee, and report a bill to continue in force an consisting of Messrs. Powell, Willson act, to give further time to the fortunate and Hardee.

Mr. Hogan agreeably to notice moy-take out their grants. ed for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to repeal presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; an act, to amend an act, to make permanent the site of the public buildings in the county of Pulaski.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

Joseph S. Pelot, James White and Jo-stion—and he withdrew. seph Miller be, and they are hereby appointed Notaries Public for the coun-presentative Chamber, and being seatby of Chatham.

on to-morrow move for the appointment out the votes, it appeared that His Exof a committee to prepare and report a cellency David B. Mitchell was rebill to amend and consolidate the se-elected. veral Militia Laws of this State, and to adapt the same to the act of the Con-ber and took their seats. gress of the United States.

On motion of Mr. Dooley,

Derracott, esq. laid on the table yes on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock, for the terday, be referred to the committee on purpose of electing a Quarter Master Petitions.

The Honorable William Jones, a Abner Hammond, resigned. member elect from the county of Jones attended, produced his credentials, and presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; the usual oath being administered to Inm by the President, took his seat.

of Messrs. Park, Reid and Brown.

Mr. Powell presented a petition from Mr. Newsom gives notice that he drawers in the late Land Lotteries to

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President;

I am directed by the House of Representatives, to inform the Senate that Ordered, That Messrs. Hogan, Law-they are now in readiness to receive son and Sheppard be that committee. | them in the Representative Chamber, for the purpose of electing a Governor Resolved, That Mossman Houston, of this State, pursuant to the Constitu-

The Senate then repaired to the Reed, proceeded by joint ballot to the e-Mr. Pray gives notice that he will lection of Governor, and on counting,

They then returned to their Cham-

On motion of Mr. Foster,

Resolved, That the Senate will con-Ordered, That the petition of John vene in the Representative Chamber General of this State in place of Col,

A message from the House of Re-

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have Mr. Park presented a petition from appointed a committee on their part,

sonate, to wait on His Excellency the Port of Savannah. Governor and inform him of his re-ap- Mr. Newsom from the committee on pointment—and he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, and ladded on their part, Messrs. Barnett, red the petition of Daniel Butler have

M'Cormick and Owens.

the Governor to inform him of his re- be granted. election, Reported, That they had discharged that duty, and received for the same being read, was agreed to. answer, that his Excellency would be in readiness to qualify to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

morning.

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Friday, 8th November, 1811.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be en-dens for the Port of Savannah. tified an act, to alter the first section of progress, and asked leave to set again. Congress of the United States.

The Senate took up the report,

which was read and agreed to.

Mr. Watts (of Washington) gives committee. flotice that he will on to morrow move Levi Bright and Sarah his wife.

Mr. Johnston from the committee re-lass and Jane his wife. ported a bill to amend an act, to incorporate the Planters' Bank of the State of Georgia, which was received and pead the first time.

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

John Chub be, and are hereby ap place of Barnes Holloway and Simeon

b join such as may be appointed by pointed Lumber Bleasurers for the

Petitions, reported as follows, to wit:

The committee to whom was referhad the same under their consideration, Mr. Barnett from the joint committee and after due examination, think the appointed to wait on his Excellency same unreasonable, and ought not to

The Senate took up the report, and

On motion of Mr. Blair,

Resolved, That Thomas Green and Thomas Shields be, and they are here-Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow by appointed Lumber Measurers for the City and Port of Savannah.

Mr. Johnston gives notice that he will on to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to appoint Port War-

Mr. Pray agreeably to notice moved the third article of the constitution of for the appointment of a committee to this State—Mr. Wood in the chair; report a bill to amend and consolidate Mr. President resumed the chair, and the several Militia laws of this state, Mr. Wood reported that they had made and to adapt the same to the act of the

> Ordered, That Messrs. Pray, Stewart, Dooley, Byne and Wood be that

Mr. Crawford gives notice that he for leave to introduce a bill to divorce will on Monday next, move for leave to introduce a bill to divorce John Doug-

On motion of Mr. Reid,

Resolved, That the Executive appointments of Armstead Richardson & Wiley Abercrombie as Justices of the Resolved, That William Lorel and Inferior court of Putnam county, in

Holt, esgrs. resigned, be, and the same is hereby confirmed.

 Λ message from the House of Repre sentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk;

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have passed a resolution appointing Lumber Measurers for the county of M Intosh of the Inferior court of Scriven county;

A resolution appointing Commissi-

oners for Wayne county;

A resolution confirming the Executive appointment of a Justice of the In-of the Inferior court of Clarke county: ferior court of Morgan county;

tive appointment of a Justice of the In-lty; ferior court of Jefferson county;

the Inferior court of Camden county; |county;

A resolution appointing a Vendue Master for the town of Jefferson indice of the Inferior court of Montgome-Camden county;

A resolution appointing a Venduc Master for the City of Augusta;

A resolution appointing Justices of the Inferior court of Jackson county;

Public or the county of Chatham;

A resolution appointing a Notary Public for the town of Darien and coun-day next at 12 o'clock, for the election ty of Muntosh;

Master for the town of Milledgeville, & City of Savannah, with an amendment

A resolution appointing a joint com—and he withdrew. mittee to enquire into the present state of the University of Georgia.

ing resolutions from Senate;

Saturday next proceed to the election ham, which was ordered to lie on the of Quarter Master Ceneral;

In the resolution appointing Justice's

In the resolution appointing Commissioners of the M'Intosh county Act lemy;

In the resolution appointing Comwissioners of the Baldwin county Aca.

In the resolution appointing Justices.

In the resolution appointing Justices of the Inferior court of Burke county;

In the resolutions appointing Justices

In the resolution appointing Justices A resolution confirming the Execu- of the Inferior court of Effingham coun-

In the resolution appointing a Justice A resolution appointing a Justice of of the Interior court of Oglethorpe

> In the resolution appointing a Jusry county;

> In the resolution appointing Justices of the Inferior court of Lincoln county;

In the joint resolution appointing a lioint committee on enrollment, and A resolution appointing a Notary|have added a committee on their part; land,

In the resolution appointing Satur, of Attorney General of the State, Har-A resolution appointing a Vendue bor Master and Health Officer for the

The Senate took up the message, and the several resolutions from the They have concurred in the follow-House of Representatives were concurred in, except the resolution appointing In the resolution that they will only Notary Public for the county of Chattable.

They added a committee on their of the Inferior court of Telfair county; part, consisting of Messrs. Scruggs, Dooley and Park, to join the commit-scellency the Governor elect-and he ke appointed by the House of Repre withdrew. tentatives, on the resolution to enquire ty of Georgia.

will on to-morrow move for the ap-lagain returned to their Chamber, and pointment of a committee to report a hill, to authorise Col. Pascal Harrison morning. to erect a toll bridge across the Oconee river, at or near the mouth of the Appalachee river.

Mr. Owens gives notice that he will on Monday next, move for leave to

Mr. Newsom from the committee on Militia Laws of this state. petitions Reported on the petition of John Derrecote, as follows, to wit;

petitioner is unreasonable and ought greed to; not to be granted.

which was read and agreed to.

A message from the House of Re-lunanimously in the affirmative. Presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk;

11 Mr. President;

I amdirected by the House of Re-Mesentatives to inform the Senate that they are now in readiness to receive them in the Representative Chamber seigh be added to that committee. In the purpose of qualifying His Ex. The following bills were severally

The Senate then repaired to the Reinto the present state of the Universi-presentative Chamber, and the oath of office being administered to His Excel-Mr. Brown gives notice that hellency by the President of Senate, they

Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow

Saturday, 9th November, 1811. On motion,

Ordered, That Mr M'Cormick be introduce a bill to levy an extra tax added in place, and at the request of in Baldwin county, for the purpose Mr. Wood, to the committee appointed of erecting a court-house in said coun-yesterday to prepare and report a bill, to amend and consolidate the several

The Senate again resolved itself into la committee of the whole on the bill to The committee to whom was refer-latter the first section of the third artited the petition of John Derrecote, begicle of the Constitution of this state, Mr teave to report, that they have had the Byne in the chair; Mr President rename under consideration, and upon sumed the chair, and Mr Byne from due reflection, are of opinion, that to the committee reported that they had grant the said petitioner's request, gone through the same with an amendwould be attended with evil conse-ment. The Senate took up the requences, Therefore the prayer of the port, and the same being read was a-

Whereupon the said bill was read The Senate took up the report, read the 3d time, and on the question, shall this bill now pass, it was resolved

> Mr Pray presented a petition from a number of the citizens of Savannah, which being read, was referred to the committee, to whom was referred a counter petition on the instant.

Ordered, That Messrs. Stewart and

taken up and read the 2d time, to wit ha Justice of the Inferior court

A bill to amend an act, to incorpo rens county, in place of John rate the Planters' Bank of the State of resigned, be and the same is Georgia.

Ordered for committee of the whole -and,

A bill to alter the time of holding|which was read and referred the Superior courts in Wayne county | committee on petitions.

Ordered for a third reading.

On motion,

Ordered, That Messrs. Jackson and Johnston be added to the committee to prepare and report a bill, to revise, a-passed a resolution confirming t. mend and consolidate the several Mi-ecutive appointment's of Justices litia Laws of this state.

Mr. Watts, (of Washington) agreeably to notice introduced a bill, to di-pointing a committee on their p vorce Levi Bright and Sarah his wife, join such as may be appointed which was received & read the 1st time. nate, to enquire into the propr

Mr Watts (of Washington) gives passing a law for the alleviation notice that he will on Monday next, condition of debtors—and, m are for leave to introduce a bill, to alter the realits of cortain persons there-on their part, to join such as ma in named.

Mr Johnston agreeably to notice prepare and report a bill, to rev moved for the appointment of a com |consolidate the several road la mittee to prepare and report a bill, to this state—and he withdrew. appoint Port Wardens for the Port of The Senate took up the me: Savannah

Ordered, That Messrs. Johnston, ons therein contained, and addeday Stewart and Pray be that committee.

Mr Brown agreeably to notice mov-tion to enquire into the proprict ed for the appointment of a committee passing a law for the alleviation ¹ to prepare and report a bill, to autho-condition of debtors, consisting rise Col. Pascal Harrison to erect a Messrs. Scruggs, Barnett, Jack toll bridge across the Oconee river, at Hudspeth and Hardee. or near the mouth of the Appalachee.

Ordered, That Messrs Brown, Park part, on the joint resolution to r and Reid be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard,

Resolved, That Benjamin Chairs, Powell, Lawson and Wood.

confirmed.

Mr Hogan presented a petiti sundry inhabitants of Pulaski

A message from the House presentatives by Mr. Holt their

Mr. President;

The House of Representative Inferior court of Warren county

They have passed a resoluti

A resolution appointing a com lappointed on the part of Sent

and concurred in the several res mittee on their part, to the joint r

They added a committee on and consolidate the several road; of this state, consisting of Messrs.

esq. be, and he is hereby appointed as A message from His Excellence

orter his Secretary for this state.

n this branch of the the has approved of o'clock. ! ution stating that the y convene in the Rember at the hour or e purpose of electing eral of this state, Soli-

dent;

in readiness to receive be that committee. 5 Health Officer for the Cook and Little.

ed by joint ballot to said dential election. larbor Master; and Doctor United States.

The Senate again returned to their His Excellency the Chamber and took their seats.

Adjourned 'till Monday morning 10.

Monday, 11th November, 1811.

On motion of Mr. Hardie,

Resolved, That Stephen W Moore the Western Circuit, be, and he is hereby appointed Vennd Health Officer for due Master for the town of St. Mary's annah, and a Quarter in the county of Camden.

of this state—and he Mr Watts (of Telfair) agreeably to notice moved for the appointment of a om the House of Re-committee to prepare and report a bill, y Mr. Holt their clerk; to make permanent the site of the pub. lic buildings of Telfair county.

d by the House of Re- Ordered, That Messrs. Watts (of o inform the Senate, that Telfair), M'Cormick, and Sheppard

Representative Chamber Mr. Hudspeth presented a petition se of electing an Attor-from Thomas M'Coy, which was read f this state, Solicitor Ge-land referred to a special commit-Vestern Circuit, Harborliee, consisting of Messrs. Hudspeth,

nnah, and a Quarter Mas- Mr. Davis gives notice that he will If this state—and he with-on to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and rete then repaired to the Resport a bill, pointing out a republican Chamber, and being seat mode of electing electors, for the Presi-

and on counting out the Mr. Barnett gives notice that he will ppeared that Richard H on to-morrow move for the appointsire, was duly elected At-ment of a committee to prepare and reeral of this state; Thomas port a bill, giving the assent of this esquire, Solicitor General of state to the division of the Mississipern Circuit; Robert Green, pi Territory by the Congress of the

. Saffold, Health Officer for He also gives notice, that he will on of Savannah, & Col. George to-morrow move for leave to introduce s, Quarter Master General'a bill, to amend an act, to incorporate a company for the improvement of the glass and Jane his wife, which navigation of Broad river.

On motion of Mr. Willson,

Resolved, That Isaac Abrahams beson to-morrow move for leaves and he is hereby appointed a Vendue duce a bill to amend an act to: Master for the town of Brunswick, in a fund for the redemption of the county of Glynn.

On motion of Mr Owens,

Resolved, That a committee be ap-will on to-morrow move for pointed on the part of Senate, to join pointment of a committee to such as may be appointed by the and report a bill, to amend an House of Representatives, to prepare titled an act, for the better select and report a bill, to improve the navi-drawing grand jurors for the gation of the Ocmulgee, Oconee, Ala-counties in this state, so far as r tamaha and Savannah rivers.

Ordered, That Messrs. Owens, M'-Cormick, Hogan, Jones, Park, Hen-lon to-morrow move for a con derson and Jackson be the committee to be appointed, to prepare and on the part of Senate.

Mr. Watts (of Washington) agree-lout the last clause of the eleven ably to notice introduced a bill toltion of the third article of the t change the names of certain personstitution. therein named, which was received Mr Wood gives notice that l. and read the first time.

Mr Owens agreeably to notice in to report a bill, to divorce M troduced a bill, to amend the 6th sec-Braswell and Polly his wife. tion of an act, appointing Commissioners for the town of Milledgeville, committee of the whole on the which was received & read the 1st time to be entitled an act, to amend a

Mr Johnston from the committee to incorporate the Planters' Ba reported a bill to appoint Port War-|the state, and for other purposes dens for the Port of Savannah, which sed the 19th day of December, was received and read the first time.

Mr Foster agreeably to notice mov-and forgeries—Mr Byne in the ed for the appointment of a committee — Mr President resumed the to report a bill, to afford temporary re- and Mr Byne reported, that they lief to the purchasers of Fractional gone through the same with an Surveys, &c.

Ordered, That Messrs. Foster, Hen-port, and the amendments were a derson and Brown be that committee. to.

Mr. Crawford agreeably to notice Ordered, That the bill be eng introduced a bil', to divorce John Dou-led for a third reading,

ceived and read the first time

Mr Barnett gives notice that llic debt of this state.

Mr Harrison gives notice 4 the county of M'Intosh.

Mr Rabun gives notice that la bill, to be entitled an act, to

on Wednesday next, move for.

The Senate resolved itself also, to provide against embezzler ments. The Senate took up the

Mr Owens agreeably to notice in-county, which was read and agreed to: produced a bill, to be entitled an act, to authorise the state commissioners to Bermit Ware-houses to be built on the the prayer of the petitioner is reasonapublic land, which was readt he first able, and beg leave to report, the

the time of the sitting of the Superior which was read the first time. court in the county of Wayne, was read the 3d time and passed.

On motion of Mr Jones.

Resolved, That the Executive ap-Measurer for the Port of Savannah. "pointment of Abner Biddle, esq. as a Justice of the Inferior court of Jones morning. county be, and the same is hereby confirmed, and that Thompson Bird be, & he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Inferior court of the county aforesaid,

and he is hereby appointed a Notary Public for the county of Hancock.

On motion of Mr Rabun,

river, at or near the mouth of the Apa-Generals. lachee river, which was read the first time.

petitions, Reported as follows;

red the petition of sundry inhabitants lies of Montgomery, Tatnall and Tel-Mulgee, have had the same under con-Telfair.)

A Communication was received sideration, and believe it to be one of from the Treasurer, enclosing an Ab those cases that do not require Legisstract of the treasury, which was read ative interference. Therefore refer the Exeferred to the committee on Finance. petitioners to the Inferior court of their

On the petition of Ann Houston, Your committee are of opinion that following bill; A bill to be entitled an The bill to be entitled an act, to alterlact, for the relief of Ann Houston,

On motion of Mr Johnston,

Resolved, That Thomas Davies be, and he hereby is appointed a Lumber

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow

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Tuesday, 12th November, 1811.

Mr Scruggs from the committee rein place of William Horton, resigned. ported a bili, exempting persons not slave holders from doing patrol duty, Resolved, That John Chambers be, which was received & read the 1st time:

On motion of Mr. Henderson,

Resolved, That the Senate will con-Mr Brown introduced a bill to be vene in the Representative Chamber on entitled an act, to authorise Col. Pas-Saturday next at 12 o'clock, for the 'cal Harrison, his heirs and assigns, to purpose of electing Secretary of State, build a toll bridge across the Oconee Treasurer, Surveyor and Comptroller

Mr. Brown presented a petition from Silvanus Walker, which was read and We will have a committee on referred to the committee on petitions.

Mr. M'Cormick presented a petiti-The committee to whom was refer-on from sundry inhabitants of the counof the county of Pulaski, praying this fair, which was read and referred to a Legislature to grant them a public special committee, consisting of Messrs road, leading to, and landing on the Oc-M'Cormick, Stripling and Watts (of

Mr Jackson agreeably to notice moved for the appointment of a committee ported a bill to alter the second section to prepare and report a bill, to make of the second article of the Constitution. permanent the site of the p blic build-which was received and read, the first ings in the county of Wilkinson.

Ordered, That Messrs. Jackson, Lawson and Sheppard be that com-the committee on the petition of John

mittee.

mittee, reported a bill to make perma-fred to the committee on the State of the nent the site of the public buildings in Republic. the county of Telfair, which was received and read the first time.

Mr Park presented a memorial from Col. Jonas Fauche and others, which was received, read, and referred to the passed a resolution referring sundry committee on the State of the Repub petitions from the counties of Franklin. lic.

from Samuel M. Mordecai, which was tive counties, to join any committee to read and referred to a special commit-be appointed on the part of Senate. tee, consisting of Messrs. Jackson, M'Cormick and Owens.

John Robinson, which was read and re-subject of the University, and they ferred to a special committee, consist have passed a resolution appointing ing of Messrs. Hogan, Williams and John Atkinson a Notary Public for the Wood.

Mr Owens agreeably to notice received and read the first time.

tee to whom was referred the memorial consideration the object of petitions of Col. T. P. Carnes, Reported, which from said counties, &c. was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr Foster presented a petition from Public for the county of Camden. James Wood, which being read, was Mr Hardie notifies the Senate, that referred to the committee on the State he will on to-morrow move for a com of the Republic,

Mr. Dooley from the committeere. time.

The Senate took up the report of M'Intyre, laid on the table on Thursday Mr Watts (of Telfair) from the com-last, which was again read, and refer-

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their clerk;

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have Jackson, Elbert, Oglethorpe & Clarke, Mr. Jackson presented a petition to the several members from those res-

They have added Mr Williams to the committee on Printing, and added Mr Hogan presented a petition from Messrs Terrell and J. Jackson on the county of Camden—and he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message ported a bill, authorising the Justices and appointed Messrs. Little, Henof the Inferior court of Baldwin coun-derson, Barnett, Hudspeth and Cook, ty, to levy an extra tax, which was re-being members of Senate from the counties of Franklin, Jackson, Elbert, Mr Dooley from the joint commit-Oglethorpe and Clarke, to take into

> They concur in the resolution appointing John Adkinson a Notary

> mittee to be appointed to prepare at

port a bill to be entitled an act, to mined in the affirmative, and the Yeas Inhorize the Justices of the Inferior and Nays being required, are Yeas 28 jourt of the county of Camden to levy - Nays 7. in extra tax in said county, for the

purpose of erecting a jail.

insolvent debtors.

Mr Harrison agreeably to notice mittee to prepare and report a bill, tolpeth, Little, Rabun and Scruggs. alter an act for the better selection of respects the county of M Intosh.

Ordered, That Messrs. Harrison, Wilson and Scruggs be that commit his wife.

Mr Rabun agreeably to notice mov-line Port of Savannah. ed for the appointment of a committee out the last clause of the eleventh sec-town of Milledgeville. tion of the 3d article of the Constitution of this state.

Ordered, That Messrs. Rabun,

The Senate resolved itself into a be built on the public land—and committee of the whole on the bill to Foster in the chair-Mr. President the Appalachee river-and resumed the chair, and Mr Foster reported that they had gone through the ton. same without any amendment. The same being read, was agreed to;

Those who voted in the affirmative are, Mesers. Barnett, Blair, Brown, Mr Hudspeth notifies the Senate Crawford, Davis, Dooley, Hardie, Harthat he will on to-morrow move for alrison, Henderson, Jackson, Johnston, committee to be appointed, to prepare Jones, Leigh, M'Cormick, Newsom, and report a bill to be entitled an act, Owens, Park, Powell, Pray, Reid, to amend, revise and consolidate the Sheppard, Stewart, Stripling, Watts several laws passed for the relief of (of Washington), Watts (of Telfair), Williams, Willson and Wood

Those who voted in the negative moved for the appointment of a com |are, Messrs. Byne, Cook, Foster, Huds-

The following bills were severally grand jurors for this state, so far as taken up, read the second time, and ordered for committee of the whole.

A bill to divorce John Douglass and

A bill to appoint Port Wardens for

A bill to amend an act, for the betto prepare and report a bill, to strike ter regulation and government of the

> A bill to alter and change the names of certain persons therein named.

A bill to authorise the State com-Logh and Newsom be that committee. missioners to permit Ware-houses to

A bill to authorise Col. Pascal Harto be entitled an act, to divorce Levilrison to erect a toll bridge across the Bright and Sarah his wife-Mr. Oconee river, at or near the mouth of

A bill for the relief of Ann Hous-

The Senate took up the bill to be Benate took up the report, and the entitled an act, to amend an act, to incorporate the Planters' Bank of the Whereupon the said bill was read State of Georgia, and for other purthe third time, and on the question poses, passed the nineteenth day shall this bill now pass, it was deter-of December 1810—alea, to provide

against embezzlements and forgeries, duce a bill, to amend the several ag which was read the third time and pas-appointing Commissioners to fix on sed.

ported a bill, to strike out the last clause purposes therein named. of the eleventh section of the third article of the Constitution of this State—10 o'clock. which was received and read the first time.

Mr Brown gives notice that he will onto-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report aled for the appointment of a comittee the bill, to establish the rate of interest of prepare and report a bill, to authoris money in this state.

ed a bill, to amend an act, to incorpo-building a jail. rate a company for the improvement of the navigation of the Oconee river, son and Powell be that committee: which was received and read the first

ed for the appointment of a committee received and read the first time. 48. to prepare and report a bill, to establish a mode for electing Electors for the ported a bill, to afford temporary relief Presidential election.

bun, Dooley, Barnett and Owens be the first time. that committee.

on ... morrow move for leave to intro-ferred to a special committee, consist duce a bill to compel Clerks of the ing of Messrs. Brown, Park and Base Superior and Inferior courts of this nett. state to take the oath and give the security required by law, within the time therein specified.

On motion of Mr Hudspeth,

be, and he is hereby appointed Nota-statives, to enquire into the expediency ry Public for the county of Oglethorpe, of the Comptroller General's office, and town of Lexington.

Mr Powell gives notice that he will wise. on to-morrow move for leave to intro- Ordered. That Messrs. Doole

place for building the court-house Mr. Rabun from the committee re-liail in Wayne county, and for other

Adjourned 'till to-morrow morning

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Wednesday, 13th November, 1811.

Mr Hardie agreeably to notice movi the Inferior court of Camden county Mr Park from the committee report to levy an extra tax, for the purpose c

Ordered, That Messrs. Hardie, Wil

Mr Wood agreeably to notice repor ed a bill to divorce Matthew Drak Mr Davis agreeably to notice mov-Brazzel and Polly his wife, which wa

Mr Foster from the committee ref to the purchasers of Fractional Sur Ordered, That Messrs. Davis, Ra-|veys, &c. which was received and read

Mr Brown presented a petition from Mr Dooley gives notice that he will John Fielder, which was read and rek

On motion of Mr Dooley,

Resolved, That a committee be ap pointed, on the part of Senate, to join such committee as may be appointed Resolved, That William Strother on the part of the House of Represent with power to report by bill or other-

Stewart, and Watts (of Washington) befordered for committee of the whole, viz. the committee on the part of Senate.

Mr. Powell agreeably to notice in-holders from doing Patrol duty. troduced a bill, to amend the severall acts appointing Commissioners to fix of the public buildings in Telfair county. on the site of the public buildings in Wayne county, which was received of Baldwin county to levy an extra tax, and read the first time.

Mr Henderson presented a petition A bill to alter the second section of from sundry inhabitants of Jackson|the second article of the Constitution. county, which was read and referred to a special committee, consisting of next. Messrs. Henderson, Pray and Barnett.

greported a bill, to amend an act, estab dens for the Port of Savannah—Mr lishing a ferry at or near Joice's land-Rabun in the chair—Mr President rereived and read the first time.

petitions, reported on the petition of took up the report, and the amend-Silvanus Walker, as follows, viz.

The committee to whom was refer. Whereupon the said bill was read red the petition of Silvanus Walker, the third time and passed.

por a bill to that effect.

I he Senate took up the report, which out any amendment. was read and agreed to.

Jones and Byne be the committee to and the said bill ordered to be engrossreport a bill on said petition.

A bill exempting persons not slave

A bill to make permanent the site

A bill to authorise the Inferior court

Ordered for committee on Monday

The Senate resolved iteelf into a committee of the whole on the bill to Mr M'Cormick from the committee be entitled an act, to appoint Port Waring on the Oconee river, which was re-sumed the chair, and Mr. Rabun reported that they had gone through the Mr Newsom from the committee on same with amendments. The Senate ments were agreed to;

praying this Legislature to direct the The Senate resolved itself into a proper officers to issue a certificate to committee of the whole on the bill to your petitioner for six hundred and for be entitled an act, to alter and amend by acres of land in lieu of one which the sixth section of an act, passed at your petitioner was the holder of and Milledgeville on the 15th December mas lost, have had the same under con-1810, to appoint commissioners for the ideration, and think the prayer of the better regulation and government of petitioner just, & ought to be granted; the town of Milledgeville—Mr Cook Therefore recommend the appoint in the chair—Mr President resumed ment of a committee to prepare and re-the chair, and Mr Cook reported that they had gone through the same with-

The Senate took up the report, and Ordered, That Messrs. Brown, the same being read, was agreed toled for a third reading.

The following bills were severally The Senate resolved itself into a taken up & read the second time, and committee of the whole on the bill to alter and change the names of certain. Whereupon the said bill was read persons therein named—Mr Byne in the third time and passed. the chair—Mr President resumed the chair, and Mr Byne reported progress, of the 11th section of the third article and had leave to set again.

mittee of the whole on the bill to divorce porate a company for the improvement John Douglass and Jane his wife—Mr of the navigation of the Oconee, were Jackson in the chair—Mr President re-|severally read the second time, and orsumed the chair, and Mr Jackson re-dered for a committee of the whole. ported that they had gone through the Mr Jackson from the committee resame with an amendment. The Senate ported a bill, to manumit and set free took up the report, which was read certain persons of colour therein namand agreed to.

Ordered, That the said bill be en-first time.

grossed for a third reading.

committee of the whole on the bill to Superior and Inferior courts of this authorise the State Commissioners to state to take the oath and give the sepermit Ware-houses on the public curity required by law, which was relands—Mr Henderson in the chair—leeived and read the first time. Mr President resumed the chair, and Mr Hogan from the committee re-Mr Henderson reported progress, and ported on the petition of John Robinhad leave to set again.

committee of the whole on the bill to John Robinson report, that no vouchauthorise Col. Pascal Harrison to erectlers have been sufficient to establish a. a toll bridge across the Oconee river, by claim against the state. at or near the mouth of the Apalachee The Senate took up the report, which river—Mr Newsom in the chair—Mr was read and agreed to. President resumed the chair, and Mr Mr Hogan from the committee re-Newsom reported progress and had ported a bill, to amend an act to make beave to set again.

committee of the whole on the bill for was received and read the first time. the chair, and Mr Owens reported that and referred to the committee on petithey had gone through the same with-tions.

out any amendment.

the same being read, was agreed to; 'pointed on the part of Senate to join

The bill to strike out the last clause of the Constitution—and,

The Senate resolved itself into a com- The bill to amend an act, to incor-

led, which was received and read the

Mr. Dooley agreeably to notice in-The Senate resolved itself into altroduced a bill, to compel Clerks of the

Ison, as follows, viz;

The Senate resolved itself into a The committee on the petition of

permanent the site of the public build-The Senate resolved itself into alongs in the county of Pulaski, which

the relief of Ann Houston—Mr Owens Mr Johnson presented a petition in the chair—Mr President resumed from Robert Muter, which was read

On motion of Mr. Hudspeth,

The Senate took up the report, and Resolved, That a committee be ap-

such as may be appointed by the Hous of Representatives to prepare and report a bill, to carry the first section of Burke county, vice William Jones, rethe third article of the Constitution in to effect.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hudspeth the committee on the part of Senate

A message from His Excellency the Governor, by Mr Porter his Secretary

Mr. President;

ed the following concurred resolutions, to wit:

county of Burke, vice David Robin-Harford, removed; son deceased;

county, vice Joshua Hightower, removerefusing to serve—and, ed;

gomery county.

One appointing John W. Devereux, Bird resigned—and he withdrew. Augustin Harris, and Hubbard Rey-Academy of Baldwin county;

One appointing William Bird and John Waldhour, esqrs. Justices of the authorising His Excellency the Goversqrs. resigned;

pintment of Southworth Harlow, esq. s a Justice of the Inferior court of signed;

One confirming the appointment of Hezekiah Luckie, esq. as a Justice of Dooley, Johnson, Wood and Pray be the Inferior court of Oglethorpe couny, vice John Davenport, resigned;

One confirming the Executive appointment of Thomas Murray, Henry lones and John Parks, esqrs. as Justi-I am instructed by His Excellency ces of the Inferior court of Lincoln Governor Mitchell, to inform the Se county, vice Newell Walton, Robert nate that he has approved of and sign-|Walton and John Lockheart, resigned;

One appointing Francis Hopkins and James Nephew, esgrs. Commissia One appointing William Stone, esq. oners of the Academy of Mintosh a Justice of the Inferior court of the county, vice Robert Walls and Henry

One appointing Thomas F. Lovet One confirming the Executive ap-and Thomas Brannon, Justices of the pointment of James Meriwether, esq. as Inferior court of Scriven county, vice a Justice of the Inferior court of Clark Daniel Blackburn and John Pollock,

One appointing Noah Perrimore One appointing Isaac Furguson, esq. and Benjamin G. Cray, esqrs. Justices a justice of the Inferior court of Mont-of the Inferior court of Telfair county, lvice William Lott removed, and Jesse

A memorial from Robert Hay and nolds, esquires, Commissioners of the David Kennedy in behalf of themselves land others, was laid on the table, * One confirming the Executive ap-which being read, was referred to the pointment of John Ector, esq. as a Jus-committee appointed to enquire into tice, of the Inferior court of Clarke the propriety of passing a law to alleviate the condition of debtors.

Mr. Barnett presented a resolution Interior court of Effingham county, nor to appoint Commissioners on the vice John Goldwine and James King, part of this State, to make application to the Cherokee nation of Indians, One confirming the Executive ap-through the agency of the United

States, to obtain a purchase of territo!

ry from said nation of Indians.

Mr Hudspeth agreeably to notice moved for the appointment of a com-the Inferior court of Jones county; mittee to prepare and report a bill, to amend, revise and consolidate the se-Measurer for the Port of Savannah; veral laws passed for the relief of inrelyent debtors.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hudspeth, Dooley and Barnett be that commit-Public for the county of Chatham;

on Monday next, move for leave to in-|nah; troduce a bill, to divorce and separate certain persons therein named.

Mr Hogan gives notice that he will Glynn county; on to-morrow move for leave to report a bill, to alter the time of holding the Public for the county of Hancock; Inferior courts of the county of Pulas ki.

Mr Reid notifies the Senate that helthe county of Camden. will on to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare the Inferior court of Putnam countyand report a bill, to prohibit the Inha-land, bitants living adjacent to Little river, from falling trees in said stream, solmittee to report a bill, to improve the

Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow Alatamaha and Savannah rivers-andmorning.

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Thursday, 14th November, 1811.

A message from the House of Re-bill to lay off a fifth Judicial circuit; presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk;

Mr. President:

The House of Representatives have unanimously passed the bill from Se-Public for the county of Camden; nate, to alter the first section of the 3d article of the Constitution of this state, Public for the country of Chatham——

They have passed a bill to amend the 56th section of the Judiciary law of the Inferior court of Laurens county; this state.

They have concurred in the follow. ling resolutions from Senate, viz.

A resolution appointing Justices of

A resolution appointing a Lumber

A resolution appointing a Juctice of the Inferior court of Bryan county; 🦼

A resolution appointing Notaries

Three resolutions appointing Lum-Mr Jackson gives notice that he will ber Measurers for the Port of Savan-

> A resolution appointing Vendue Master for the town of Brunswick in

A resolution appointing a Notary

A resolution appointing a Vendue Master for the town of St. Mary's, in

A resolution appointing Justices of

A resolution appointing a joint comfar as respects the county of Putnam. Inavigation of the Oconee, Ocmulger,

> They have passed a resolution appointing a committee on their part to join such committee as may be appointed by Senate, to prepare and report a

> A resolution appointing a Justice of the Inferior court of Tatnall county;

> A resolution appointing a Notary

A resolution appointing a Notary

A resolution appointing a Justice of and he withdrew.

The Senate took up the report, and $m{\kappa}$ said resolutions from the House ϕ Representatives were severally reaand concurred in.

They added a committee on their part, consisting of Messrs. Park, Doo-Ey, Blair and Barnett, to join the com mitee appointed by the House of Re land read the first time. presentatives, to prepare and report al bill to lay off a fifth Judicial Circuit. the first time.

On motion of Mr. Owens,

tary Public for the County of Baldwin|mittee on Finance. and town of Milledgeville.

make permanent the site of the public the first time. buildings in Laurens.

Mr. Jones gives notice that he will min person therein named.

On motion of Mr. Owens,

by confirmed, and that Jett Thomas, ed, are Yeas 29—Nays 8. Edmund B. Jenkins and Augustin Those who voted in the affirmative,

braham Miles and Hines Holt, esgrs. esigned.

Mr. Hudspeth from the committee eported a bill, to amend the second ection of an act, to authorise the Infeior courts of this state to discharge nsolvent debtors, which was received

Mr. Hogan agreeably to notice introduced a bill to alter the time of hold-The bill to amend the 56th section ing the Inferior court of the county of of the Judiciary of this state, was read Pulaski, which was received and read the first time.

Mr. Johnston presented a memorial Resolved, That Francis Jeter, esq. from Peter Kemble, esq. which was rebe, and he is hereby appointed a No |ceived, read and referred to the com-

Mr. Hardie from the committee re-Mr. Sheppard agreeably to notice ported a bill to authorise the Inferior moved for the appointment of a com | ourt of Camden county to levy an exmittee to prepare and report a bill, to ra tax, which was received and read

Mr. Hudspeth presented a petition Ordered, That Messrs. Sheppard, from Norris Lyons, which was read Jackson and M'Cormick be that com- and referred to the committee on the state of the Republic.

Mr. Stewart from the committee reon to-morrow move for leave to intro-ported on the petition of Hepsworth duce a bill to change the name of a cer- (arter, which was ordered to lie on the table.

The bill to be entitled an act, to di-Resolved, That the Executive ap-vorce John Douglass and Jane his mintment of Daniel Wilson as a Jus wife, was read the third time, and on tice of the Inferior court of Baldwin|the question, shall this bill now pass, county, in place of Benjamin Tarver, it was determined in the affirmative, esq. resigned, be, and the same is here and the Yeas and Nays being require

Harris, esqrs. be, and they are here lire Messrs. Blair, Brown, Crawford, by appointed Justices of the Inferior Davis, Dooly, Hardie, Harrison, Hen-Surt of the said county of Baldwin lerson, Hogan, Jackson, Johnston, in place of Archibald M. Devereux, Jones, Lawson, Leigh, M'Cormick, Newsom, Owens, Park, Powell, Pray, for the better regulation and g Reid, Sheppard, Stewart, Stripling, ment of the town of Milledge! Watts (of Washington), Watts (of was read the third time and pass Telfair , Williams, Willson and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative, are taken up and read the 2d time, to Messrs. Barnett. Byne, Cook, Foster, Hudspeth, Little, Rabun and Scruggs. the purchasers of Fractional Surv

The Senate resolved itself in a com-&c mittee of the whole on the bill to make permanent the site of the public build on Monday next. ings of the county of Telfair—Mr. Scruggs in the chair—Mr. President Brazzeal and Polly his wife. resumed the chair, and Mr Scruggs reported, that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report, Wayne county. which was read and agreed to;

Whereupon the said bill was read and, the third time and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into ala Ferry at or near Joyce's landing committee of the whole on the bill to the Oconee river. aut wrise the Inferior court of Baldwin county to levy an extra tax—Mr. whole on Monday next. Byne in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Byne report ed that they had gone through the same without any amendment

The Senate took up the report, and Secretary. the same being read was agreed to;

Whereupon the said bill was read the third time and passed.

The Senate resol ed itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to exempt persons not slave-holders, from doing patrol duty—Mr. Hudspeth in court in the county of Richmond, or the chair—Mr. President resumed John Amos was convicted of the mu the chair, and Mr. Hudspeth reported der of William Faircloth and senter progress, and had leave to set again in ced to be executed on the 22d of th June next.

The bill to alter and amend the 6th section of an act, passed 15th Decem-the Executive, praying for clemency ber 1810, to appoint Commissioners which is not only entitled to attentia

The following bills were seve

A bill to afford temporary relie

Ordered for committee of the w

A bill to divorce Mathew D

Ordered for committee of the wh A bill to appoint commissioner fix on the site of public building

Ordered for committee of the wh

A bill to amend an act, establish,

Ordered for a committee of

The following written communition was received from His Excell cy the Governor, by Mr. Rousseau

Executive Department, Georgia Milledgeville, 14th Nov. 1811

Gentlemen of the Senate, and of the House of Representative

It appears that at the last Superi present month.

A petition has been presented 1

hey will extend mercy to the cri-and Watts (of Telfair). The jury who tried Amos alcommend him to mercy, and as in jority, the said bill was lost ase the Legislature alone have Mr. Johnston from the committee re-

esse. Copies of the records of the read the first time. ction and of the petition accomthis communication.

D. B. MITCHELL.

to lie on the table.

ie Senate resolved itself into a nittee of the whole on the bill to whole. : out the last clause of the eleventh - Chair—Mr. President resumed{law.

nair and Mr. Crawford reported, they had gone through the same — and, **but any** amendment.

e Senate took up the report, which colour therein named.

read and agreed to. he said bill was then read the 3d on Tuesday next.

, and the Yeas and Nays called

-Yeas 21-Nays 16.

in, Reid, Williams, Willson and without any amendment.

the number, but the respectabl | Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Byne, Crawford. f the persons who signed it, and Davis, Hogan, Johnston, M. Cormick, is addressed to the Legislature Powell, Pray, Scruggs, Shepard, Stew-Il as the Executive; also praying art, Stripling, Watts (of Washington),

There not being a constitutional ma-

wer of extending mercy, and as ported a bill, securing to Worthington n the recommendation of the jury Gale the exclusive privilege of runne prayer of the petitioners enti-ning a steam boat from Savannah to to your consideration, I submit Charleston, which was received and

> The following bills were severally taken up and read the second time, to wit:

A bill to amend an act, to make id the same being read, was or-permanent the site of the public buildlings in the county of Pulaski.

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to compel clerks of the Supeon of the third article of the Con-rior and Inferior courts to take the on of this state—Mr. Crawford oath, and give the security required by

Ordered for committee of the whole

A bill to manumit certain persons of

Ordered for committee of the whole

The Senate resolved itself into a n its passage, which are as fol-committee of the whole on the bill to amend an act, to incorporate a company lose who voted in the affirmative for the improvement of the navigation Messrs. Brown, Cook, Dooley, of the Oconee river, &c. — Ir. Wood er, Hardie, Harrison, Henderson, in the chair-Mr. President resumed speth, Jackson, Jones, Lawson, the chair, and Mr. Wood reported, h, Little, Newsom, Owen, Park, that they had gone through the same

The Senate took up the report, and se who voted in the negative are, the same being read was agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read ate and corrupt the good morals of othe third time and passed.

to a committee of the whole on the bill ought not to be granted. to antiprise Col. Pascal Harrison, his heirs and assigns, to build a toll bridge the same being read, was agreed to." across the Oconee river, at or near the mouth of the Appalachee river—morning. Mr. Barnett in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Barnett reported that they had gone thro' the same with amendments

the same being read, was agreed to—part of His Excellency's Communication and the said bill ordered to be en-tion relative to the transcribing the grossed for a third reading.

requesting His Excellency the gover-1784. nor to make application to the President of the United States on the sub Barnett and Byne be that committee. ject of procuring a road to be opened Mr. Jackson from the committee refrom the mouth of the Alcofauhachee ported a bill to make permanent the on the Ocmulgee river, to where the site of the public buildings for the same may intersect the road leading county of Wilkinson, which was refrom Milledgeville on the Chatahou-ceived and read the first time. chee river.

will on to-morrow move for the ap-ling electors to vote for President & Vicepointment of a committee to prepare|President of the United States, which and report a bill to amend an act, point-was received and read the first time. ing out the duty of sheriffs in selling Mr. Barnett agreeably to notice relands under execution.

Petitions, reported as follows, to wit: of the navigation of Broad river, which

The committee to whom was refer was received and read the first time. red the petition of Robert Muter, pray | Mr. Pray presented a resolution reing this Legislature to manumit and quiring the Solicitor General for the set free certain persons of color therein Eastern district to bring suit for Doub. named, beg leave to report, that they in and Cherehill Plantation, conhad the same under consideration, and fiseated as the property of John Butler believe that to grant the prayer of the Maxwell, which was read and orderpetitioner would greatly tend to vici-led to lie on the table.

ther slaves; therefore the prayer of The Senate again resolved itself in the petitioner is unreasonable and

The Senate took up the report," and

Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow

Friday, 15th November, 1811. On motion of Mr. Foster,

Resolved, That a committee be ap-The Senare took up the report, and pointed to take into consideration that old records of the Executive Depart-Mr. Barnett presented a resolution ment from the year 1777 to the year

Ordered, That Messrs. Foster,

Mr Davis from the committee report-Mr. Henderson gives notice that he ed a bill pointing out the mode of elect-

ported a bill to amend an act, to incor-Mr. Newsom from the committee on porate a company for the improvement

Mr. Hardie gives notice that he will third time, and on the question, shall fon to-morrow move for the ap-this bill now pass, the Yeas and Nays pointment of a committee to prepare were called for, which are as follows; and report a bill, to alter the time of Yeas 23-Nays 13. holding the county elections, so far as | Those who wend in the affirmative respects the Sheriff, Clerk of the Supe-are, Messes. Black Crawford, Davis, rior and Inferior courts, county Sur-Dooley, Harrison, Hogan, Jackveyor and Coroner.

Harrison, his heirs and assigns, and irt, Stripling, Waits of Washington), the heirs and representatives of George Watts of Telfair), Williams, Willson, Cluff, deceased, to build a toll and Wood. ridge across the Oconee river, at or Those who voed in the negative hear the mouth of the Appalachee ridare Messis. Barrett, Brown, Byne,

The following bills were read the Scruggs. second time, to wit:

A bill to amend the second section majority, the miles is lost. of an act, to authorise the Justices of charge insolvent debtors.

whole.

of Camden to levy an extra tax.

whole—and,

A bill to alter the time of holding the the same with amendments. Inferior courts in Pulaski county.

Ordered for a 3d reading.

out any amendment.

Whereupon the said bill was read the monta.

son Johnson Lawson, Leigh, Newsom, The bill to authorise Col. Pascal Powell, Pray, Reid, Steppard, Stew-

ver, was read the third time and pas-Cook, Foster, Henderson, Hudspeth, Jones, Liule, Owens, Park, Rabun and

There not being a Constitutional

The Senate resolved itself into a the Inferior courts of this state, to dis-committee of the wingle on the bill to compel the Clerks of the Superior and Ordered for a committee of the Inferior courts of this state to take the loath, and give the s. chrity required by 1 A bill to authorise the Inferior court law, within the time therein specified -Mr. Yne in the chair-Mr. Presi-Ordered for a committee of the dent resumed the chair, and Mr. Byne reported that they had gone through

Ordered. That the same do lie on lthe table

The Senate resolved itself into a The mate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to committee of the whole on the bill to divorce Mathew Drake Brazzeal and ame of the se evaluates appointing Com-Polly his wife—Mr Hudspeth in the missioners to fix on the site of the pubchair-Mr. President resumed the ite be iteleges in the county of Wayne, thair, and Mr. Hudspeth reported that and for other purposes therein mentithey had gone through the same with one with Cook in the chair-Mr. Presumed the chair, and The Senate took up the report, and Mr Cor. reported that they had same being read was agreed to. |gour through the same with amend-

the same being read, was agreed to.

ed for a third reading.

The Senate resolved itself into althe whole. committee of the whole on the bill to amend an act, to make permanent the ported a bill for the relief of John site of the public buildings in the Fielder, which was received and read county of Pulaski-Mr. Jackson in the first time. the chair- Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Jackson reported that troduced a bill to alter the name of a they had gone through the same with certain person therein named, which an amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and the same being read, was agreed to resolutions laid on the table yesterda with an amendment.

Ordered, That the said bill be en-

grossed for a 3d reading.

to a committee of the whole on the where the same would intersect the bill to be entitled an act, to authorise road leading from Milledgeville to the State Commissioners to permit|Fort Stoddart, at or near M'Intosh's Ware-houses to be erected on the pub | Ferry on the Chatahoche river, would lic land-Mr. Rabun in the chair-be of manifest advantage, to the citi-Mr. President resumed the chair, and zens of the upper and Western parts Mr. Rabun reported that they had of this state; gone through the same with an amend | ment.

the same was agreed to by amending to the President of the United States the caption to read as follows; "A|on the subject of said road, and probill to be entitled an act, to authorise cure if possible the laying out & openthe board of State Commissioners of ling of the same"—and the same being the Town of Milledgeville to sell and read, was agreed to. dispose of a certain portion of the Mr Foster gives notice that he will on 'Town Common for the erection of to morrow move for the appointment Ware-houses thereon."

sed for a third reading.

The bill to amend the 56th section ed on false or fraudulent returns, &c. of the Judiciary of this State—and,

The bill securing to Worthington presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clean

The Senate took up the report, and Cale, the exclusive right of running a |Steam Boat from Savannah to Charles-Ordered that the same be engross-ton, were severally read the second time, and ordered for a committee of

Mr. Brown from the committee re-

Mr. Jones agreeably to notice inwas received and read the first time

Mr. Barnett called up the following to wit:

"Whereas the opening of a road from or near the mouth of the Alcofau. The Senate again resolved itself in hachee on the Ocmulgee river, to

Be it therefore resolved, That His Excellency the Governor be, and he is The Senate took up the report, and hereby requested to make application

of a committee to report a bill supple-Ordered that the said bill be engros-mentary to an act, to point out the mode of rendering void all grants found-

A message from the House of Re

Mr. President,

bassed a bill to alter an act, for licen Mr. Jackson gives notice that he

sing and regulating Pedlars.

and.

A bill for the relief of S. W. Moore. They have passed a resolution ap-morning. sinting Trustees of the Richmond cademy—and,

A resolution appointing a Notary Hablic for the City of Savannah.

and Comptroller General—and he that the same do lie on the table. withdrew.

- enclosing a letter from John H. Bass, ty Surveyor and coroner. which being read, was referred to the Ordered, That Messrs. Hardie,
- The Senate took up the message curred in.

mittee to prepare and report a bill sup- Those who voted in the affirmative ecution.

Ordered, That Messrs Henderson, The House of Representatives have Foster and Cook be that committee.

will on Tuesday next move for leave A bill granting to the Commission-to introduce a bill to compel Clerks of ers of Sunbury Academy for the use the Superior and Inferior courts of of that institution, one hundred and Wilkinson county, to keep their offices sixty six and two thirds acres of land—at the court-house, or within one mile thereof.

Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow

SATURDAY, 16th November, 1811.

On motion of Mr. Hogan,

They have concurred in the resoluti- Resolved, That the Journal of yeson appointing to-morrow at 12 o'clock, terday so far as respects the bill to difor the election of Secretary of the vorce Mathew Drake Brazzeal and State, Treasurer, Surveyor General Polly his wife; be reconsidered, and

Mr. Hardie agreeably to notice mov-Ordered, That the same lie on the ed for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to alter the A written Communication was re-time of holding the county elections, ceived from His Excelley the Gover-so far as respects the sheriff, clerk of nor, by Mr. Rousseau his Secretary, the Superior and Inferior courts, coun-

committee on the State of the Repub | Harrison and Crawford be that committee.

The Senate took up the reconsiderfrom the House of Representatives, ation of the Journal so far as respects laid on the table this day, and the bills the bill to divorce Mathew Drake therein contained, were severally read Brazzeal and Polly his wife, and resol-The first time, and the resolutions con |ved that the bill do now pass, and on Ithe question, it was determined in the Mr. Henderson agreably to notice affirmative, and the Yeas and Nays moved for the appointment of a com-being required, are Yeas 24—Nays 12.

plementary to an act, pointing out the are Messrs. Blair, Brown, Crawford, duty of sheriffs in selling lands under Davis, Dooley, Hardie, Harrison, Holgan, Jackson, Johnston, Lawson, Leig! McCormick, Newson, Powell, The bill to amend an act, entitled Red. Support, Stewart, Stripling loct, to make permanent the site of Walls for Wallington), Wasts (o) Jublic buildings in the town of Hall Terrary, West ints, Walson and Wood ford in the county of Pulaski.

The senate resolved itself into are Mesors. Darnett, Byn., Committee of the whole on the bill Foster, Handerson, Hudspenn, Jones, se entitled an act, securing to Work Lattie Owens, Park Roban & eruggs, longton Gale, the exclusive right

the P esident voted in the affirmative of Savannah to the City of Charleste Finance reported in part, which was - Mr. Hudspeth in the chair-A read and ordered to he on the table.

contract for Printing, reported, which through the bill with amendments. ry's raid & ordired to lie on the table.

Mr. Barnett agreeably to notice re |ments which were read and agreed's ported a bill, to arrend an act, for the reas mption of the public debt, which the third time and passed. was recoved and read the first time.

Mr Hardie from the committe re-committee of the whole on the bi ported a '11, is alter the time of hold-be entitled an act, to authorise the ing county elections &c which was ferior court of Camden county, to I received and read the first time.

The following bills were severally hair—Mr. President resumed t taken up, read the third time—and chair, and Mr. Newsom reported to passed, viz:

The bill to be entitled an act, to al-jout amendment. ter the time of holding the Inferior Whereupon the bill was read t court in the county of Pulaski.

The bill to be entitled an act, to autho. The Senate resolved itself into rise the board of state commissioners of committee of the whole on the bill to the town of Milledgeville, to sell and entitled an act, to amend the 56th s dispose of a certain portion of the town tion of the Judiciary System of the common for the erection of a Ware-State-Mr. Blair in the chair-N house thereon.

The bill to be entitled an act, to a Blair reported that they had go mend the several acts, appointing through the same without any amer commissioners to fix on the site of the ment. public buildings in the county of Wayne | The Senate took up the report, a and to regulate the grand and petit ju-the same being read was agreed to. ry list—and,

There being a consutational defruining a Steam Boat from the Ci is in the committee on so far as respects the right of this sta President resumed the chair, and N. 2. 10.2300 from the committee to live the reported that they had got

> The Senate took up the amen Whereupon the said bill was re

The Senate resolved itself in In extra tax—Mr. Newsom in they had gone through the bill wi

third time and passed.

President resumed the chair, and I

Whereupon the said bill was re

hird time and passed.

e Senate took up the report of —and, mmittee of the whole on the bill mpel the clerks of the Superior Moore. ith, and give the security requiris agreed to.

led for a third reading.

ne following bills were taken up the elections. ead the 2d time, viz:

a company for the improvement

e navigation of Broad river. or the county of Wilkinson.

Henry Tamplin to that of John ım Henry Hobson.

ion.

bill from the House of Represen-ed Comptroller General. esto be entitled an act, granting e commissioners of Sunbury Aca-Chamber and took their seats. , for the use of said institution, nundred and sixty-six and two morning.

acres of land. dered for committee of the whole. bill from the House of Represenptatives to be entitled an act, to egulating Pedlars.

Ordered for committee of the whole

A bill for the relief of Stephen W.

aferior courts of this state to take Ordered for a committee of the whole.

A message was received from His law, and the same being amend Excellency the Covernor, by Mr. Rousseau his Secretary, notifying the dered, That the said bill be en-Senate that he had approved of & signed the resolution appointing this day for

A message from the House of Tobill to amend an act, to incorpo presentatives, by Mr Holt their Cler's; Mr. President;

I am directed to inform the Senate dered for committee of the whole. that the House of Representatives are bill to be entitled an act, to make now in readiness to receive them in anent the site of the public build the Representative Chamber, for the purpose of proceeding to sundry eleclered for committee of the whole tions agreeably to a joint and approve sill to alter the name of John Wil-led Resolution—and he withdrew.

The Senate then repaired to the Representative Chamber, and being seatdered for committee of the whole ed, proceeded by joint ballot to the said bill pointing out the mode of e elections, and on counting out the ng Electors for the Presidential votes, it appeared that Colonel Abner Hammond was duly elected Secretary rdered for committee of the whole. of State; George R. Clayton, esquire, bill for the relief of John Field-re-elected Treasurer; Edmund B. Jenkins, esq, re-elected Surveyor Gerdered for committee of the whole. neral & James Bozeman, esq. re-elect-

The Senate again repaired to their

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock Monday -00000000-

Monday, 18th November, 1811. On motion of Mr. Newsom,

Resolved, That Robert A. Beall and amend an act, for licensing be, and he is hereby appointed a conmissioner for the Warren county A-

cademy, in the room of Timothy Ma-Choatee river intersects the same thews, esq. resigned.

Park, from Horatio Marbury late Se-trading road from the Oconee moun. cretary of State, which being read, was tain near the mouth of Warwoman's referred to a committee on the part of creek crosses the same, or so much Senate, consisting of Messrs. Park, thereof as the said nation of Indians Foster and M Cormick to join such asymay be disposed to part with. may be appointed by the House of Red. The Senate resolved itself into a presentatives, to take the same into con-committee of the whole on the bill to sideration.

resolutions which was read, amend-Inferior courts of this state to discharge ed, and agreed to, as follows, viz:

arisen between the frontier inhabitants passed December 10th, 1803-Mr. of Jackson and Franklin counties, and Byne in the chair—Mr. President rethe Cherokee nation of Indians, which sumed the Chair, and Mr. Byne report. might in a great measure be preventedled that they had gone through the same by having the Chatahuchee river the without any amendment. line between this state and the said Cherokee nation of Indians, and there was read and agreed to. being good reason to believe that the Whereupon the said bill was read said Indians on proper application be-the third time and passed. ing made, would dispose of said lands. The Senate took up the report of

Excellency the Governor be hereby worth Carter, which is as follows; authorised and requested to appoint Your special committee, on the pepot exceeding three persons as com-tition of Hepworth Carter, report, missioners on the part of this State to "That they have taken the same unmake application to the Cherokee nati-der their consideration, together with on of Indians, through the agency of the reports of former committees on she United States, for the purpose of this subject. obtaining the consent of said Indians We find this claim has been made to a disposition of the lands lying with-lin 1783, for marking a line south of in the following boundary, viz: be-Ogechee, agreeable to contract with ginning where the line between this Sir James Wright in the behalf of the state and the Creek nation of Indians Province, now State. A resolution leaves the Appalachee river; thencelpassed at that time (in 1783) in favore on the said line to where the same the applicant, but not carried fully in rosses the Chatahuchee river; thence to effect, (as we expect) from the re ap ano atomisaid Chatabuchee, to where speated applications made since. We

from thence in a straight direction sc A letter was laid on the table by Mr. as to strike the Tugalo river where the

alter and amend the second section of Mr. Barnett called up the following an act, to authorise the Justices of the insolvent debtors confined by process, Whereas disputes have frequently from any court of this state whatever,

The Senate took up the report which

Be it therefore resolved, That His the committee on the petition of Hep-

talso find a resolution passed the House Mr. Powell gives notice that he will of Representatives the last year, in his on to-morrow move for the appointthate, we expect from the want of time, port a bill to alter the 12th section of it being near the close of the session — the first article of the constitution. From these circumstances, we are of o | He also gives notice that he will on spinion his claim is just and ought to to-morrow move for the appointment Mowing resolution.

Carter be, and he is hereby authoris ting roads in this state, so for as ressed to purchase confiscated property pects the counties therein named. which may be sold hereafter," to the Mr. Pray from the committee reamount of one thousand dollars.

mis hereby ordered & required to make which was received & read the est time. no him the said Curter, (or his assigns) A message from the House of Regood and sufficient titles to any lands presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; surchased by him, or by his authoriby to that amount, "which shall be in The House of Representatives have against the state, on his paying concurred in the resolution from Sc-Ine customary fees to the Commission-nate appointing a joint committee to On motion of Mr. Foster,

to read as follows;

ertain services said to have been done lotteries to take out their grants. ing a line south of Ogechee, They have passed a resolution on Jur committee report, that the same the subject of Printing; ought not to be granted for want of A resolution relative to the state of -vouchers, which was agreed to.

Manuster agreeably to notice mov- A resolution appointing Thomas red for the appointment of a committee H. Kenan, esq. a Notary Public for the to prepare and report a bill supplemen county of Baldwin—and, ent returns, &c.

nett & Henderson be that committee. Elected—and he withdrew.

yor, but not carried through the Se-ment of a committee to prepare and re-

be granted, and beg leave to offer the of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to amend the 17th section of an Resolved, That the said Hepworth act, to amend the several acts, regula-

ported a bill to amend and consolidate And that the commissioners thereof the several Militia laws of this state, &c.

Mr President;

carry the first section of the third article of the constitution into effect, and Resolved, That the report be amend-have added a committee on their part.

They have passed a bill to continue On the petition of Hepworth Carter, in force an act, giving further time to * Paying payment from the state for the fortunate drawers in the late land

the Treasury;

tary to an act, to point out the mode A resolution appointing a commitrendering void all grants or other tee on their part, to join such as occedings founded on false or fraumay be appointed by Senate, whose duty it shall be to see the office of the dered, That Messrs. Foster, Bar state delivered to the Secretary lately

and the bill therein contained, was entitled an act, to make permanent the read the first time.

appointing Thomas H. Kenan, esq. the chair-Mr President resumed the Notary Public for the county of chair and Mr Rabun reported that Baldwin;

In the resolution appointing a joint mendments. committee to see the office of state delivered to the Secretary lately elected iments which were read and agreed to

mittee consisting of Messrs. Park, for a third reading. *Foster and M'Cormick—and,

Printing.

massage do lie on the table.

reported a bill more particularly point-line state—Mr Cook in the chair—Ma ing out the duty of sheriffs, &c President resumed the chair, and Mr. in selling lands under execution, which Cook reported that they had going was received and read the first time.

The bill to be entitled an act, to compel clerks of the Superior and In-on the table. ferior courts, sheriffs, county survey. ors, coroners, collectors and receivers of tax returns of this state to take the morning. oath and give the security required by law within the time therein specified, was read the third time and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to amend ported a bill for the relief of Benjamin an act, to establish a ferry at or near|Scott, which was received and read the Joyce's landing on the Oconee river-|first time. Mr. Willson in the chair—Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Will- a numerous and respectable number of son reported, that the said bill together citizens from the counties of Wilkes, with the petition be recommitted to the Greene, Hancock, Warren and Ogl committee that reported the same.

which was read and agreed to.

The Senate took up the message, committee of the whole on the bill tobe, site of the public buildings for the They concurred in the resolution county of Wilkinson—Mr. Raburin they had gone through the bill with a-

The Senate took up the amend

And appointed on their part a com- Ordered, That the bill be engrossed

The Senate resolved itself into a com-In the resolution on the subject of mittee of the whole on the bill to be entitled an act, to afford temporary relief Ordered, That the remainder of said to the purchasers of Fractional Surveys, and to prevent the said fracting Mr. Henderson from the committee ons from being sold until paid for to through the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the said report do lie

Adjourned 'till 100'clock to-morrow

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Tuesday, 19th November, 1811-bed

Mr Brown from the committee re-

Mr. Park presented a petition from thorpe, praying a new county to be last The Senate took up the report, out from those several counties which being read,

The Senate resolved itself into al Ordered, That the petition be refer-

wed and read the first time.

ported a bill to repeal an act, to Constitution.

ust time.

Mr. Henderson presented a petition Constitution. in Bozeman Adare, which was read ind referred to a special committee, ley and Leigh be that committee. nsisting of Messrs. Henderson, Raand Park.

On motion of Mr. Hogan,

Whereas the opening of a road from mittee, consisting of Messes Reid, town of Hartford, in the county of Lawson and Newsom. aski, crossing Flint river, at or near laid out through the Creek nation of read the first time. Indians from Milledgeville to Fort Stoddart, at or near where the sammanifest convenience to the citizens in the Eastern parts of this state

Be it therefore resolved, That His Excellency the Governor be request ed to a ress the President of the U nited States on the subject of the a brementioned road, and obtain if pos sible the laying out and opening to me. 🦠

Mr. Jackson agreeably to notice, in oduced a bill to compel the Clerk file Superior and Inferior courts of the several road acts in this state, so

wipint committee, to consider of Wilkinson county to keep their offices rembers of each respective count at or within one mile of the court house, o compose the committee on the which was received and reat the first

of Senate.

In Jackson agreeably to notice re Mr. Owens gives notice that he will red a bill to divorce. John Powell on to-morrow move for the appoint-Rachel his wife, which was re ment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to alter and strike out the Mr. M'Cormick from the commit-15th section of the 4th article of the

Torise Henry Joice to erect a ferry Mr. Powell agreeably to notice movfor near his landing on the Oconee ed for the appointment of a committee iver, which was received and read the to prepare and report a bill, to alter the 2th section of the first article of the

Ordered, That Messrs. Powell, Doo-

Mr. Reid presented a petition from William and Francis Jackson, which was read and referred to a special com-

Mr. Johnston from the committee Mothy Barnard's, & from thence the reported a bill to regulate the time of st practicable and direct course, so electing Aldermen, &c. of the City of intersect the main road lately Savannah, which was received and

Mr Hudspeth notifies the Senate hat he will on to morrow move for Prosses the Chatahuchee, would be of leave to report a bill, to amend the 2th section of an act, to protect the estates of Orphans.

Mr. Jackson gives notice that he will on to-morrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill, to make valid the Sheriffs' sales of Twiggs county.

Mr. Willson gives notice that he all on to-morrow move for the appointtent of a committee to prepare and reort a bill, to explain an act, to amend far as respects the counties therein, and 25th days of November 179 named.

Mr Powell agreeably to notice mov-lesq. now deceased, from the pu ed for the appointment of a committee or two plantations called Dubli. to present early report a bill, to amen. Cherrynill, situate and being the 17th section of an act, regulating country of Bryan, originally conroad, so ar as respects the operation red as the property of John B. Max of said acis in the counties therein in consequence of the wife and named.

Ordered. That Messrs. Powell, ving ob a ned the possession of the Willson and Harrison be that commit-Plantation after sales to the said le

Mr. Procli presented a petition possession under the title he had from Figury Sommerlone, which was ceived from the state. read and referred to the committee on the then Attorney General of the Finance.

Mr M Cormick presented a petiti and directed to bring suit against on from a number of the inhabitants of person or persons who had the Montgomery county, which was read ession of the said plantation, and i & referred to a special committee, con the same in opposition to the claim sisting of Messrs. M'Cormick, With the state. And whereas it does not ams and Stripling.

On motion of Mr. Byne,

Resolved, That Doctor James said plantations in behalf of the s-Whitehead be and he is hereby ap-hotwithstanding although the we pointed a commissioner of the town of the said John B. Maxwell has c and Academy of Waynesboro' in the tinued in possession of the same, in ! county of Burke, in place of David position to the claim of the state, & Robertson, deceased.

Mr. Crawford gives notice that helmeans the state has been for m' will on to-morrow move for leave to years deprived of the use of the introduce a bill to authorise the Infe-plantation or of the money for will rior court of Randolph county to levy they would have sold. an extra tax, to enable them to com- Be it therefore resolved by the Ser plete the public buildings of said coun-and House of Representatives, That ty.

Mr. Pray called up the resolution rict, do as soon as possible bring s laid on the table some days ago, which for, and in behalf of this state, again was read, agreed to, and is in the word lany and all persons having or claim, following, to wit:

State, did by resolutions on the 19th called Dublin and Cherryhill, in

liease and exonora e Jacob Walb dren of the said John B. Maxwel's Waidburger, and before he could And whe was by the said Legislatuse orde pear that any action was ever broor prosecuted for the recovery of the order before referred to by wla

Solicitor General of the Eastern 🖑 the possession, or any other right Whereas the Legislature of this interest of, or in the said plantation

*county of Bryan, originally confiscated being required, are Yeas 18—Nays 14. as the property of John Butler Max- Those who voted in the affirmative well as aforesaid, and that he use all are Messrs. Barnett, Byne, Crawford, Tawful means for the recovery of the Davis, Harrison, Hudspeth, Johnston, same.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; Sheppard and Stewart.

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have are Messrs. Blair, Brown, Cook, Fospassed a bill to divorce John Stark and ter, Hardie, Henderson, Jackson, Nancy his wife.

They have passed a resolution ap-(of Telfair), Williams, and Willson.

of Greene county—and,

and he withdrew.

lie on the table.

to a committee of the whole on the bill out any amendment. to point out the mode of electing Elec- The Senate took up the report, and tors to vote for President and Vice-the same being read was agreed to. President of the United States—Mr. Cook in the chair—Mr President re-the third time and passed. sumed the chair, and Mr Cook report they had gone through the same with-without any amendment. ut any amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and the table.

he same being read,

On motion of Mr. Hudspeth,

Resolved, That the further consider ine next. And on the question to a-state.

e affirmative, and the Yeas and Nays whole.—and,

Leigh, Little, M'Cormick, Newsom, * A message from the House of Ré-Owens, Pray, Rabun, Reid, Scruggs,

> Those who voted in the negative, Jones, Lawson, Park, Stripling, Watts

pointing a Justice of the Inferior court | The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill A resolution appointing a Justice of to alter the name of John William the Inferior court of Jefferson county.... Henry Tamplin, to that of John William Henry Hobson—Mr Owens Ordered, That the said message do in the chair—Mr President resumed the chair, and Mr Owens reported that The Senate resolved itself in-they had gone through the same with-

Whereupon the said bill was read

The Senate resolved itself into a ed progress and had leave to set again committee of the whole on the bill to ... The Senate resolved itself into a amend an act, for the improvement of committee of the whole on the bill for the navigation of Broad river—Mr the relief of John Fielder—Mr Rabun Byne in the chair—Mr President rethe chair-Mr President resumed sumed the chair, and Mr Byne reportthe chair, and Mr Rabun reported that led that they had gone through the same

Ordered, That the same do lie on

The following bills were severally read the 2d time, to wit:

A bill to amend an act, for the reeration of said bill be postponed 'till demption of the public debt of this

Tee to the same, it was determined in Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to alter the time of holding Elections for county officers in this the same being read was agreed to. state, so far as respects sheriffs, clerks, The bill to continue in force an act, surveyors and coroners.

whole.

granting to the Commissioners of thelunder execution, were severally read Sunbury Academy for the use of that the second time, and ordered for a Seminary, one hundred and sixty-six committee of the whole, and two third acres of land—Mr Will son in the chair—Mr President resum-of the public buildings in the county of ed the chair, and Mr Willson reported Wilkinson, was read the third time and that they had gone through the same passed. without any amendment.

on the table.

The Senate resolved itself into alfor a committe of the whole. committee of the whole on the bill for The Senate took up the message the relief of Stephen W. Moore—Mr. from the House of Representatives, Newsom in the chair—Mr President and the bill to divorce John Starke and resumed the chair, and Mr. Newsom Nancy his wife, was read the first time. reported that they had gone through They concurred in the resolution the same without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and court of Greene county. the same being read was agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a said message do lie on the table. committee of the whole on the bill to alter an act, for licensing and regula morning. ting pedlars—Mr l'ark in the chair-Mr President resumed the chair, and WEDNESDAY, 20th November, 1811. Mr Park reported progress, and had leave to set again.

sommittee of the whole on the bill to for the relief of John Fielder. manumit and set free certain persons of color therein named —Mr Rabun in table. the chair—Mr President resumed the Mr. Rabun from the committee on chair, and Mr. Rabun reported that the State of the Republic reported, the further consideration of said bill be which was read and ordered to lie on postponed 'till June next.

The Senate took up the report, and

giving further time to fortunate draw-Ordered for a committee of the ers in the late land lotteries to take out their grants.

The Senate resolved itself into a The bill more particularly pointing out committee of the whole on the bill the duty of sheriffs &c. in selling lands

The bill to make permanent the site

The bill to amend and consolidate Ordered, That the said report do lie the several Militia Laws of this state. was read the second time, and ordered

appointing a Justice of the Inferior

Ordered, That the remainder of

Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow

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On motion of Mr Brown, The Journal of yesterday was re-The Senate resolved itself into a considered so far as respects the bill

Ordered, That the bill do lie on the

the table.

reported a bill, to make permanent the Harrison & Stewart be that committee. site of the public buildings in the Mr Reid presented a petition from county of Laurens, which was receiv-James Whyle and John Aspy, which ed and read the first time.

Mr. Park presented a memorial from tee on Petitions. Edmund B. Jenkins, esq which was Mr Owens agreeably to notice movread and referred to a special commit-led for the appointment of a committee tee, consisting of Messrs. Park, Reid, to alter or strike out the fifteenth and Barnett.

A letter was laid on the table from stitution. James Wood, which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. M'Cormick,

remainder of the week.

Mr. Henderson from the committee lows; reported a bill for the relief of Bozeman Adare, which was received and Republic, to whom was referred the read the first time.

Montgomery for the better convenience examination of the pay rolls in the Exof the citizens thereof, which was re-ecutive office, that the claim is just and ceived and read the first time.

Mr Reid from the committee report recommend the following resolution. ed on the petition of William and Franfetered to lie on the table.

received and read the first time.

moved to introduce a bill to divorce And on the subject of the claims of "was received and read the first time.

moved for the appointment of a com-to be granted. mittee to prepare and report a bill to The same being read, ordered, that sing roads, &c.

Mr. M'Cormick from the committee | Ordered, That Messrs. Willson,

was read and referred to the commit-

section of the fourth article of the Con-

Ordered, That Messrs. Owens, Dooley and Byne be that committee.

The Senate took up the report of Mr. Hogan has leave of absence the the committee on the petition of James Wood, which was read, and is as fol-

The committee on the State of the petition of James Wood, claiming in ... Mr M. Cormick from the committee behalf of the heirs and representatives reported a bill to divide the county of ef Edward Wood, are of opinion from lought to be granted. They therefore

Resolved, That the sum of four eis Jackson, which was read and or-hundred and sixty-five dollars, and sixty-four and three quarter cents be Mr Hudspeth from the committee allowed the heirs and legal represenreported a bill to amend an act, to pro-tatives of Edward Wood, agreeably to teet the estate of Orphans, which was a concurred resolution of the General Assembly of this state, passed in the

eertain persons therein named, which the said Wood for himself and Brother's heirs for land, the committee are Mr Willson agreeably to notice of opinion, that the same ought not

explain an act, to amend an act, regulthat the first resolution, do lie on the table.

tion be agreed to.

on to-morrow move for the appoint dent resumed the chair, and Mr Cook ment of a committee to prepare and re-reported progress and had leave to sit port a bill, to alter and amend an act, lagain. for the more full and complete establishment of a public seat of learning committee of the whole on the bill to in this state.

Pinder and Rebecca Ann his wife.

Mr Jackson gives notice that he will mendment. on to-morrow move for the appoint ment of a committee to prepare and re-which was read and agreed to. port a bill, to create and form a new Ordered, That the said bill be enbrigade, and attach the same to the se-grossed for a third reading. cond divison of the militia of this state. The Senate again resolved itself in-

taken up and read the second time, and to amend an act, for licensing and reordered for a committee of the whole, gulating Pedlars—Mr Rabun in the

kinson county to keep their offices at, the further consideration of said bill be or witin one mile of the court house.

A bill to regulate the time and mode Market of the City of Savannah.

A bill to divorce John Powell and Nays 10. Rachell his wife.

Scott, and,

Nancy his wife.

committee of the whole on the bill more Washington) and Willson. particularly pointing out the duty of Those wo voted in the negative, are sheriffs and constables in certain cases, Messrs. Blair, Cook, Foster, Henger-

And, Resolved, that the last resolution of an act, pointing out the duty of sheriffs in selling lands under executi-Mr Barnet gives notice that he will on-Mr Cook in the chair-Mr Presi-

The Senate resolved itself into a alter the time of holding the elections Mr Jonston gives notice that helof county officers, &c.—Mr Foster in will on to morrow move for leave to the chair-Mr President resumed the introduce a bill, to divorce William chair, and Mr Foster reported that they had gone through the same with an a-

The Senate took up the report,

The following bills were severally to a committee of the whole on the bill chair—Mr President resumed the A bill to compel the clerks of Wil-chair, and Mr. Rabun reported that postponed 'till June next.

The Senate took up the report, of electing Aldermen and clerk of the which was rerd, and on the question to agree to the same, it was determin-A bill to repeal an act, authorising ed in the affirmative, and the Yeas and. Henry Joice to erect a toll bridge—and Nays being required, are Yeas 21—

Those who voted in the affirmative, A bill for the relief of Benjamin are Messrs. Barnett, Byne, Crawford, Dooley, Hardie, Harrison, Hudspeth, A bill to divorce John Starke and Johnston, Jones, Lawson, Leigh, M-Cormick, Owens, Pray, Park, Rabun, The Senate resolved itself into alReid, Scruggs, Stewart, Watts, (of

and to alter and explain the first sec-son, Little, Newsom, Stripling, Watts

(of Telfair), and Williams.

The Senate resolved itself into a this State—Mr. Powell in the chair—and he withdrew -Mr. President resumed the chair,

and had leave to set again.

The Senate resolved itself into a take out their grants—Mr. Owens in for a few days. the chair—Mr. President resumed the gress, and had leave to set again.

The Senate took up the report of which was read and agreed to. the committee of the whole on the bill to amend an act, for the improvement the third time and passed. of the navigation of Broad river, and the same being read, was agreed to;

the third time and passed.

The Senate took up the report of the Chatham. committee of the whole, on the bill granting to the commissioners of Sun-morning. bury Academy, for the use of that institution, 166 2 3 acres of land, and the same being read, was agreed to;

Whereupon the said bill was read the third time and passed unanimous-

The Senate took up the report of lating Pedlars the committee of the whole on the bill to change the names of certain persons, on the table. which was read and agreed to with an amendment.

the third time and passed.

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have committee of the whole on the b ll to passed a bill, to alter and amend the amend an act, to establish a fund for fourth and fifth sections of the third the redemption of the public debt of article of the Constitution of this state

The Senate took up the message, and Mr. Powell reported progress, and the said bill was read the first ltime.

The Senate being informed that the committee of the whole on the bill to peculiar situation of Mr Rabun's famicontinue in force an act, giving fur-ly requires his immediate attention ther time to fortunate drawers to Ordered, that he have leave of absence

The Senate took up the report of chair, and Mr. Owens reported pro-the committee of the whole on the bill for the relief of Stephen W. Moore,

Whereupon the said bill was read

On motion of Mr. Johnston,

Resolved, That Fingal Thomas Whereupon the said bill was read Flyming be, and he is hereby appointed a Notary Public for the county of

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to morrow

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Thursday, 21st November, 1811.

On motion of Mr. Powell,

The Senate reconsidered the minutes of yesterday, on the bill regu-

Ordered, That the said bill do lie

Mr. Scruggs from the joint committee to enquire into and report whether Whereupon the said bill was read it was necessary to pass any law during the present session of the Legis. * A message from the House of Re-lature for the alleviation of debtors, representatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; ported, that no such law is necessary.

the table.

moved for a committee to report a bill as follows; to be entitled an act, to create and form a new Brigade, and attach the same to To the Senate and House of Representhe second Division of Militia of this state.

Ordered. That Messrs. Jackson, Johnson and Byne be that committee. | tees of the University of Georgia res-

Mr. Barnett notified the benate that pectfully sheweth: he will on to morrow move for leavel to introduce a bill, to incorperate the University on the 27th day of Janua-Petersburg Mercantile Company.

reported a bill, to be entitled an act, to adopted for accomplishing the greatauthorise the Justices of the Interior and important designs of the institucourt of Randolph county to levy anltion, the Trustees shall from time to extra tax, to enable them to complete time represent and lay before the Gethe court house of said county, which neral Assembly. was read the first time.

reported a bill, to be entitled an actify to represent to your honorable boto divorce William Pittder & Rebece 1 y, that from causes arising out of the his wife, which was read the 1st time general pressure of the times the funds

Petitions reported on the petition of sed in their income, and too inactive to James Wylie and John Espey, which lanswer the purposes for which they was ordered to lie on the table.

committee of the whole on the bill to nally made, has been lessened by the lidate the several Militia laws of this tract of five thousand acres felling state, and to adapt the same to the acts within the state of South Carolina, and of the Congress of the United States, another of five thousand more in Jackso far as respects the Infantry, Artil son county, having been almost entirelery and Rifle corps—Mr. Cook in the ly recovered at law by individuals chair—Mr. President resumed the claiming the same. chair, and Mr. Cook reported progress The business of Education indisand had leave to set again.

which was read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the report do lie on Mr. Barnett laid on the table an ad. dress, directed to the President of Se-Agreeably to notice Mr. Jackson nate, which being opened and read, is

> tatives of the Legislature of Georgia in General Assembly met.

> The memorial of the Board of Trus

That by the Charter granted to the ry 1785, it is directed, that whatever-Mr. Crawford agreeably to notice public measures are necessary to be

In conformity with this provision Agreeably to notice Mr. Johnson your memorialists now feel it their dub Mr. Newsom from the committee on appertaining to the trust are depreswere intended. To this they will add, The Senate resolved itself into althat the amount of the donation origibe entitled an act, to amend and conso-loss of ten thousand acres of land; one

pensably requires a College Library, The Senate took up the report [and an apparatus more complete than that heretofore purchased. The sasalaries alone for support, ought to be the first time fendered certain and prompt in their bayment. These objects cannot be morning. realized by us with our present funds

The great purposes for which the University was established, are of an portance which we need not represent; it must be felt by all. We are have been temporary, and are passing resigned. pressed value of our funds to have been lows; a leading one. This can be removed only by your honorable body

best, and that the interest you feel in county, Report, the Education of the rising generation. will lead to its adoption.

bound will ever pray.

By Order of the Board, Attest—Duncan G. Campbell,

mittee on the state of the University

Mr. Park from the joint committee solution; to whom was referred a petition from which was ordered to lie on the table. person as an attorney in behalf of this

ported a bill, to be entitled an act, to was read and agreed to. tach the same to the second Division of follows:

laries of officers, depending upon those Militia of this state, which was read

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow

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FRIDAY, 22d November, 1811. On motion of Mr. Foster,

Resolved, That Archer Avery, esq. sensible that the just expectations of be, and he is hereby appointed a Justhe public have not heretofore been and tice of the Inferior court of Columbia swered; but we hope that the causes county, in place of Thaddeus Bell, esq.

away. Among these causes however, Mr. Park from the committee on the we believe the inactive state and de-State of the Republic, reported as fol-

The committee on the State of the Republic to whom was referred the We forbear from suggesting any Communication of His Excellency the particular mode, confidently believing Governor, of a letter received by him that your own wisdom will devise the from Mr. John H. Bass of Hancock

That they have taken the same unler consideration, and are of opinion And your memorialists as in duty as the lot of land alluded to in the said letter was purchased of the State, and as the controversy at law appears to be JOHN BROWN, President. between Thomas Culbreath a fraudulent drawer in the land lottery, and the Sec'ry of the University. Said Bass, your committee are of opinion that it is just and right that the Ordered to be referred to the com-state should defend the same; they therefore recommend the following re-

Resolved, That His Excellency the the counties of Wilkes, Warren, Han-Governor be, and he is hereby recock, Greene and Oglethorpe reported, quested to employ some fit and proper Mr. Jackson from the committee re-state, to defend the said suit; which

create and form a new brigade, and at- He also made a further report, as

United States

vernor of this state has laid before this Governors of the several States. General Assembly, a resolution pas sed by the Congress of the United nimously agreed to.

of Representatives in Congress assem ordered to lie on the table. bled, two thirds of both houses con ourring, that the following section be ported a bill to alter the 15th section submitted to the Ligislatures of the of the 4th article of the Constitution of several states, which when ratified by this state, which was received and the Legislatures of three fourths of the read the first time. states, shall be alid and binding as a Mr Dooley gives notice, that he part of the Constitution of the United will on to morrow report a bill to alter States.

If any citizen of the United States of the Western Circuit. cept or retain any present, pension the first time. ing any office of trust or profit under protem. them or either of them.

ed by the General Assembly of the state, &c. was read the third time and State of Georgia, That the foregoing passed amendment proposed by Congress to The following bills were severally the Constitution of the United States read the second time, and ordered for be, and the same is hereby, on the parile committee of the whole, to wit: of this state, agreed to, ratified and A bill to divide Montgomery county. confirmed.

And be it further resolved, That phans, &c. going resolution to the President of county.

On the resolution proposing an a the Senate & Speaker of the House of mendment to the Constitution of the Representatives of the United States, & to each of our Senators & Representa-Whereas His Excellency the Go-lives in Congress, and to each of the

And the same being read, was unat

States, in the words following, to wit: He also reported on the petition re-Resolved, by the Senate and House lative to Thomas and Scott, which was

Mr. Owens from the committee re-

the time of holding the Superior courts

shall accept, claim, receive or retain a Mr. Willson from the committee reny title of nobility or honor, or shall ported a bill, to amend the several road without the consent of Congress ac acts, &c. which was received and read

office or emolument of any kind what | The President of Senate having ever from any Emperor, King, Prince withdrawn to attend the Board of or Foreign Power, such person shall I rustees of the University, the Hocease to be a cuizen of the United norable William Barnett was nomi-States, and shall be incapable of hold lated and took the chair as President

The bill to alter the time of holding Be it therefore unanimously resolv | the elections for county officers in this

A bill to protect the estates of Or-

His Excellency the Governor be re- A bill to make permanent the site quested to transmit copies of the fore of the public buildings in Laurens herein named.

A bill for the relief of Bozeman A-some amendments.

Rebecca Ann his wife.

A bill to form a new Brigade, and on of Militia of this State; and,

stitution of this state.

a third reading.

to fortunate drawers in the late land it was determined in the negative. lotteries to take out their grants—Mr sumed the chair, and Mr. Byne report |in the bill as an amendment; ed thet they had gone through the same with amendments

with an amendment.

third reading.

state, and to adapt the same to the acts are inflicted by this law chair—Mr. President resumed the quired, are as follows;

A bill to divorce certain persons chair, and Mr. Cook reported that they had gone through the bill, and made

The Senate took up the report, and A bill to divorce William Pindar and on motion of Mr. Barnett, That the folllowing clause be enacted, to wit:

Be it enacted, That it shall be the arach the same to the second divisi-duty of the Brigadier General of each Brigade, once in each year, to cause A bill to alter the fourth and fifth the Regiment or Regiments or Battalsections of the third article of the Con llions in counties having but one Pattallion under his command, to assem-The bill to authorise the Justices of ble at such time and place within the the Inferior court of the county of county as he may appoint, with five Randolph to levy an extra tax, was days provision, and such implements read the second time, and ordered for and camp equipage as are necessary, and cause the said Regiments or Bat-The Senate again resolved itself in fallions to be exercised and taught all to a committee of the whole on the bilitie duties of a regular camp, not excontinuing in force an act, passed 22d ceeding five days at any one time; and December 1808, giving further time on the question to agree to the same

On motion of Mr. Dooley, That the Byne in the chair - Mr. President re sfollowing enacting clause be inserted

" and be it further enacted, That lit shall be the duty of Beig diers e e-The Senate took up the report, and ral to call conventions of all the comthe same being read was agreed to missioned or breveted officers of their Brigades, as near the centre of the Bri-Ordered, That the amendment belgade as may be most convenient, and engrossed, and the said bill stand for a there to instruct them in all the Militalry evolutions, not less than six days The *Senate resolved itself into a|m each year, and that they shall apcommittee of the whole, on the bill to pear with such arms as the Brigadier be entitled an act to amend and consili General shall order, and on detault date the several militia laws of this made, shall be liable to such fines as

"of the Congress of the United States, And on the question to agree to the so far as respects the Infantry, Artil same, it was determined in the negalery and Rifle corps—Mr. Cook in the tive; and the Yeas and Nays being reare, Vessis. Barnett, Brown, Cook, y of Baldwin; Crawford, Dooley, Jackson, Johnson | In the resolution appointing Robert Jones, W. Cormick, Park, Pray, Reid A. Beatl a commissioner for the War-Scruggs and it wart.

Those who voted in the negative are Messrs. Blair, Byne, Loster, Hardic, Whitehead a commissioner of the town Harrison, Henderson, Hudspeth, Law-and Academy of Waynesboro'; son, Leign, Lutle, Newsom, Powell Stripling, Watts (of Telfair), Wilhams and Will-Jounty of Oglethorpe and town of Lexzon.

A message from the House of kepresentatives by Mr Holt their Clerk; on the application of E. B. Jenkins, to Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have part of Senate. passed the bill from Senate, to amend an act, to incorporate the Planters' mittee on the petition of a number of Bank of the state of Georgia with a-the inhabitants of Columbia county, to mendments, and they have passed the Join such committee on the part of Sebill from Senate, entitled an act, to al- ate, and they have passed the followter the time of the setting of the Superi-jug buls; or courts in the county of Wayne;

They have concurred in the reso the Judiciary act of 1799; lution on the subject of obtaining Indian territory from the Cherokee Nation;

In the resolution on the subject of far as respects the county of Wayne; a road from Hartford to the road leading to Fort Stoddart;

In the resolution requiring the So-iment of a ferry on the Oconee; licitor of the Eastern District to bring suit for Dublin and Cherry-hill planta- Everett; tions—and,

road from Alcofauhachee to M.In-Burton, Sally Burton and Matilda: tosh's ferry on Chatahouchee, with an iBurton, minors. amendment.

tion appointing Justices of the Interor court for the county of Baldwin;

Those who voted in the affirmative his Jetera Notary Public for the count

ren county A cademy;

In the resolution appointing James

In the resolution appointing Willi-Watts (of Washington) am Strott er a Notary Public for the /ington ;

> They have appointed a committee join such as may be appointed on the

They have appointed a joint com-

A bill to amend the 31st section of

A bill to lay out a new county;

A bill to be entitled an act, to amend the several road laws of this state, so

A bill to be entitled an act, to confirm to Jared Trammell, the establish-

A bill for the relief of Benjamin

A bill to amend an act, entitled an In the resolution on the subject of a pet, to change the names of Betsey

A bill to incorporate the town of They have concurred in the resolu Hartford, in the county of Pulaski, and vest certain powers in the commisioners thereof

In the resolution appointing Fran ! A bill to authorise the Inferior court

of Clarke county to levy an extra tax, for the purpose of building bridges.

A bill to regulate the Pilotage of ve-first time. sels to and from the Port of Darien and Sapelo river.

A bill to make valid certain papers mendments of the House of Represen-Mow in the possession of the Trustees tatives thereon, do lie on the table. of Union Academy, in the county of Putnam

offices at or within one mile of of their esquire, who refuses to serve respective court-houses, so far as respects the county of Pulaski—and

corporate the Roman Catholic Society state. of Augusta and county of Richmond, said Roman Catholic Society—and he which was ordered to lie on the table. withdrew.

- to M'Intosh's ferry on the Cha ordered to lie on the table tahouchee river.

They concurred in the several re-morning. solutions contained in the message, & joined on their part, Messrs. Leigh and Foster, a committee on the part of benate to take under consideration the petition from Columbia county, and,

E. B. Jenkins, esq. be added to the State, &c was reconsidered. joint committee of the House of Reresentatives on that subject.

The several bills contained in said message were taken up and read the

Ordered, That the bill to incorporate the Planters' Bank with the a-

On motion of Mr. Owens,

Resolved, That Joel Crawford be, A bill to repeal an act, entitled an and he is hereby appointed a commisact, to compel the Clerks of the Supe sioner of the Baldwin county Acaderior and Inferior courts to keep their my, in place of John W. Devereux;

Mr Jackson notifies the Senate that pects the counties of Pulaski and Tel |he will on to morrow move for the apfair, which is to operate so far as res |pointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to be entitled an act, A bill to be entitled an act, to in to amend the Judiciary System of this

ver. Park from the joint committee and to authorise the Trustees of the appointed to inspect the office of the Richmond Academy to convey a lot of Secretary of State, and transfer the land in the City of Augusta, to the same to the person elect, reported,

Mr. Foster presented a resolution The Senate took up the message, requiring the State-house officers to and concurred in the amendment made lay a schedule of books, &c. in their by the House to the resolution on the respective offices before the succeedsubject of the road leading from _____ing Legislature, which was read and

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow

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SATURDAY, 23d November, 1811,

On motion of Mr. Jackson,

The Journal of yesterday so far as. • Ordered, That the committee to respects the bill to amend and consoliwhom was referred the application of date the several Militia laws of this

> Ordered, That the said bill with the lreport do lie on the table.

On motion,

Mr Brown had leave of absence 'till Master for the town of Milledgeville.

Monday next.

Mr Foster from the committee reported a bill to legalize and make valid be, and he is hereby appointed a Justi two manuscript books of the old re-tice of the Inferior court of Elbert cords of the Executive Department county, in place of William Barnett. which was received and read the first/esq. resigned.

ported a bill to alter the 12th section of to report a bill, to alter an act, to amend the 1st article of the Constitution, an act, to incorporate the town of Warwhich was received and read the first renton.

Roger Olmsteal, which was receiv, read and referred to a special commit-/ The House of Representatives have tee consisting of Messrs. Foster, Stew-bassed a bill to amend an act to legalart and ittle

Mr Newsom from the committee re-Iriff's and Clerks, &c ported as duly enrolled and signed by the Speaker, the following acts, to wit: Jon the memorial of Messrs. Scott and

An act to alter the first section of Thomas—and he withdrew. the third article of the Constitution, The Senate took up the message, which was presented to and signed by and the said bill was read the first the President.

Ordered, That the committee do take the said act to His Excellency the message do lie on the table. Governor for his revision.

ed for the appointment of a committee referred to the committee on the nato pepare and report a bill to amend vigation bill. the Judiciary of this state.

that committee.

William Gibert, which was received, to the bill to amend an act, to incorporead and referred to the committee on rate the Planters' Bank of the State of petitions.

On motion of Mr. Hudspeth,

Resolved, That Alexander Greene Mr. Watts (of Washington) and be, and he is hereby appointed Vendue

On motion,

Resolved, That James Banks, esq.

Mr. Newsom gives notice that he Mr Powell from the committee re-will on Monday next, move for leave

A message from the House of Re-Mr. Foster presented a Petition from presentatives by Mr. Holt their Clerk; Mr. President;

lize and make valid certain acts of She-

And they have passed a resolution

ime.

Ordered, That the balance of said.

Mr. Park presented a petition from Mr Jackson agr gably to notice mov Richard Smith, jr. which was read and

He also presented a petition from Ordered, That Messrs Jackson, Daniel Butler, which was read and Park Barnett, Dooley and Hardie be referred to the committee on petitions.

The Senate took up the amendments Mr. Park presented a petition from made by the House of Representatives Georgia, &c. which were read and agreed to.

committee of the whole on the bill to Hardie, Harrison, Henderson, Jackson, regulate the time and mode of electing Johnson, Jones, Lawson, Leigh, Ma the Aldermen & clerk of the market of Cormick, Newsom, Owens, Park, Powthe City of Savannah--Mr Park in ell, Pray, Reid, Sheppard, Stewart the chair- Mr. President resumed the Watts (of Telfair), Williams and Willchair, and Mr. Park reported, that they son. had gone through the same without Those who voted in the negative are, any amendment.

The Senate took up the report, Hudspeth, Little, and Scruggs. which was read and agreed to.

the third time and passed.

mile of the court-house—Mr Byne in leave to set again. the chair—Mr President resumed the ny amendment.

which was agreed to.

the third time and passed.

dent resumed the chair, and Mr. Cook being called for, are as follows—Yeas reported, that they had gone through 20—Nays 9. the same without any amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read Leigh, M'Cormick, Newsom, Owens, the third time, and on the question, Park, Powell, Pray, Reid, Sheppard, shall this bill now pass, it was deter-Stewart, Watts (of Telfair), Williams mined in the affirmative; and the Yeas and Willson. -Nays 7.

The Senate resolved itself into a are, Messrs. Blair, Crawford, Dooley,

Messrs. Barnett, Byne, Cook, Foster,

The Senate resolved itself into a Whereupon the said bill was read committee of the whole on the bill toamend an act, to establish a fund for The Senate resolved itself into althe redemption of the public debtcommittee of the whole, on the bill to Mr. Powell in the chair-Mr. Precompel Clerks of Wilkinson county sident resumed the chair, and Mr. to keep their offices at or within one Powell reported progress, and had

The Senate resolved itself into a chair, and Mr Byne reported, that they committee of the whole on the bill to had gone through the same without a-divorce John Powell and Rachael his wife—Mr Little in the chair—Mr. The Senate took up the report, President resumed the chair, and Mr. Little reported that they had gone Whereupon the said bill was read through the same with an amendment.

The Senate resolved itself into a Whereupon the said bill was read committee of the whole on the bill to the third time, & on the question shall divorce John Stark and Nancy his wife this bill now pass, it was determined in -Mr. Cook in the chair-Mr. Presi-the affirmative, and the Yeas and Nays

Those who voted in the affirmative The Senete took up the report are Messrs. Blair, Crawford, Dool, Hardie, Jackson, Johnston, Lawson,

and Nays being required, are, Yeas 23 Those who voted in the negative, are Messrs. Barnett, Byne, Cook, Those who voted in the affirmative Foster, Harrison, Henderson, Hudspeth; Jones and Laule.

committee of the whole on the bill to Governor by Mr Porter his Secretary; divorce William Pindar and Rebecca Ann his wife—Mr Byne in the chair -Mr. President resumed the chair, the Governor to inform the Senate that and Mr. Byne reported progress, and he has approved of and signed sundry had leave to set again.

committee of the whole on the bill to lowing effect, to wit: divorce and separate certain persous! One appointing Joseph Sill, esq. a therein named-Mr. Pray in the chair Lumber Measurer for the county of -- Mr. President resumed the chair, Bryan; mendrar nt.

thich was read and agreed to.

the third time, & on the question shall a Justice of the Inferior court of Brythis bill now pass, it was determined an county vice Patrick Houston, rein the regative, and the Yeas & Nays signed;

(of Telfair), Williams and Willson Holloway, resigned;

derson, Hudspeth, Johnston, Jones for the county of Chatham; Leigh Little, Newsom, Park, Powell One appointing John Chambers, and Scruggs.

Mr. Jones gives notice that he will Hancock; on Monday next, move for leave to One appointing Stephen W. Moore tion of the first article of the Constitu-Mary's, in the county of Camden-

Mr. Barnett from the committee re-

which was received & read the 1st time.

The Senate resolved itself into a A message from His Excellency the Mr. President;

I am directed by His Excellency resolutions which originated in this The Senate resolved itself into a branch of the Legislature, to the fold

and Mr Pray reported that they had Three appointing Lovet Warden, gone virough the same without any a John Chub, Thomes Davis, Thomas Green and Thomas Shields, esquires, The Senate took up the report, Lumber Measurers for the Port of |Savannah ;

When-upon the said bill was read One appointing Lee Blacksell, esq.

being required, are Yeas 13-Nays 17 | One confirming the Executive ap-Those who voted in the affirmative, pointment of Wiley Abercrombie and are Messrs. Crawford, Dooley, Jack- Armstead Richardson, esquires, Justison, Lawson, M'Cormick, Owens, ces of the Inferior court of Putnam Pray, Reid. Shepard, Stewart, Watts county, vice Simon Holt and Barnes

There who voted in the negative, One appointing Mossman Houston, are Mesors. Barnett, Blair, Byne, Joseph S. Pelott, James White and Jo-Cook, Fester, Hardie, Harrison, Hen | seph Miller, esquires, Notaries Public

esq a Notary Public for the county of

introduce a bill to amend the 7th sec- a Vendue Master for the town of St. and,

One appointing Isaac Abrahams, ported a bill to incorporate the Plan esq. a Vendue Master for the town of ters' Store in the town of Petersburg, Brunswick in the county of Glynn,

norning.

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Monday, 25th November, 1811. On motion of Mr. Owens,

persons therein named, and,

mitted, and that Mr. Owens be added read the second time. to the committee.

thereof, which was read the 1st time. The bill to alter an act, to protect

to introduce a bill, to be entitled an actiread the third time and passed. to authorise the Intendant and Coun was read the first time.

time.

On motion of Mr. Owens,

Jenkins, esq who refuses to qualify.

from John Griffin, which was read and referred to the committee on petitions

The bill to be entitled an act, to as ter the 15th section of the fourth artisthe table.

Adjourned full 10 o'clock Monday cle of the Constitution of this State was taken up and read the second time.

> Ordered for committee of the whole. The bill to be entitled an act, to a-

mend the several road acts, regulating roads in this state, so far as respects The minutes of yesterday were retine operation of said acts in the counconsidered on the bill to divorce certain ties of Bryan, Liberty, Mintosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne, so far as Ordered, That the bill be recomprespects the county of Glynn, was

Ordered for a shirtly reading.

*Agreeably to notice, Mr Newsom The bill to be entitled an act, to reported a bill to be entitled an act, to authorise the Justices of the Inferior alter and amend an act, entitled an act, court of the county of Randolph to leto incorporate the town of Warrenton vy an extra tax, to enable them to in the county of Warren, and to vest complete the court-house of said councertain powers in the Commissioners ty, was read the third time and passed.

Mr. Hardie notified the Senate that the estates of orphans, and to make he will on to-morrow move for leave permanent provision for the poor, was

The Senate resolved itself into a cil of the Town of St. Mary's to ies committee of the whole on the bill to sen the width of the front or St. Ma be entitled an act, to create and form a ry street, and for other purposes, which new brigade, and attach the same to the second division of the militia of Mr. Hudspeth reported a bill to belihis state—Mr. Byne in the chair entitled an act, for the relief of Tho Mr. President resumed the chair, and mas M'Cay, which was read the first Mr. Byne reported progress and had leave to set again.

The Senate resolved itself into a Resolved, I hat Francis Smith, esq. committee of the whole on the bill to be, and he is hereby appointed a Jus be entitled an act, for the relief of tice of the Inferior court of the coun Bozeman Adare, a State Troop Soldity of Baldwin, in place of Edmund B |er-Mr. Newsom in the chair-Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. · Mr. Jackson presented a petition Newsom reported, that they had gone arough the bill without any amend-

Ordered, That the report do lie or

The Senate resolved itself into: committee of the whole on the bill to add a part of Montgomery county to committee on the State of the Repub. Tatnall and Laurens counties-Mr |uc on the petition of Scott and Tho-Park in the chair-Mr. President re mas, which being read was ordered to sumed the chair, and Mr. Park report lie on the table. ed progress and had leave to set again.

mend and consolidate the several Mili-John Griffin, on the petition of Willitia Laws of this state, and to adapt the um Gilbert, and on the petition of same to the acts of the Congress of Daniel Butler, which were sevethe United States, so far as respects vally read and ordered to lie on the tathe Infantry, Artillery and Rifle Corps, ble. was read the third time and passed.

committee of the whole, on the bill to committee to be appointed to prepare be entitled, an act to alter and amend and report a bill to alter and amend the the fourth and fifth sections of the 3d 23d section of the Judiciary law of this article of the Constitution of this state. state, passed 16th February, 1799. Mr. Cook in the Chair. Mr. President resumed the Chair, and Mr. Cook reported, that they had gone through pointment of Abraham Twiggs as a the same without any amendment

time and on the question, "shall this John Catlett, Esq. dec. be, and the bill now pass?" it was determined in same is hereby confirmed. the affirmative, and the yeas and nays being required, are as follow: Ayes Resolved, That John Faulk be, and 21, Noes 10.

are Messrs. Blair, Cook, Crawford, in the place of Arthur Fort, Esq. re-Foster, Hardee, Henderson, Jackson, signed. Jones, Lawson, Leigh, Little, M'Cor- The Senate took up the report of Williams and Wood.

are Messrs. Barnett, Byne, Dooley, whereupon the said bill was read the Harrison, Hudspeth, Johnson, Pray, third time, and on the question, "shall Scruggs, Stewart and Wilson.

morning,

Tuesday, 26th November, 1811. The Senate took up the report of the

Mr. Newsom from the committe on The bill to be entitled an act to a-Petitions, reported on the petition of

Mr. Leigh notified the Senate, that The Senate resolved itself into a he would on to-morrow move for à

On motion of Mr. Leigh,

Resolved, That the Executive ap-Justice of the Inferior court of the The said bill was read the third county of Richmond, in the room of

On motion of Mr. Lawson,

he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Those who voted in the affirmative, Inferior court for the county of Twiggs

mick, Newsom, Owens, Park, Powell, the committee of the whole, on the bill Reid, Shepherd, Watts (of Telfair), to be entitled an act for the relief of Bozeman Adare, a State-Troop soldi-Those who voted in the negative, er, which being read was agreed to; this bill now pass?" it was determined. Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow in the affirmative, and the yeas and hays being required, are year 19, nays;

\$ 3.

Watts (of Telfair), Williams & Wood, the President of Senate. ston, Jones, Newsom, Owens, Powell, sion Stewart and Willson.

a number of the inhabitants of Colum-are paid for to the state. was referred to a joint committee.

of Senate.

Mr. Foster introduced a bill to beling required, are Yeas 14— Nays 18. dulent returns made by persons not en-herd, Williams and Wood. time.

Mr. Hardie from the committee reported a bill, to be entitled an act, to mended, and, authorise the Intendant and Council of the town of St. Mary's to lessen the table. width of front or St. Mary street, and the first time.

Mr. Newsom from the committee of Those who voted in the affirmative, unrollment reported, as duly enrolled are Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Brown, and signed by the Speaker, an act to Cook, Crawford, Hardie, Henderson, alter the time of the statings of the Su-Lawson, Leigh, Little, M. Cormick, perior courts in the country of Wayne, Park, Pray, Reid, Scruggs, Shepard, which was presented to, and signed by

Those who voted in the negative, Ordered. That the committee of are Messrs. Byne, Dooley, Foster, Enrollment do carry the said bill to His Harrison, Hudspeth, Jackson, John Excellency the Governor for his revi-

The Senate took up the report of the Mr. Park from the committee on the committee on the bill to be entured an State of the Republic, reported on the lact, to afford t mporat, we let to the memorial of Jonas Fauche and others, purchasers of Fractional Saggette, and which was ordered to lie on the table to prevent the said fractions from be-Mr. Foster presented a petition from ing sold for the tax thereof, until 1 27

bia and Warren, which being read, On motion of Mr Dooley to strike out, " in the late purchase," & inseri-· Ordered, That Messrs. Foster and in the two purchases." on the questi-Newsom be the committee on the partition to agree, it was determined in the negative, and the Yeas and Nays be-

entitled an act, supplementary to an Those who voted in the affirmative, act, entitled an act, to point the modelare Messrs. Byne, Dooley, Foster, of rendering void all grants or other Harrison, Johnson, Jones, Lawson, proceedings, founded on false or frau-Leigh, Newsom, Owens, Park, Sheper

titled to draws in the late land lotte- Those who voted in the negative, ries in this state, and to repeal an actlare Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Brown, bassed at the General Assembly on Cook, Crawford, Hardee, Henderson, subject, passed the 22d of He-Hudspeth, Jackson, Little, M'Cormick, cember 1808, which was read the first Powell, Pray, Reid, Scruggs, Stewart Watts (of Telfair), and Wilson.

The first clause of said bill was as

Ordered, That the report lie on the

The following message was receive For other purposes, which was readed from His Excellency the Governor lby Mr. Porter his Secretary;

Executive Department, Georgia, ? | Ordered, That Messrs. M. Cormick, Gentlemen of the Senate, and

of the House of Representatives. ture, passed the 16th day of Novem the communication be printed for the ber, 1810, a committee was appointed use of the members of the Legisla. to "systematize, digest, and so far as ture. expedient, to ameliorate the Criminal Code of this state," and to report their troduced a bill to be entitled an act. proceedings through the Governor, to to amend the Judiciary Laws of this the present Legislature. In compli-State, which was read the first time. ance with the resolution referred to, Thave received a report from the com-State of the Republic on the memorimittee, accompanied by a draft of alal of Thomas and Scott from the bill to be entitled an act, to "ameliorate|House of Representatives was again the Criminal Code, and conform the taken up, and the same being read, same to the Penitentiary System," co was concurred in by Senate. pies of which I now communicate; up on the merits of the bill, I cannot now, authorising His Excellency the Goas well from a want of time, as from vernor to subscribe for shares in the Constitutional consideration 4 offer my/Augusta and Planters' Bank, which opinion; but was I permitted to judge/was read and ordered to lie on the taof it by the very able and philanthro ble. pic view which the committee have ta ken of the subject in their address to presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; me, I should not doubt for a moment, but that the general principles of the bill would meet the cordial approbati-passed a resolution appointing Daniel on of the Legislature; to ascertain its Daley and Gideon Daley, Lumber accuracy or inaccuracy in a technical Measurers for the Port of Savannah; and legal point of view, will require more time, and a more critical exami Thomas a Justice of me Interior court nation than was in my power to be-lior the county of Clarke;

Which being read, On motion of Mr. Barnett, Resolved. That the communicatiterred to a joint committee, and,

stow upon it.

Milledgeville, 26th Nov. 1811. Stewart, Dooley, Park and Johnston, be the committee on the part of Senate;!

And be it further resolved, That By a resolution of the last Legisla-forty copies of the law accompanying:

Mr Jackson agreably to notice in-

The report of the committee of the

Mr Foster presented a resolution

A message from the House of Re-Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have

resolution appointing Stevens

They have added Messrs. Williams, D. B. MITCHELL. Montgomery and Whitaker to the committee on the state of the University;

And have passed a bill to be ention together with its inclosures be re-tiled an act, to establish and regulate the Inspection of Flour;

Brising the Commissioners of M'In lens and Williams be that committee. sh Academy to purchase at confisated sales—and he withdrew.

jointing Daniel Daley and Gideon Dalagreed to. ey Lumber Measurers for the Port of Mr. Owens from the committee to javannah;

in amendment, strike out "Charles ed and read the first time. E. Haynes, removed, and read John Mr Leigh agreeably to notice mov-Floyd resigned"—and,

Flour, was read the first time.

*Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

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WEDNESDAY, 27th November, 1811.

On motion of Mr. Barnett,

relative to the completion of the State was read and agreed to. House was reconsidered.

The Senate took up the said report, following resolution; he oble.

oduce a bill, to amend an act, point-Code of this state. ads under execution.

estitution.

They have passed a resolution au- Ordered, That Messrs. Jones, Ow-

The Senate took up that part of the report of the committee on the petiti-The Senate took up the message, on of James Wood, laid on the table on nd concurred in the resolution ap the 20th instant, which was read and

whom was re-committed the bill to di-In the resolution appointing Sta vorce certain persons therein named, zens Thomas a Justice of the Inferi-reported a bill to divorce certain perrecourt of the county of Clark, with sons therein named, which was receiv-

ed for the appointing of a committee The bill to be entitled an act, to es- to prepare and report a bill, to alter and tablish and regulate the Inspection of amend the 23d section of the Judiciary of this state.

> Ordered, That Messrs. Leigh, Newsom and Cook be that committee.

The Senate-took up the resolution from the House of Representatives authorising the Commissioners of the M'Intosh county Academy, to pur-The Journal of yesterday, so far as chase to the amount of nine hundred respects the report of the committee and forty-five pounds eleven shillings on the memorial of Scott and Thomas worth of confiscated property, which

Mr. Newsom laid on the table the

ch was read and ordered to lie on Resolved, That a committee be appointed to contract with a printer to Mr. Jackson gives notice that he print as soon as possible, one hundred will on to-morrow move for leave to in- and twenty copies of the Criminal

gout the duties of Sheriffs in selling. The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to Mr. Jones agreeably to notice move be entitled an act, to alter the second for the appointment of a committee section of the second article of the prepare and report a bill to alter the constitution of this state-Mr. Wood th section of the first article of the in the chair—Mr President resumed the chair, and Mr. Wood reported

that they had gone through the same \(\Lambda \) bill to layout a new county out of without any amendment.

The Senate took up the report, Jackson, Franklin and Elbert.

which was read and agreed to.

the third time, and on the question, and Sapelo river. shall this bill now pass, the Yeas and A bill to repeal an act, to compel Nays were called for, which are as Clerks of the Superior and Inferior. follows; Yeas 19-Nays 13.

are, dessrs. Blair, Brown, Cook, Doo-ses so far as respects the county of Puley, Foster, Hogan, Jackson, Jones, laski. Lawson, Leigh, Little, M'Cormick, A bill for the relief of Thomas M's Newsom, Owens, Park, Powell, Shep-Cay-and, mand, Watts (of Telfair), and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative are, incorporate the town of Warrenton. Messrs. Barnett, Crawford, Hardie, The bill to explain an act, to amend Harrison, Henderson, Hudspeth, John-the several road acts regulating roads son, Pray, Scruggs, Stewart, Watts in this state, so far as respects the o-(of Washington), Williams & Willson peration of said acts in the counties

majority, the bill was lost.

taken up and read the second time. third time and passed. and ordered for a committee of the whole, viz:

Store of the town of Petersburg.

A bill to amend an act, to legalize grants. &c. and make valid certain acts of Sheriffs and Clerks, &c.

A bill to incorporate the Roman Catholic Society in the City of Augus ta, &c.

tion of the Judiciary of this state.

A bill to confirm to Jared Trammel whole. the establishment of a ferry on the The following bills were severally Oconee river.

A bill for the relief of Benjamin L-la third reading, to wit: verett.

the counties of Oglethorpe, Clark.

A bill to regulate the pilotage of Whereupon the said bill was read Vessels to and from the Port of Darien

courts to keep their offices at or within Those who voted in the affirmative, one mile of their respective court hou-

A bill to alter and amend an act, to

There not being a constitutional of Bryan, Liberty, Muntosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne, so far as respects The following bills were severally the county of Glynn, was read the

> The bill to establish and regulate the Inspection of Flour.

A bill to incorporate the Planters' The bill supplementary to an act. to point out the mode of rendering void

> The bill to amend the Judiciary of this state—and,

The bill to authorise the Intendent und Council of St. Mary's to lessen the width of front or St. Mary's street, A bill to amend the thirty first sec-were severally read the second time and ordered for a committee of the

read the second time, and ordered for

A bill to amend the several road

laws in this state, so far as respects the ounty of Wayne

A bill to amend an act, to chang the names of Betsy Burton, Sally Bur son and Matilda Burton, minors.

sioners thereof.

bridges.

ed and agreed to as follows, viz;

The committee on the State of the cified. Republic to whom was referred the lay to be effected, we therefore recom-mendment. mend the following resolution;

solved, That the Commissioners which was agreed to.

ration of said building, and report the result thereof to His Excellency the iovernor.

And be it further resolved, That the rsons to be appointed for valuing A bill to incorporate the town or the State-house, be directed to do it Hartford in the county of Pulaski, and in such a manner as to give the Leto vest certain powers in the Commis gislature a full view of the cost of the different items of mechanism, viz: the A bill to authorise the Inferior amount of laying brick and stone. court of Clark county to levy an ex work, covering in said State-house, tra tax for the purpose of building casing and facing of the doors and windows, shutters and sashes of the same, A bill to make valid certain papers olaistering and stucco work of the difin the possession of the Trustees of Herent rooms, flooring and running the Union Academy in the county of Put different stairs, the amount of the gallientes, the amount of the different The Senate took up the report of wainscoting and pannel work, and althe committee on the memorial of so the amount of bannistering & glass; Scott and Thomas, which was amend-land also the amount of any and every other item not herein particularly spe-

The Senate resolved itself into a memorial of Thomas & Scott, relative committee of the whole on the bill to to the completion & building of the State divorce William Pender and Rebecca House, report, that as a speedy settle-Ann his wife-Mr. Cook in the chair ment between the Commissioners of Mr. President resumed the chair, the State-house and the Undertak-and Mr. Cook reported that they had ers is desirable, and ought without de-gone through the same with an a-

The senate took up the report,

We fout delay appoint two fit and pro- Whereupon the said bill was read fer persons, and the Contractors also like third time, and on the question, wo fit and proper persons, who toge-shall this bill now pass, the Yeas and For with the two appointed by the Nays were called for, which were as commissioners, shall appoint a fifth ollows, viz:—Yeas 17—Nays 15.

erson, and the five persons so see hose who voted in the affirmative, eted, shall after having first taker tre Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Crawford, Joath to value said building accorded tooley, Harrison, Jackson, Johnson, ing to the best of their judgments, pro-Lawson, Owens, Park, Pray, Reid, **Reed** as soon as convenient to the val Stewart, Watts (of Washington), Williams, Willson and Wood.

are Messrs. Brown, Cook, Fostery Hardie, Henderson, Lingan, Hudor peth, Jones, Leigh, Little, Newsonn oas ed the following bills, viz: Powell, Scruggs, Shepard and Wans fof Celfair.)

There not being a Constitution and

majority, the bill was lost.

The Senate again resolved itself it is to a committee of the whole on the bili to erect a toll bridge across the Ocoto continue in force an act, giving fur-nee river; ther time to the fortunate drawers to take out their grants-Mr. Newson plate the funds beretofore set apart for in the chair-Mr. President resumed the redemption of the public debt; the chair, and Mr. Newsom reported! that they had gone through the same laws in this state, &c. so far as rese with amendments.

The Senate took up the report, which was agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read

the third time and passe!

to a committee of the whole on the baldthe courts of Ordinary are vested, and pointing out the duty of Sheriffs and A bill to alter and amend the Judi-Constables in certain cases, &c.—Mr. ciary acts now in force in this state— Powell in the chair—Mr President re and he withdrew. sumed the chair, and Mr Powell re ported progress and asked leave to and the said bills were severally read set again in June

Ordered, That the report do lie on the table.

presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; form a new Brigade, and attach the Mr President;

agreed to the report of the joint com-line chair—Mr. President resumed the mittee on the petition of Michael Dix chair, and Mr. Hudspeth reported,

in on the table.

A message from the House of Re-Those who voted in the negative presentatives by Mr Holt their Clerk;

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have

A bill to divorce and separate Nathaniel Harper and Mary his wife;

A bill to regulate the town of Marion;

A bill to authorise Joseph Cooper

A bill to amend an act to appropri-

A bill to amend the several road bects the county of Camden;

bill to regulate the granting of

Certioraries and Injunctions;

A bill for the election of the Clerk or other person to whom the care of The Senate again resolved itself in the record and other proceedings of

The Senate took up the message, the first time.

The Senate again resolved itself mto a committee of the whole on the bill A message from the House of Re-to be entitled an act, to create same to the Second Division of the mi-The House of Representatives have little of this state—Mr. Hudspeth in on with an amendment—and he with-that they had gone through the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the said message do The Senate took up the report, which was agreed to with an amendment.

Whereupon the said bill was read duced a bill to be entitled an act, to al-The third time, and ordered to lie onlier and amend the twenty-third section the table.

🗼 On motion of Mr. Hardie,

Resolved, That David G. Jones be, read the first time. Hand he is hereby appointed Vendue Master for the town of St. Mary's.

*Adjourned 'till 9 o'clock to-morrow to alter and amend the 7th section of morning.

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THURSDAY. 28th November, 1811. On motion of Mr Dooley,

considered on the bill to alter the se lie for the count, of Warren. tond section of the second article of the Constitution, and,

sage.

Mr. Jackson agreeably to notice inout the duties of Sheriffs in selling third time and passed. read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Hudspeth,

dollars six and a quarter cents be apland passed. thorpe county.

Ordered, That the resolution do

lie on the table.

wife, which was read the first time.

of the Judiciary law of this state, passed 16th February 1799, which was

Agreeably to notice, Mr. Jones introduced a bill to be entitled an act, the first article of the Constitution of this state, which was read the first

On motion of Mr. Newsom,

Resolved, That John Lewis be, and The Journal of yesterday was re-he is hereby appointed a Notary Pub-

The bill to be entitled an act, to make valid certain papers now in the Ordered, That the said bill do lie possession of the Trustees of Union on the table for the question on its pas Academy in the county of Putnam, was read the third time and passed.

The bill to be entitled an act, to autroduced bill to be entitled an act, to thorse the Inferior court of Ciarke amend an act, passed on the 21st De-county to levy an extra tax for the purrember, 1808, entitled an act, pointing pose of building bridges, was read the

lands under execution, and to repeal. The bill to be entitled an act, to inthe first section thereof, which was corporate the town of Hartford in the county of Pulaski, and to vest certain powers in the commissioners thereof, Resolved, That the sum of five was taken up and read the third time

propriated to William Lumkin, there The bill to be entitled an act, to amang a mistake to that amount in the mend an act, entitled an act, to change appropriation law of last session in his|the names of Betsy Burton, Sally Burfavor, for taking the census of Ogle-ton and Matilda Burton, minors, was read the third time and passed.

The bill to be entitled an act, to as mend the several road laws of this Mr. Owens reported a bill to di state, so far as respects the county of vorce Leven Catheland Elizabeth his Wayne, was read the third time and assed.

Mr. Leigh agreeably to notice intro- The Senate resolved itself into a

committee of the whole on the bill to Whereupon the said bill was read be entitled an act, to legalize and make the third time and passed. valid two manuscript books of the old Records of the Executive Department committee of the whole on the bill to -Mr. Wood in the chair-Mr. Presi-repeal an act, compelling clerks to keep dent resumed the chair, and Mr Woodmeir office at or within one mile of reported that they had gone through their respective court-houses, so far as the same without amendment

the table.

corporate the Planters' Store in the same without any amendment. town of Petersburg, was read the third The Senate tool up the report which time and passed.

committee of the whole on the bill tolthe third time and passed. be entitled an act, for the relief of The Senate took up the report of Thomas M'Coy—Mr Blair in the the committee of the whole on the bill chair—Mr. President resumed the to legalize and make valid two manuchair, and Mr. Blair reported the fur-script books of the old Records of the ther consideration of this bill be post-12 zecutive Department; and the same poned until the 1st day of June next libring read was agreed to with an a-

The Senate took up the report, mendment. which was agreed to.

committee of the whole on the bill to shall this bill now pass, it was deterbe entitled an act, to establish and re-linined in the affirmative, and the Yeas gulate the Inspection of Flour-Mr | and Nays being required, are Yeas 26, Watts (of W) in the chair—Mr. Navs 7. leave to set again.

committee of the whole on the bill to Cormick, Newson, Owens, Park, regulate the pilotage of vessels to and Powell, Pray, Reid, Scruggs, Shepfrom the port of Darien and Sapelo pard, Strippling. Watts (of W), Watts river—Mr. Park in the chair—Mr. (of T.) Williams, Willson and Wood. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Those who voted in the negative, Park reported that they had gone thro' are Messrs. Cook, Hooley, Henderthe same without any amendment

The Senate took up the report, Stewart. which was agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a respects the county of Pulaski...Mr. Ordered, That the report do lie on Owens, in the chair. Mr President lresumed the chair, and Mr Owens re-The bill to be entitled an act, to in-ported that they had gone through the

was read and agreed to

The Senate resolved itself into a Whereupon the said bill was read

Whereupon the said bill was read The Senate resolved itself into aline third time, and on the question

President resumed the chair, and Mr. Those who voted in the affirmative Watts reported progress and hadlare Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Brown, Crawford, Foster, Hardie, Harrison, The Senate resolved itself into a Hogan, Johnston, Leigh, Little, M';

son, Hudspeth, Jones, Lawson and

The Senate resolved itself into a

committee of the whole on the bill to Ordered, That the committee do be entitled an act, to lay out a new take said act to His Excellency, the county out of the counties of Ogle |Governor for his revision. thorpe, Clark, Jackson, Franklin and Mr. Barnett from the committee re-Elbert... Mr Crawford in the chair.... ported a bill to aid the University of Mr President resumed the chair, and Georgia to carry into effect the act for Mr. Crawford reported that they had the full and complete establisment of ment.

The Senate took up the report which first time. was read and agreed to.

shall this bill now pass, it was deter lie on the table. Yeas 24—Nays 9.

Those who voted in the affirmative hance. are, Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Lrown, pard, Stripling, Watts (of W) Watts records of the county of Twiggs, &c. (of T.) and Williams.

son, Johnson, Pray, Scruggs, Stewart. On motion of Mr Foster, Willson and Wood.

row morning.

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FRIDAY, 29th November, 1811. ient,

gene through the same with an amend a public seat of learning in this state, &c which was received and read the

Mr Foster from the committee re-Whereupon the said bill was read ported on the petition of Reger Chinthe third time, and on the question, stead, which was read and ordered to

mined in the affirmative, and the Mr Park presented a petition from Yeas and Nays being required, are Nathaniel Twining, which was read and referred to the committee on Fi-

Mr Jackson gives notice that he will Cook, Crawford, Foster, Hardie, Hen-on to-morrow move for leave to introderson, Hudspeth, Jones, Lawson, duce a bill to add a part of the county Leigh, Little, M'Cormick, Newsom, of Washington to the county of Bald-Owens, Park, Powell, Reid, Shep-win, and a bill to make valid certain

Mr Johnston gives notice that he Those who voted in the negative, will on to morrow move for leave to are Messrs. Dooley, Harrison, Jack lintroduce a bill to pardon John Amos.

Where is sundry executions have Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to-mor-been issued by the Treasurer of this state against persons for monies due on the purchase of Fractional surveys of Land in the counties of Old Baldwin and Wilkinson, which execu-Mr. Newsom from the committee tions have been some levied and oported as duly enrolled and signed there ready to be levied by the proby the Speaker, an act to amend an act, per officers. And whereas, from the lo incorporate the Planters' Bank of particular situation of the times, mahe State of Georgia, &c. which was hifest injury will accrue to individupresented to and signed by the Presi- als who may have their property exposed to sale for cash;

Excellency the Governor be, and helpone the further consideration of said is hereby requested to direct a post-bill till the first Monday in November ponement of all sales for money due next, it was determined in the affirmafor Fractional surveys of land as a-live, and the yeas and nays being reforesaid, until the expiration of forty quired, are Yeas 19—Nays 13. days.

ported on the memorial of E. B. Jen-Foster, Hardie, Harrison, Hogan, kins, esq. which was read and order-Hudspeth, Jackson, Johnson, Lawson, ed to lie on the table.

The rule being dispensed with, Mr. Scruggs, Stewart and Willson. Newsom reported a bill to authorise Those who voted in the negative are. the Inferior court of Warren county to Messrs. Brown, Cook, Henderson, ranscribe the records of that county, Jones, Little, M'Cormick, Powell, which was received and read the first Sheppard stripling, Wat's (of Wash-

M: Owens from the committee to and Wood. whom was re-committed the bill to di- The Schate took up the bill to form

Slade and Margaret his wife—and alstate, which was again read for the infoull to divorce James H. Pardue and formation of Senate, and on the ques-Catharine his wife, which were receiv tion, shall this but now pass, it was deed and read the first time.

pensed with, Mr Dooley reported a Yeas 25-Nays 8. bill to divorce Roderick Easley and Those who voted in the affirmative, Esther his wife, which was received are Messrs. Blair, Brown, Dooley, and read the first time.

to-morrow move for leave to introduce lones, Lawson, Leigh, Little, Newa bill to revive and continue in force som, Park, Powell, Pray, Scruggs, certain acts to prevent persons from shepherd, Stripling, Watts (of Telthrowing ballast and rubbish intofair, Williams and Wilson. the navigable rivers and creeks of this Those who voted in the negative,

the committee of the whole on the bill and Wood. to alter and amend an act, for licensing and regulating Pedlars, which was presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; read, and,

Wherefore be it resolved, That His On motion of Mr Foster, to post-

Those who voted in the affirmative, Mr Park from the committee re-are, Messrs. Blair, Crawford, Dooley, Leigh, Newsom, Owens, Park, Pray,

lington), Watts (of Telfair), Williams

vorce certain persons, therein, named, a new Brigade and attach the same to Reported a bill to divorce Joseph P, the second division of militia of this termined in the affirmative, and the The rule of the Senate being dis year and nays being required, are

roster, Hardee, Harrison, Hender-Mr Pray gives notice that ne will on son, Hudspeth, Jackson, Johnson,

are Messrs. Barnett, Cook, Crawford, The Senate took up the report of M'Cormick, Owens, Reid, Stewart,

> A message from the House of Re-Mr President;

The House of Representatives have his wife—and he withdrew. concurred in the resolution appointing a Vendue Master for the town of and concurred in the resolution on the Milledgeville;

They have passed a resolution ap-ment. pointing a Lumber Measurer for the Port of Savannah;

A resolution appointing a commitfappointed by the Senate, to take into and agreed to as follows, viz: consideration the propriety of altering of the meeting of the General Assem-stitution of the the subject of gambling—and,

the Superior Courts of Hancock coun-lture,

ons of members to Congress;

Oconee river;

A bill to authorise an extra session of Lincoln Superior court;

and Sarah his wife;

the Ohoopie;

A bill to authorise the appoint-Bank. ment of Commissioners of St. Mary's;

aty—and, Mithal and Montgomery county—&, with amendments.

The Senate took up the message, subject of Gambling with an amend-

Ordered, That the remainder of said message do lie on the table.

Mr. Foster called up the following tee on their part to join such as may be resolution, which was read, amended

Whereas by the first rule forming the Constitution relative to the time|the fundamental articles of the Conugusta Bank filty bly of this state; and a resolution on thousand dollars were reserved until the first day of January, 1812, on the They have passed the following original terms, to be then, or at a ny prior time, taken by the state ac-A bill to alter the time of holding cording to the pleasure of the Legisla-

Resolved therefore, That His Ex-A bill to regulate the future electi-bellency the Governor be, and he is hereby authorised and required to Abill to secure to George G. Gaines cause the said five hundred shares to the right of establishing a ferry on the be subscribed for within the time limited for the State of Georgia;

And be it further resolved, That an appropriation be made on the appro-A bill to divorce John T. Patterson priation act, to be passed this session; for fifty thousand dollars, for the pur-• A bill to secure to Sarah M'Leod, pose aforesaid, to be by him applied in the exclusive right of erecting a bridge said subscription, according to the Constitution and bye-laws of said

The Senate took up the report of the A bill to add a part of Washington committee of the whole on the bill to and Montgomery counties to Laurens Hord temporary relief to the purchasers of Fractional surveys, &c. and A bill to establish the line between the same being read, was agreed to

They have passed the bill from Se | Ordered, That the said bill be en-Ite to divorce Levi Bright and Sarah grossed for a third reading.

to a committee of the whole on the bib Pray, We I seruges, Stewart, Stripto amend an act, the establish a fund for lung, Watts for Washington), Watts the redemption of the public deby (of ! elfair) and Willson. of this state—Mr. Newsom in the Trace who voted in the negative, chair -- Mr. President resumed the lare Messrs. Pooley, Foster, Hogan chair, and Mr. Newsom reported Jackson, Jeigh, Newsom, ark, Powthat they had gone through the some cil, Seepard Williams and Wood. with amendments.

which being read,

consideration of the same be postpon on their part, on the resolution to aped 'till the first Monday in November point a joint committee to take into next, and on the question to space toloons deration the propriety of altering the same, it was determined in the ne-line Constitution relative to the time of gative, and the yeas and anys being the meeting of the General Assembly required, are Yeas 10-Na; s 24

are Messrs. Dooley, Fosier Hogan halbils were read the first time. Jackson, Leigh, Newsom, Park, Powell, Williams and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative | Thursday next. are Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Browi, Cook, Crawford, Hardie, Harrison, Henderson, Hudspeth, Johnston, Jones, lesq. be, and he is hereby appointed a Lawson, Little, M-Cornick, Owens, commissioner of the Pulaski county Pray, Reid, Scruggs, Shepard, Stew Academy, in place of William A. Hare art, Stripling, Watts (of Washington), per, esq. deceased. Watts (of Telfair), and Willson

Whereupon the said bill was amend taken up, read the second time, and ed, agreed to, and the said bill readjordered for a committee of the whole, the third time, and on the question, to wit: shall this bill now pass, it was deter- A bill to amend an act, pointing out mined in the affirmative, and the yeas the duty of Sheriffs in selling lands and mays being required, are Yeas 25 under execution; - Nays 11.

I hose who voted in the affirmative, the Judiciary law of this state; are Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Brown, A bill to alter the 7th section of the Cook, Crawford, Wardie, Harrison first article of the Constitution-Henderson, Hudspeth, Johnson, Jones, and,

The Senate again resolved itselfin-Lawson, I ittle, M'Cormick, Owens,

The Senate took up the message The Senate took up the report. from the Izouse of Representatives, land concurred in the resolutions there. Mr. Dooley moved that the further in contained, and added a committee of this State, consisting of Messrs. Those who voted in the affirmative. Cook, Foster and Park, and the seve-

On motion,

Mr. Dooley had leave of absence 'till

On motion of Mr. Hogan,

Resolved, That Clement Lanier,

The following bills were severally

A bill to amend the 23d section of

A bill to divorce Leven Cathel and made, shall have been read three Eliza his wife.

Governor by Mr. Porter his Secretary; "on three several days in each House,

Mr President;

lowing communication, viz:

Milledgeville, 29th Nov. 1811. 5 Gentlemen of the Senate, and.

cessary that this act, or any other ha-alter the Constitution. ry to their passage.

"fying the alterations intended to belopinion that the signature of the Go-

" times in the House of Representa-A message from His Excellency the !" tives, and three times in the Senate, " and agreed to by two thirds of each I am directed by His Excellency "House respectively, and when any the Governor, to inform the Senate|" such bill shall be passed in manner that he has assented to and signed the "aforesaid, the same shall be publishact, to alter the time of the sitting of the ed at least six months previous to Superior court of the county of Wayne, " the next ensuing annual election for and to return the same to this branch|" members of the General Assembly, of the Legislature, it being the one in " and if such alterations or any of them which it originated, together with an " so proposed, shall be agreed to in act to alter the first section of the 3d their first session thereafter, by two article of the Constitution without Ins |" thirds of each branch of the General signature, for reasons stated in the fol | "Assembly, after the same shall have "been read three times on three sel" parate days in each respective house, Executive Department, Georgia, ? | then and not otherwise the same " shall become a part of this Constitu-"tion." By this section no reference of the House of Representatives is made to the executive whatever, and The committee of Enrollment ap it contains a distinct provision, for a pointed from both branches of the particular object, for the attainment of General Assembly, have presented to which two thirds of each branch of the me "an act to alter the first section of General Assembly, at two successive the third article of the Constitution," sessions, are absolutely necessary, and and it appears to me that it was unne they, and they alone, are competent to ving for its object an alteration of the view of the subject, the assent or dis-Constitution, should be presented to sent of the Governor might be consithe Executive, since by the Constituti-dered as an act of supererogation; I on he has no power of revision over therefore deem it my duty to commusuch acts, neither is his assent neces inicate to the Legislature, my opinion upon this point, in order to account The last section of the Constitution for the want of my signature to the act, which is the fifteenth of the fourth ar when its return is not accompanied ticle, is in these words, "no part of nor occasioned by my dissent; on the "this Constitution shall be altered contrary, the act meets my approbati-"unless a bill for that purpose speci-on, and should the Legislature be of

vernor, would in any point of view b | he petition of Captain Norris Lyons necessary to be put to an act of the wit: kind, I conceive it would in that case be proper to pass a short law makin, Republic, to whom was referred the it his duty to put his signature to all octivion of Norris Lyons, report, such acis.

D. B. MITCHELL.

Ordered, That the committee of behalf of his company, for a supply Enrollment carry the said first menti-of arms; and whereas the deep im oned act to the Secretary of State's portance of Volunteer associations for office, and see the Great Seal affixed the defence of a Republic, as the thereto, and,

message do lie on the table.

www morning.

On motion,

considered on the bill regulating Ped-lof the state, useless at present, and

on the table.

ported a bill to add a part of Washing-mate and House of Representatives in ton county to Baldwin county, which General Assemby met, That the Gowas read the first time.

Finance reported on the petition of session of the keeper of the Arsenalin Henry Summerlin, to wit:

was referred the petition of Henry order of Norris Lyons, or the then Sommerlin, report, that the prayer of captain of said Troop, provided the of the petitioner is unreasonable & ought liver gives sufficient security for them not to be granted, which being read safe keeping and restoration at the cal was agreed to.

Mr Pack from the committee on was agreed to. the State of the Republic reported on! The Senate took up the resolution

The committee of the State of the

Whereas Norris Lyons, Captain of a Troop of Light Dragoons of the county of Oglethorpe has petitioned it must ever be bottomed upon princi Ordered. That the balance of the ples of patriotism, has been recognize ed and felt by the State of Georgia Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock to mor and whereas the present crisis call. with more thrn ordinary inducement for the encouragement of such associ tions; and whereas the company pe Saturday, 50th November, 1811. Intioning through their captain for the supply, are already nearly complete, The Journal of yesterday was re-land certain arms are in the possession which cannot be better appropriated Ordered, That the said bill do lie than by investing them in the said association;

Mr. Jackson agreeably to notice re- Be it therefore resolved by the Severnor be, and he is hereby authorised Mr. Poster from the committee onto deliver all the swords now in pos-Louisville, provided the number thus The committee on Finance to whom appropriated be not above forty, to the of the Executive; which being read

the petition of Michael Dixon, which Stripting, Williams and Wilson. being read, Mr. Foster moved the foll

lowing resolution,

committee have examined the same. (of W) Watts (of T) and Wood. be not granted; and the same being being required, are Yeas 14—Nays 19. 10-Nays 21.

Those who voted in the affirmative, ward, V atts (of W) and Watts (of T.) are, Messrs. Cook, Foster, Jackson Sheppard, Watts (of T) and Wood. ford, Hardie, Henderson, Hogan, Huds-Williams, Willson and Wood. peth, Johnson, Jones, Lawson, Little, The bill to afford composary relief

ington) and Williams.

Mr. Powell then moved the follow-

ing resolution;

quired, are Yeas 14—Nays 18.

are Messrs. Henderson, Hogan, John-ments.

from the House of Representatives on ell, Pray, Reid, Shepherd, Stewart,

Those who voted in the negative, lare Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Brown, On the petition of Michael Dixon Cook, Crawford, Foster, Hardee, braying payment for services render | fludspeth, Jackson, Jones, Leigh, Lit ed during the revolutionary war, yourde, Newsom, Owens, Serugge, Watts

and find that his claim has long since Whereupon the report was again been bared by several acts of this state read, and on the question to couldn't and of the United States, and all such with the House of Representatives in Edaims have long since been rejected, said resolution, it was determed an therefore the prayer of the petitioner the negative, and the years and payer

read, on the question to agree, it was Those who voted in the affirmative determined in the negative, and the are, Messes. Barnett, Blair, Brown, yeas and nays being required, are Yeas Cook, Crawford, Hardie, Hudsi, th, Jones, Leigh, Little, Newson, Shen-

Those who voted in the negative, Leigh, Newsom, Owens, Scruggs, tre Massrs. Foster, Harrison, Henderson, Hogan, Jackson, Johnson. Luw-Those who voted in the negative are bon McCorrner. Owens, Park, Powell, Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Brown, Craw Pray, Reid, Souges, Stewart, Stripling,

M'Cormick, Park, Powell, Pray, Reid, to the purchasers of fractional survey is Stewart, Stripling, Watts (of Wash-was taken up, read the third time and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to Resolved, That the petitioner be be critiled an act, to alter & amend are allowed two hundred and fifty dollars act entitled an act, to incorporate the to be provided for in the appropriati-nown of Warrenton in the county of on act—on the question to agree to the Warren, to vest certain powers in the same, it was determined in the nega-|Cammissioners thereof....Mr. Cook in tive, and the yeas and nays being re-the chair... Mr President resumed the chair, and Mr. Cook reported that they Those who voted in the affirmative, had gone through the bill with amend-

son, Lawson, M'Cormick, Park, Pow- The Senate took up the report, and

the amendments were agreed to.

grossed for a third reading.

The Senate resolved itself into a sommittee of the whole on the bill to concurred in the resolution from amend the 31st section of the Judici nate on the subject of the postpone ary of this state-Mr. Newsom in the ment of the sale of Fractional Surveys chair-Mr. President resumed the and they have added a committee of chair, and Mr. Newsom reported their part, to join the committee ap progress and had leave to sit again

committee of the whole on the bill tolof Columbia county. confirm to Jared Trammel the esta ! blishment of a ferry on the Occase ri pointing a committee on their part, to ver-Mr Blair in the chair-Mr Pre Join such as may be appointed by Sesident resumed the chair, and Mr. nate, to take into consideration His Elair reported that the further con-Excellency the Governor's Commusideration of said bill be postponed 'till nication of yesterday, relative to June next.

The Senate took up the report, and of this State; on the question to agree, it was deterd. A resolution relative to the opening mined in the affirmative, and the yea- a road from the town of Hartford in and nays being required, are Yeas 1. ifulaski county, to Colerain in the -Navs 15.

Those who voted in the affirmative are Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Brown. Public for the Port of Darien; Cook, Henderson, Hegan, Jackson, A resolution appointing Justices of Johnston, Little, M'Cormick, Park the Inferior court of Fattnal county, &, Shepherd, Stewart, Strippling and A resolution on the subject of the Willson.

are Messrs. Foster, Harrison, andshind they have passed a bill to amend peth, Jones, Lawson, Leigh, New-lan act incorporating a company for the com, Owens, Powell, Pray, Scruggs purpose of opening the Ogecheer Watts (of W) Watts (of T.) Williams, ver—and, and Ivood.

President determined in the affirmative Wilkes county—and he withdrew.

Mr. Johnston agreeably to notice introduced abill to pardon John Amos. lie on the table. which was accessed and reed the first. Mr. Foster from the committee of والمرابغ

A message from the House of Ordered, That the said bill be en presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk Mr President;

The House of Representatives has pointed by Senate to take into consi The Senate revolved itself into adderation the petition of the inhabitant

They have passed a resolution apsigning bills to alter the Constitution

county of Camden;

A resolution appointing a Notary

mail rout between the City of Savan-'I hose who voted in the negative hah and the town of Milledgeville—

bill to alter the time of holding The yeas and have being equal, the the Superior and Inferior courts of

Grdered, That the said message do

Hinance reported, which was read and

ordered to lie on the table.

on Monday next, move for leave to in-lesqra resigned; troduce a bill, to amend an act, more One appointing Robert A. Beall, effectually to punish the crime of lesq. a commissioner of the Warren Horse-stealing

The bill to add a part of Washing | thews, resigned; ton and Montgomery counties to Lau- One appointing Francis Jeter, esq. rens county, was read the second time. a Notary Public for the county of and ordered for committee of the Baldwin and Yown of Milledgeville; whole.

committee of the whole on the bill for Academy of Waynesborough in the the relief of Benjamin Everett-Mr. county of Burke vice David Robert-Foster in the chair—Mr President resson, deceased; sumed the chair, and Mr Foster reported progress, and had leave to set Notary Public for the county of Ogleagain.

Mr President;

the Governor to inform the Senate intersects the road from Miliedgeville that he has approved of and signed to Fort Stoddart; Samuel Jones resigned;

One confirming the Executive ap- | One authorising and requesting His the Inferior court of said county elementing the concent of said Indians

Baldwin, vice Archibald M. Deve-Mr Cook gives notice that he will reux, Abraham Miles and Hines Helt,

county Academy vice Timothy Ma-

One appointing Or. James White-The Senate resolved itself into a read a Commissioner of the town and

> One appointing William Strother, a hinorpe and town of Lexington;

A message from His Excellency One requesting His Excellency the the Governor by Mr. Porter his Secre-Governor to address the President of the United States on the subject of o. pening a road from the town of Hart. I am directed by His Excellency ford in the county of Pulaski, until it

sundry resolutions which originated in | One requesting His Excellency the this branch of the Legislature, the sub-Governor to make application to the stance of which are as follows, to wit: President of the United States on the "One appointing James M. Taylor subject of a road from or near the Aland Murdock M'Leod, esqis. Justices cofaultachee on the Ocmulyee river, of the Inferior court of Pulaski counto where the same would intersect the ty, vice William A. Harpor, dec'd. and road from Milledgeville to Fort Stoddatt;

pointment of Daniel Wilson, esquire, Excellency the Governor to appoint as a justice of the Inferior court of not exceeding three persons, as Com-Baldwin county vice Benjamin Tar imissioners on the part of this state, to ver, resigned, and appointing Jenjmake application to the Cherokee Na-Thomas, Edmund B. Jenkins and Austion of Indians throught extremely of gustin Harris, esquires, justices of the United States, for the purpose of to the disposition of certain lands therein mentioned, and,

One directing the Solicitor General Dickson. of the Eastern District to bring suit for & in behal of this state against all per-spetition do he on the table sons claiming a plantation called Dublin and Cherry-hill in the county of Bryan originally confiscated as the considered on the bill to confirm to property of John B. Mazwell.

Mr. Newsom from the committee eferry on the Oconce river. on Enrollment reported as duly enrol led and signed by the Speaker, an action the table. to amend the 56th section of the Judiciary of this state;

now in possession of the Trustees of to divorce Levi Bright and Sarah his Union Academy in Putnam county ; wile;

court of Clark county to levy an extra ers of the Sunbury Academy, for the

the names of Betsy, Sally and Matildalland; Burton, minors;

and 5th sections of the third article of signed by the President. the Constitution—and,

rate the Planters' Bank of the State of his Excellency the Governor for his Georgia and for other purposes, passed revision. 19th December 1810 also to provide twhich were severally presented to and Enrollment do without delay carry the signed by the President.

Governor for his revision.

morning.

Monday, 2d December, 1811. On motion of Mr. Henderson,

The Journal of Saturday was reconsidered on the petition of Michael

Ordered, That the said report or

On motion of Ar. Wasts (of W),

The Journal of Saturday was re-Jared Trammel the establishment of

Ordered, That the said bill do lie

Mr. Newsom from the committee on Enrollment reported as duly enrol-An act to make valid certain papers ed and signed by the Speaker, an act

An act to authorise the Interior An act granting to the Commission. use of that institution, one hundred An act to amend an act, to change and sixty-six and two third acres of

An act for the relief of Stephen W An act to alter and amend the 4th Moore; which were presented to and;

Ordered, That the committee of An act to amend an act, to, incorpo- Enrollment do carry the said bills to

On motion of Mr. Park,

against embezzlement and forgeries. Resolved, That the committee of act for altering the first section of the Ordered, That the committee do 3d article of the Constitution to the take said acts to His Excellency the Secretary of State's Office, and there have the Great Seal of the State affixed Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock Monday|thereto, and make a deposit of the same in the archieves of that office; it being concurred that the revision of Ithat law is not constitutionally confided to the Executive Department.

lie on the table.

Finance reported on the petition of Willson and Wood. Nathaniel Twining, which was order ed to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Johnson,

this State be authorised to receive the in payment of taxes.

Ordered to lie on the table.

the third time and passed.

The Senate again resolved itself in-the amendment was agreed to. regulate the Inspection of Flour -Mr. the title aforesaid. Blair in the chair—Mr President re same with an amendment.

it was determined in the affirmative, the bill with amendments and the yeas and nays being required, are Yeas 24-Nays 9.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Brown, third time and passed. Cook, Crawford, Foster, Hardie, Har |

Ordered, That the resolution dollackson, Johnson, Lawson, Leigh, M Cormick, Park, Pray, Rabun, Strip-Mr. Foster from the committee on ling, Watts (of Telfair), Williams,

Those who voted in the negative, are Messrs. Jones, Little, Newsom, Owens, Powell, Scruggs, Sheppard, Resolved, That the Treasurer of Stewart and watts for Washington).

The Senate resolved itself into a bills of the Bank of Augusta and the committee of the whole on the bill to Planters' Bank of the State of Georgia be entitled an act, to alter and amend the second section of an act, entitled an act, to legalize and make valid cer-The Senate resolved itself into a tain acts of Sheriffs and Clerks, and to committee of the whole on the bill to regulate the admission of evidence in be entitled an act, for the relief of Ben | the several courts of law and equity in jamin Scott, a soldier- Mr. Little in this state, so far as relates to certain the chair—Mr. President resumed the papers—Mr. Park in the chair—Mr. chair, and Mr. Little reported that they President resumed the chair, and Mr. had gone through the same without a-Park reported that they had gone ny amendment. The bill was read|through the bill with an amendment.

The Senate took up the report, and

to a committee of the whole on the bill Whereupon resolved, That the bill to be entitled an act, to establish and be read the third time, and pass under

The Senate resolved itself into a sumed the chair, and Mr. Blair report-committee of the whole on the bill to ed that they had gone through the be entitled an act, to add a part of Washington & Montgomery counties The Senate took up the report, and to the county of Laurens—Mr. Newthe same being read and amended, the som in the chair—Mr. President rebill was read the third time, and on sumed the chair, and Mr. Newsom the question, shall this bill now pass, reported that they had gone through

> The Senate took up the report, and the amendments were agreed to.

Whereupon the bill was read the

The Senate resolved itself into a rison, Henderson, Hogan, Hudspeth, committee of the whole on the bill to be entiled an act, to incorporate the Roman Catholic Society of Augusta and county of Richmond, and to an has ed a resolution appointing Graves thereise the Proseces of the second and Jacobs, esq. a Justice of the Interior Academy to convey a lot of land in the court of Morean county; city of Augusta, to the said Romand A resolution appointing Drury Catholic Society—Mr Fludspeth and thin s a commissioner of roads in the the chair—Mr. President resumed the county of Baldwin; chair, and Mr. Hudsp th reported that A resolution appointing a joint comthey had gone through the bill withou 'mitte, on the Governor's Communicaany amendment

Whereupon the said bill was read the constitution: the third time and passed.

gulate the granting Certioraries and bills, to wit: injunctions was read the second time | A bill to be entitled an act, to amend

committee or the whole on the bill to bill to bill to entitled an act, to reauthorise the Intendent and Council of visit and amend the third section of the town of St. Mary's to tessen the an act for clearing out Ogechee river width of front or 5t. Mary's street and and Briar creek, passed the 22d Fe for other purposes— Mr. Cook in the breary, 1795; chair--Islr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Cock reported that they and others, defaulting jurors for the had gone through the same withou courty of Wayne any amendments.

and ordered to lie on the table.

cond time, to wit:

A bill to be entitled an act, to reguleation late the future elections of members of Congress in this state.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to amen I the several Judicia ry acts now in force in this state, so the first time. far as relates to Justics' courts.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; and the bills were severally read t

Mr. President;

Tre House of Representatives have

tion, on the subject of bills to alter

A resolution in favor of Joseph B. The bili to be entitle I an act to rellowers; and have passed the following

Ordered for committee of the whole has act, entitled an act, more effectually The Senate resolved itself into to this the clime of horse stealing

A bill for the relief of Joseph Moore

The Senate took up the message The bill was read the third time, and concurred in the two first menti joned resolutions, & appointed Messr The following bills were read the se Hudspeth, Barnett and Pray a com mittee on the Governor's Communication

> Ordered, That the resolution in to vor of Joseph B. Jones do lie on th table.

And the said several bills were rea,

The Senate took up the message Ordered for a committee of the from the House of Representatives ζ yesterday, and they concurred in t A message from the House of Re beveral resolutions therein mentions first time.

A message from His Excellency the am in favor of the principle intended Governor by Mr. Porter his Secre-to be embraced; had the words in the tary;

Mr President;

the Governor to lay before Senate the proved of it. following Communication, to wit:

Executive Department, Georgia, Milledgeville, 2d Decem'r, 1811. S lie on the table. Mr. President,

and Gentlemen of the Senate to-morrow morning.

A resolution which originated in Senate on the 19th ult. directing a postponement of all sales for money due for fractional surveys of land, in the counties of old Baldwin and Wil-read the second time, to wit: kinson, has been presented to me for of this resolution, there is some diffi 'coln. sulty in applying it to the object conemplated: by the words old Baldwin and Wilkinson, I apprehend the first son and Sarah his wife. nurchase of land to be designated, and or the money due for fractional sur-whole. eys in that purchase no executions the words old Baldwin and Wilkin public ferry on the Oconee river.

n were intended to designate the Ordered for a committee of actional surveys in the last purchase, whole. d for which executions have issued, whow organized, & in which there are over the Ohoopie.

fractional surveys for the money for the purchase of which executi-whole.

tion in its present shape, although I preamble of this resolution "in the counties of old Baldwin and Wilkin-I am directed by His Excellency son" been left out, I would have ap-

D. B. MITCHELL.

Which being read, was ordered to

The Senate adjourned 'till 9 o'clock

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Tuesday, 3d December, 1811. The following bills were severally

A bill to be entitled an act, to auapproval; I have no objection to thorise the Judge of the Superior what I apprehend was the intention of courts of the Western district to hold the Legislature, but from the wording in extra session in the county of Lin-

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill to divorce John T. Patter-

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to be entitled an act, to seave issued, nor can any issue until af cure to George G. Gaines, his heirs ar a foreclosure of the mortgage, and and assigns, the right of establishing a

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to secure to Sarah M'Leod, villstillinclude Baldwin & Wilkinson the exclusive right of erecting a bridge

Ordered for a committee of the

scan issue. I am therefore under the A bill to be entitled an act, to auessity of disapproving this resolutionise the present commissioners of

the St. Mary Lottery, to appoint othershis wife-Mr Rabun in the chaircommissioners to fill up the vacancies Mr President resume ' the chair, and which have been occasioned by re-Mr Rabun reported, that they had moval of some, and refusal of others gone through the bill without any ato serve

Ordered for a committee of the a hole.

blish me has becaused the county of min-d in the negative, the Constituti-'i a inal and Mongomery

Orth sed for a third reading

A bill to be entitled an act, to did tion his wife.

striple.

Thorise the interior court of Warren Willson, and Wood. corners to transcribe the Records of Those who voted in the negative, that county into bound books, and tolere Messrs. Barnett. Byne, Cook, Da-

whole.

vorce Roderick Easley and Esther has commutee of the whole on the bill to

whole.

Joseph P. Slade and Margaret his had some through the bill without any wife

Ordered for a committee of the

and that go the times of holding the a the negative, the Constitution re-Superior cours for the county of Lan-jauring two thirds on bills of divorce.

Ordered for a third reading.

The Senate resolved itself into committee of the whole on the bill to divorce Mailaniel Harper and Mary Reid, Shepherd, Strippling, Watts (0

mendment

Whereupon the said bill was read the third time, and on the question, A bill to be entitled an act, to esta- hall this bill now pass, it was deteron requiring two thirds upon bills of ldivorce.

Those who voted in the affirmative, yorce Janus H. Purdue and Catha lare Messrs. Blair, Brown, Crawford, Hardie, Harrison, Hogan, Jackson, Or level for a committee of the Hones, Lawson, Leigh, Newsom, Owens, Park, Powell, Shepherd, Strip-A bill to be entitled an act, to a telling. Watts (of Tenfair), Williams,

econium the same in courts of record vis. Foster, Henderson, Hudspeth, Ordered for a committee of the Johnston, Little, Pray, Kabun, Scruggs, istewart and Waits (of Washington).

A bill to be entitled an act, to did. The Senate resolved itself into a be entitled act, to divorce certain per-Ordered for a committee of the sons therein handed—Mr Park in the bhair-Mr. President resumed the A bill to be entitled an act, to diverce; mair, and Mr Fark reported that they amendment.

Whereupon the bill was read the ithird time, and on the question shall A bill to be entitled an act, to alter this bill now pass, it was determined

> Those who voted in the affirmative are Mesors Blar, Crawford, Hardie, Harrison, Hogan, Lawson, Leigh

"Cormick, Newsom, Cwens. Powell

T.) Williams, Willson and Wood.

Those who voted in the negati e Hudspeth, Jackson, Jones, Little acs of Bryan, Liberty, M'Intosh, Park, Pray, Rabun, Scruggs, Stewardellynn and Comnon, so far as resand Watts (of W)

On motion of Mr Foster,

Resolved, That the Senate will not on the question to agree to the said remeat his mills on his own land. solution, it was determined in the affirmative, and the year and nays being required, are Yeas 2 -ivays 13.

Those who voted in the affirmative he rederaption of the public debt. are, Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Brown Jones, Little, M'Cormick, Park, Pray of Twiggs. W.) and Willson.

(T.) Williams, and Wood

thorise the Intendant and Council or their lands, and to amend said act. ing and passed

dinary are yested.

A bill to be entitled an act, to alter are Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Byne and amend the several road laws in Cook, Pavis, Foster, Flenderson this state, so far as respects the coun-

Ordered for committee of the whole:

freets the country of (aniden.

Ordered for committee of the whole.

A bill to be entitled an act, to auact on any bill purporting to be a di horise Joseph Cooper to erect a to'll vorce, during the present session; and bridge across the Geomee aver, at or

> Ordered for committee of the whole. A bill to amend an act, to approprilate the funds heretofore set apart for

Ordered for committee of the whole. Cook, Crawford, Davis, Foster, Hard A bill to be enabled an act, to regudie, Hudspeth. Jackson, Johnson late the town of Marion in the county

Rabun, Scruggs, Stewart, Watts (oil Ordered for committee of the whole. A bill to aid the Trustees of the Those who voted in the negative University of Georgia, and carry into are Messrs. Harrison, Henderson, Do befree the art for the more full and gan, Lawson, Leigh, Newsom, Gw-lon plete establishment of a public 'ens, Powell, Reid, Stripling, Watts (o Seat of learning in this state, pas ed one 27th of January 1785, and to au-The bill to be entitled an act to au thorse them to sell and dispose of

the town of St. Mary's to lessen the Ordered for committee of the whole. width of front or St. Mary street, and The Senate resolved itself into a for other purposes, was read the third committee of the whole on the bill to no entitled an act, to alter and amend The following bills were taken uppee 23d section of the Judiciary law and severally read the second time, to of this state, passed the 16th February 1.799 - Mr Powell in the char-Mr A bill to be entitled an act, for the Fresident resumed the chair, and wir election of the clerk or other persons; owell reported that they had gone to whom the case of the records and prough the same without my amendother proceedings of the courts of O1- nent. Whereupon the bill was read like third time and passed.

committee of the whole on the bill to on the said bill was read the third be entitled an act, to alter and amend ime and passed the 7th section of the 1st article of the Constitution of this state—Mr New and read the second time, to wit: som in the chair—Mr President resumed the chair, and Mr Newsom report to an act, to incorporate a compa ported that the further consideration ny for the purpose of opening the Q of this bill be postponed until the first gechee river from the mouth of Caday of August next

on the question to agree to the same. navigation thereof. it was determined in the affirmative, and the yeas and nays being required whole. are Yeas 27—Nays 9.

Those who voted in the affirmative, relief of Joseph Muse and others. are, Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Byne, Crawford, Davis, Foster, Hardie, Har-whole. rison, Henderson, Hudspeth, Johnson, Lawson, Leigh, Little, Newsom, and amend the third section of an act, Owens, Pray, Habun, Reid, Scruggs, for clearing out Ogechee river and Shepherd, Stewart, Watts (of Wash-Briar creek, passed the 22d February ington) Watts (of L.) Williams, Will-1796. son and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative are, whole. Messrs. Brown, Cook, Hogan, Jackson, Jones, M'Cormick, Park, Powellan act, entitled an act, more effectually and strippling.

The bill to be entitled an act, to alter and amend an act, entitled an act, whole. to incorporate the town of Warrenton in the county of Warren, and to vest the Superior and Inferior courts of certain powers in the commissioners Wilkes. thereof, was read the third time and passed.

committee of the whole on the bill for be entitled an act, to regulate the the relief of benjamin Everett-Mrgranting of certioraries and Injunct Cook in the chair—Mr President re-lons—Mr Foster in the chair—M sumed the chair, and Mr Cook report-President resumed the chair, and Mi

The Senate resolved itself into alwithout any amendment. Whereup

The following bills were taken up

A bill to be entitled an act, amend. nouchee, to the mouth of Rocky Com-The Senate took up the report, and fort, and for the improvement of the

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to be entitled an act, for the

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to be entitled an act, to revise

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to be entitled an act, to amend to punish the crime of horse stealing.

Ordered for a committee of the

A bill to alter the time of holding

Ordered for a third reading.

The Senate resolved itself into The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to ed that they had gone through the bill Fostor reported that they had gone through the bill with amendments.

the amendments were agreed to.

the third time, and passed as amend to make permanent the site of the pubed.

A message from His Excellency with amendments, and he withdrew. the Governor by Mr. Porter his Secre tary;

Mr President;

two acts which have been presented to nance on the part of Senate him by the committee of Enrollment. Bank of the State of Georgia and for of Tellair. other purposes, passed the 19th day of December 1810, also to provide a gainstembezzlements and forgeries and he withdrew.

Ordered, That the committee of Enrollment do carry the said sever acts to the Secretary of State's officand see the Great Seal affixed to them respectively.

The bill to be entitled an act, to re table. gulate the future elections of members third time and passed.

Mr. President;

amendment;

They have added Messrs. J. Wim-the bill do lie on the table. Berly, J. A. Cuthbert and J. D. Terrell to the committee on Finance;

They have passed the bill from Se-The Senate took up the report, and rate to be entitled an act, for the relief of Bozeman Adare a State Troop Sol-Whereupon the said bill was readdier; and, passed the bill from Senate lic buildings in the county of Telfair

The Senate took up the message, and concurred in the amendment made by the House of Representatives to I am directed by His Excellency the resolution on the memorial of the Governor to inform the Senate James Wood, and added Messrs. Cook that he has assented to and signed and Leigh to the committee on Fi-

They agreed to the amendment entitled an act, to divorce Levi Bright made by the House of Representatives and Sarah his wife, and an actto amend on the bill making permanent the site an act, to incorporate the Planters of the public buildings in the county

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to the entitled an act, to amend the 31st ection of the Judiciary act of 1799— Ir Brown in the chair—Mr President sumed the chair, and Mr. Brown ported that they had gone through ne same without any amendment.

Ordered, That the report do lie on

The Senate took up the report of of Congress in this state was read the the committee on the bill to be entililed an act, more particularly pointing A message from the House of Re-jout the duty of Sheriffs and Constapresentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk: bles in certain cases; and to alter and explain the first section of an act, en-The House of Representatives titled an act, pointing out the duty of have concurred in the resolution on Sheriffs in selling lands under executithe memorial of James Wood, with an on, passed 22d December, 1808, which was amended, and ordered that

> Adjourned 'till 9 o'clock to-mor, lrow morning.

WEDNESDAY, 4th December, 1811. sforce in this state, so far as relates On motion of Mr Owens,

sonsidered on the resolution affecting chair, and Mr Hudspeth reported a the progress of divorce bills, and also they had gone through the ball wal on the bill to divorce Nathaniel Hardmendments per and Mary his wife, and the bill to divorce certain persons therein named, agreed to

Ordered, That said bills do lie on the table.

On motion of Mr Henderson,

Resolved, That whereas it is found the committee of the whole on the in some instances that persons have to be entitled an act, confirming to had State Troop Bounty Warrants red Trammell the establishment o renewed and paid into the Treasury ferry over the Oconee river, whi Office of this state, without the know being read, was disagreed to. ledge or consent of the proprietors of | Whereupon the said bill was re said warrants, and it is presumed that the third time, and on the questi in some instances they have obtained shall this bill now pass, it was det warrants by stating the loss of their mined in the negative, and the ye original warrant, and on examination and mays being required are, Yeas may be found to have been twice dis Nays 16. charged by the state; and whereas it Those who voted in the affirmative is difficult to discover the fraud prac-are, Messrs. Brown, Foster, Harriso tised against individuals as well as the Henderson, Hudspeth, Lawson, Leig state, by reason of the bundles con-Little, Newsom, Owens, Powell, Rei taining those warrants being sealed Scruggs, Watts (of Washington) W up, and the Treasurer not being au-liams and Wood. thorised to open them for the inspec | Those who voted in the negative at tion of the citizens;

Treasurer be, and he is hereby autho-M'Cormick, Park, Rabun. Shepher! rised to break open all and every bun Stewart, Strippling, and Willson. dle or packet in his office which The years and nays being equal, the contains State Troop Bounty War-President determined in the negative rants, for the inspection of any of the cirizens of this state.

committee of the whole on the bill to lovy an extra tax, to enable them be entitled an act, to alter and amend build a new jail and for other coun the several Judiciary acts now in purposes, which was read the 1st tire

Lustices' courts-Mr Hudspeth in The Journal of yesterday was re chair-Mr President resumed

The amendments being read w

Whereupon the said bill was rthe third time, and passed as amend

The Senate took up the report

Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Byne, Coc Be it therefore resolved, That the Davis, Hardie, Hogan, Jackson, Jone

Mr Rabun had leave to introduce bill to be entitled an act, to authoris The Senate resolved itself into althe Inferior court of Hancock coun* he bill to be entitled an act, to au fare Messrs. Blair, Brown, Foster, and passed.

The bill to be entitled an act, to al-Williams, and Wood ikes was taken up and read the vis, kabun, and Shepherd. d time and passed.

sed.

Marion, in the county of Twiggs—to sit again.

without any amendment.

e third time and passed.

resident resumed the chair, and ment.

he through the bill without amend-the third time and passed. as 25—Nays 6.

ise the Judge of the Superior Hardie, Henderson, Hogan, Hudspeth, Et of the Western District to hold lackson, Jones, I awson I eigh, Little, Extra session in the county of Lin M'Cormick, Newsom, Owens, Park, , was taken up and read the third Powell, Reid, Souggs, Stewart, Stripling, Watts (of W) watts (of T.)

he time of holding the Superior & Those who voted in the negative, rior courts for the county of are Messrs. Barnett, Byne, Cook, Da-

The Senate resolved itself into a The bill to be entitled an act, to al-scommittee of the whole on the bill to and change the times of holding be entitled an act, to secure to George Superior courts for the county of G. Gaines, his heirs and assigns, the ncock, was read the third time and right of establishing a public ferry on the Oconee river, on fraction No 23. The Senate resolved itself into a -Mr Rabunin the chair-Mr Presimmittee of the whole on the bill toldent resumed the chair, and Mr Ra-Fentitled an act, to regulate the town bun reported progress and had leave

rByne in the chair—Mr President The Schate resolved itself into a issumed the chair and Mr Byne re-committee of the whole on the bill to tted that they had gone through the authorise the present commissioners of the St. Mary Lettery to appoint o-Whereupon the said bill was read ther commissioners to fill up the valeancies which have been occasioned The Senate resolved itself into aby removal of some, and refusal of omagnittee of the whole on the bill to thers to serve—Mr Cook in the chair courte to Sarah M'Leod the exclusive — Mr President resumed the chair, Ilt of erecting a bridge over the O-land Mr Cook reported, that they had pie Mr Newsom in the chair—gone through the bill without amend.

Newsom reported that they had Whereupon the said bill was read

pent—whereupon the said bill was The Senate resolved itself into a ad the third time, and on the quati sommittee of the whole on the bill to be , shall this bill now pass, it was de entitled an act, to amend an act, entirmined in the affirmative, and the led an act, more effectually to punish as and nays being required, are he crime of horse-stealing-Mr Leigh n the chair-Mr President resumed Those who voted in the affirmative the chair, and Mr Leigh reported that

they had gone through the bill with-ganization and equipment of the Caout amendment.

the third time and passed.

sommittee of the whole on the bill to river, passed 22d February 1796, so be entitled an act, to authorise the In far as respects Little river; and all ferior court of Warren county to other acts passed for the prevention transcribe the records of that county of erecting mills on said river, and a into bound books, and to confirm the bill to be entitled an act, to add a part same in courts of record—Mr Hen-of the county of Liberty to Tattnall; derson in the chair—Mr President re- and he withdrew; sumed the chair, and Mr Henderson| The Senate took up the message. reported that they had gone through and the bills were severally read the the same without amendment.

the third time and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into a ary; committee of the whole on the bill to be entitled an act, to alter and amend I am directed by His Excellency the several road laws in this state, so the Governor to return to this branch Tac as respects the counties of Bryan, of the Legislature, a resolution ap-Liberty, M'Intosh, Glynn and Cam pointing Alexander Greene a Vendue den, so far as respects the county of Master for the town of Milledgeville, Camden—Mr Barnett in the chair; Mr and to inform the Senate that he has: President resumed the chair, and Mr disapproved of the same, for reasons Barnett reported no amendment.

Whereupon the said bill was read[sented; and he withdrew. the third time and passed.

presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; Master for the town of Milledgeviller

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have concurred in the resolution appoint on the table. ing Clement Lanier esq. a commissioner of the Pulashi county Academy following resolution; in the place of William A. Harper, de- Resolved, That the Senate will 60085d

bills - A bill to be entitled an act, purporting to alter any article or sectimore a "ectually to provide for the or i

valry of this State

Whereupon the said bill was read A bill to be entitled an act, to repeal an act, entitled an act, for the The Senate resolved itself into alkeeping open Little river and Broad

first time

Whereupon the said bill was read A message from His Excellency the Governor by Mr. Porter his Secre-

Mr President;

stated in a communication now pre-

His Excellency's reasons are, that A message from the House of Re the law requires only one Vendue who has before been appointed.

Ordered, That the message do lie

Mr Harrison laid on the table the

not during the present session take They have passed the following under their consideration, any bill mofthe Constitution of this state. morning

-0000000000 Thursday, oth December, 1811

Those who voted in the affirmative government shall be distinct; Wats (of 1.) Williams and Wood. |ed., which being read was agreed to. k, Rabun, Stewart and Willson. | committed to a special committee. Onemotion of Mr Owens, Resolved, That the line run by and Barnett be that committee.

The Senate took up the report of mend the following resolution; Committee on the petition of Rollinstead, to wit:

are communed to whom was refer ling read was agreed to. and man he has made application both! I winney, to wit:

to the justices of the Inferior court & 'Adjourned'till 10 o'clock to-morrow Judge of the Superior court of the Ocmulgee district to surrender up all his property, and take the benefit of the several insolvent acts, and that On motion of Mr Wood, the said courts have remanded him to reconsider the Journal of yes back to jail; therefore prays Legisladay, so far as respects the bill con tive interference; your committee have firming to Jared Trammell the esta-taken the same under consideration. hishment of a ferry over the Oconee and regret the unfortunate situation river, on the question, it was deter-of the petitioner, but by the 1st sectimined in the affirmative, and the yeas on of the first article of the Constituand nays being required, are Yeas 18 tion of this state, the Legislative, Exsecutive and Judiciary departments of

are Messrs. Brown, Cook, Crawford. Therefore are of opinion that it Mardie, Harrison, Henderson, Law would be an improper and unconstituon, Leigh, Little, Owens, Powell honal merference, and that the prayer Reid, Scruggs Shepherd, Strippling, of the petitioner ought not to be grant-

Those, who voted in the negative. The Senate took up the report of are Messrs. Barnett, Blair, Byne, he committee on the memorial of E. Apris, Foster, Hogan, and spetial Lenkins, and the same being read; son. Jones, Millormack, Newson, Resolved, That the report be re-

| Crdered, That Messrs Rabun, Park,

Expiels Sturges, esq late Surveyor The Senate took up the report of ncial, between the counties of Bald-the commute e on the State of the Reand Wilkinson shall be held and public, to whom was referred the peremed the dividing line between the littion of John M'Intyre, a soldier in deninties of Baldwin and Wilkin line last revolutionary war, praying Gompensation for his services, recoin-

> Resolved, That the prayer of the loctidoner be not granted, which be-

reduce perion of Roger Olmstead, stall of the Senate took the report of the ing that he is confined in the comfearmantee on Finance, to whom was mon fail of paldwing country for debuireferred, the petition of Nathamel On the petition of Nathaniel Twin state be requested to instruct its Sena

petitioner is reasonable and ought to claims of Jonas Fauche and others be granted; and that twenty-five dol for pay due to them for Military ser. lars be appropriated accordingly; vices performed for the United State which being read, was agreed to.

the commistee on Finance, as follows; was agreed to.

mend that His Excellency the Gover the committee on the State of the Renor be authorised and requested to public, on the subject of Canals, it cause to be purchased two pieces of wit: Brass Ordnance of four pounds calabre, one for the use of the Artillery Republic to whom was referred the Company of Jefferson county, the olletter from certain commissioners ap ther for the use of the Artiflery Com pointed by the state of New York, for pany of Richmond county, in lieu of the purpose of providing for the im the two recommended by the concur-provement of the internal navigation red resolution of the General Assem of said state, bly of eighteen hundred and nine, and Report, That they have had the four others of six pounds calibre, to same under consideration, and dilly be at the disposition of the Governor, weighed its objects, policy and and that the expence attending the sequences. They are assured the same be provided for in the appropri-contemplated opening of a Canal ation law, which was read and agreed vigation between the Great Lakes

The Senate took up the report of the much labour and expence, and six committee on the State of the Repub lan undertaking as would justify a s lic, to whom referred the petition of her state, even so remote from the Jonas Fauche and others, to wit:

The committee having examined the ground of its difficulty?" the facts and laws relating to the petition of Jonas Fauche, are convinced policy and importance of the Ed that it is not from the State of Georgi | Union, of multiplying the ligamen a but from the United States that the which hold the states together, whi retitioners should expect relief, and they would studiously avoid eve they therefore recommend the follow-thing which in the least might tend ing resolution;

Resolved, That the Governor of this commences the important policy

tors and request its Representatives in Resolved. That the prayer of the the National Congress to prosecute the |from the 23d of April :793, to the The Senate took up the report of 31st March 1794, which being real

The committee on Finance recom- The Senate took up the report

The committee on the State of the

Hudson river, is an act involver own in requesting pecuniary aid

They are also impressed w a consolidation. The state which estimation of your committee deserves state a Georgia in the Councils of the express approbation of every sia free Union, to which she is entitled; in the union. For the consequence but believing as they do, that from the nof such an undertaking are indirectly, couliar nature of this question, that fon; for, from hence may si ring infi | e most correct means of informati-White ramifications of Canals into other on this particular subject, being spaces, and thence open the stores of at the centre of the Union, and deriaffe circumincent territories of the my information of members from adprimary importance, since the piracy minds; Remeans, and the easy internal tran-expressed. sitions of them from place to place. The Senate took up the report of will aid the great objects of Indepen | he committee on petitions, to wit: Idence.

cessity of recommending that no ap-was read and agreed to between the Great Lakes and Hud upon your committee to recommend and agreed to.

aconnecting extremes, therefore in the fibe even se of the influence or the interesting to the whole confederati-our represe taives are possessed of Great Lakes to every state; the face facent states. They would recomlitation of interior commercial com mend that the regislature avoid any munication is certainly at this cr sis of step which may tend to bias their

and contempt of National Law evin- Be it therefore resolved by the Seced by the bolligerents of the old nate & House of Representatives. That world, must convince every reflecting to e Governor be, and he is hereby remind that domestic manufactures quested to answer the letter herein should be sanctioned by every possi referred to, to the effect herein above

On the petition of John Griffin, But contemplating, as your com praying this Legislature to authorise inite are constrained to do, the re-the commissioners of this town to lease Spurces of our state, and the probable him eight or ten acres of land on the pplication of its funds in the improved south side of Fishing creek, report, ment of our own internal navigation, that they have had the same under and for the obtention of other ob their consideration, and think the tests of importance to our own parti-prayer of the petitioner unreasonable gular state, they are under the ne and ought not to be granted, which

propriation for effecting a connection On the petition of William Gilbert; They have had the same under conson river be made on the part of the sideration, and as there is a bill now State of Georgia. Expressing as they in progress to answer the prayer of eve done, the approbation of the polithe petitioner with other fraction purby of connecting extremes by Canal chasers, think the prayer of the petinavigation, it might seem incumbent tioner ought not to be granted—read

the committee to examine and turn o containing from 1775 to 1798... Book ver the Office of Secretary of State to H H containing from 177 to 1805... the person elected.

Ordered, That the following Sche to 1802. dule be entered on the Journal of Se nate.

previous to the war books, A. B. C. D. taining from 765 to 1770... Book W. $E ext{ } F ext{ } G ext{ } H. ext{ } I. ext{ } K. ext{ } L ext{ } ext{and } M. ext{ } ext{from} = 0.00 ext{k}$ 1756 to 1775 inclusive.

Books belonging to the old Auditors Office, A and B, from 1756 tolers of Attorney, Books L O. R. Υ_{∞}^{***} 1775

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Book AB and C, containing Grants 1754 to 1806. for fractions; Books containing Grants Wills---Book A, from 1755 to 177% in second Lottery—Wilkinson from also A. A. from 1770 to 1777 No. 6 to 28, also Baldwin, from No. 6 to No 20

2nd Vol. from 1740 to 1776—Books from 1755 to 1806---Entry of Clairs, S& U, containing from 1766 to 1769 Book U, No. 3-Books belonging 10 Book V, containing from 1769 to the Court of Ordinary, $B \subset D D^{\vee} F$, 1771...Book X, 1st and 2nd Vol. con and two F's G N and Z, also an old taining from 1771 to 1774.....Book of heck Book of Certificates issued to two C, C, 1st and 2nd Vol. containing officers.

The Senate took up the report of from 1774 to 1784...... Book D. D. Book B, No. 3, containing from 1783

Mortgages---Book E; containing from 1755 to 1763... Book G contain-Register of grants which issuedling from 1762 to 17:5. Book O, con-|E>>E. containing from 1776 to 1805.

Deeds of Gift, Bills of ale & Pow-C No. 3, and D No. 3, containing

Acts of the General Assembly from

Military Commissions from 1798

Books of Commissions to Justices!

Proclamations---Book H, from 1754 to 1782-- Book H H, from 1782 to Conveyances—Book A. C. 1st and 1805---Book of Marks and Brands Y, Base, a number of files or packages of the mon, and think the paner of the bapers, labelled as wills, conveyances, a bit over unreasonable, and ought not praisements, bonds, orders of coundto be granted.

year 1755 to 1310, also Book of the relief of Toseph Muse and others Entry of Grants from 1775 to 1778 Establing juros for the Sujeries for the organization of the Cavaler, the coair-In President result of the and the bill to add a port of Washing chair, & Mr Little reported chard by ton to Baldwin county, were sove-had gone through it e same without it rally read the second time, and order mendinent.

ed for committee of the whole.

The Senate resolved itself into a which was read and agreed to. supplementary to an act, renderline the third time and passed

mendment.

The Senate took up the reported that, and We Hudspea, resorted that which was agreed to. They had gone through the same with

Whereupon the said bill was read an amendment the third time and passed.

Mr Jackson presented a position which we see all and agreed to.

read and referred to the committee on the third dime at I passed. petitions.

The Conate took up the report offered the second time, and ordered for the committee on the potition of Da-a third reading, to wir; iniel Butler, which was agreed to, as L. Bill to add a purt of Liberty

follows, viz:

their consideration his halpless families spects Little river, &c. - and

gislatur heretofore has done, report, if thincock county to levy an extratable

If the Pigeon holes under the Book (hey have and the same under cousts

Executive orders, &c. &c. &c. The Senate resolved itself into a the with the manuscript laws from committee of the whole on the bill for .The bill more effectualy to provide oursel Wayne county - Vr Latte ha

The Senate took up the report,

committee of the whole on the bill. Whereupo , the sold bill was read

roid grants founded on froudulent re- The Sanate resolved Iself into a turns, &c .- Mr Jackson in the chair committee of the whole on the both to -Mr President resumed the chair, authorise Joseph Cooper to erect a Frand Mr Jackson reported that they had foll bridge across the Ocones river on gone through the same with an a-his ewa lane - I'r Hudspeth at the chair-- Mr Fresiant resumed the

The Sande took up the report,

from James W. Neyland, which was Whercupon the said bel was read

I The following bills were severally

icounty to the county of Tatmal;

The committee to whom was refer- A bin to repeal an act, for keeting red the petition of Daniel Busier, pen nittle river and Broad river, praying this Legi lature to take intolpussed 27d Fel many 1796, so far as ly, and great thin some reliefus a Le- A bill to authorise the Inferior court

The Senate resolved itself into alresigned. committee of the whole on the bill to aid the Trustees of the University of to-morrow morning. Georgia, in carrying into effect the act for the more full and complete es tablishment of a public seat of learning in his State, passed 27th Janua-1785 and to authorise them to sell to form a new county round Wrights. and dispose of their lands, and to a boro', reported, which was ordered to mend and act-Mr Crawford in the lie on the table. chair-Mr President resumed the shar, and Mr Crawford reported pro committee of the whole on the bill to gress, and had leave to sit again.

committee of the whole on the bill to wife -Mr Park in the chair-Mr Preamend an act, to appropriate the sident resumed the chair, and Mr. funds heretofore set apart for the re-Park reported that they had gone demotion of the public debt-Mr through the same without any amend: Newsom in the chair—Mr President ment. resumed the chair, and Mr Newson! reported that they had gone through the third time, and on the question, the same without any amendment.

the third time and passed.

The bill to be cutitled an act, to a mend the several acts for regulating Vendue Masters, so far as to author rise a Vendue Master in the town of the second time.

Ordered for a third reading.

Mr Hudspeth from the joint com mittee on the Governor's Communi cation relative to bills altering the Constitution, reported, which was or dered to he on the table.

On motion of Mir kabun,

Resolved, That John Turner be and he is hereby appointed a Justic of the Inferior court of Hancock cou.

The Senate adjourned 'till 9 o'

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FRIDAY, 6th December, 1811. Mr Poster from the joint committed

The Senate resolved itself into a be entitled an act to divorce and separ The Senate resolved itself into a rate John T. Patterson and Sarah his

Whereupon the said bill was read shall this bill now pass, it was determ Whereupon the said bill was readmined in the affirmative, and the yeas and nays being required, are Yeas 27, Navs 8

Those who voted in the affirmative lare Messrs. Blair, Brown, Crawford Davis, Hardie, Harrison, Henderson, Milledgeville was taken up and readliflogan, Jackson, Jones, Lawson Leigh, McCormick, Newsom, Owens, Park, Powell, Pray, Reid, Shepherd tewart, Strippling, Watts (of Washngton), Watts (of I.) Williams, Willson and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative re Messrs. Barnett, Byne, Cook Foster, Hudspeth, Little, Rabun and ocruggs.

The bill to divorce and separate Vathaniel Harper and Mary his wife ty in place of Richard A. Blount, esq was taken up, and on the question, shall this bill now pass, it was deter ported no amendment. med in the affirmative, and the yeas Whereupon the said bill was read Cormick, Newsom, Owens, Powell, - Nays 7. Pray, Reid, Shepherd Stewart, Strip- I hose who voted in the affirmative, pling, Watts (of Washington) Watts are Messrs. Barnett, Elair, Brown, Wood, in the affirmative.

and ac uggs.

The bill to be entitled an act, to di and Wood. shall this bill now pass, it was deter bittle, Park, Rabun and Scruggs. Nays 10.

Newsom, Owens, Park, Powell, Pray. The Senate took up the report, Reid, Shepherd, Stewart, stripling and the amendment was agreed to. Wood

and Scruggs

Sumed the chair, and Mr Blair re-fair), Williams and Willson.

and nays being required, are Messrs the third time, and on the question, air, Brown, Crawford, Davis, Har-shall this bill now pass, it was detertie, Harrison, Henderson, Hogan, mined in the affirmative, and the yeas ckson, Jones, Lawson, Leigh, M' and nays being required, are Yeas 28

fol Telfair), Williams, Willson and Byne, Crawford, Davis, Hardie. Harfrison, Henderson, Hogan Jackson, Those who voted in the negative Jones, Lawson, I eigh, McCormick, fare, Messrs. Barnett, Byne, Cook, Newsom, Owens, Powell, Pray, Reid, ster, Hudspeth, Little, Park, Rabun Sheppard, Stewart. Strippling, Wets fof W) Watts (of T), Wilhams, Will on

Force certain persons therein named Those who voted in the negative, was taken up, and on the question, are Messrs. Cook, Foster, Hudspeth,

mined in the affirmative, and the yeas The Senate resolved itself into a and have being required, are Yeas 24, committee of the whole on the bill to divorce Levin Cathel and Eliza his Those who voted in the affirmative wife—Mr Powell in the chair—Mr fare Messrs. Blair, Brown, Crawford President resumed the chair, and Mr die, Harrison, Henderson, Hogan Powell reported that they had gone kson, Lawson. Leigh, M'Cormick | Phrough the bill with an amendment.

Watts (of T.) Williams, Willson and Whereupon the said bill was read the third time, and on the question, Those who voted in the negative, shall this bill now pass, it was deter-Messrs. Barnett, Byne, Cook, Fos-mined in the negative, and the yeas ter, Hudspeth, Jones, Little, Rabun, and nays being required, are Yeas 16, Navs 19.

The Senate resolved itself into a Those who voted in the affirmative, mmittee of the whole on the bill to are Messrs. Hardie, Harrison, Hoe entitled an act, to divorce James H. gan, Jackson, Jones, Lawson, Leigh, Perdue and Catharine his wife—Ner M'Cormick, Owens, Powell, Reid, Blair in the chair—Mr President re | Shepherd, Strippling, Watts (of Telare Messrs. Barnett. Plair, Drown Cock reported no amendment. Byne, Cook, Criviloid Divis, Fester | Whereupon the bill was read the Henderson, Unshipeth, I ade, New Island time and passed. som, Early, Prog. Baban, Scrugge, Mr Henderson called up the report Stewart, Watts (or Washington) and of the committee on the bill to be en-Nood.

constitute of the whole on the bill restables in certain cases, &c. which be. be entitled an act, to divorce Josephia g read, the report was amended and P Shale and Margaret his wife - At preed to Ribon in the chair; Mr Presidentre | Whereupon the said bill was read sumed the chair, and Mr Muban re the third time and passed under the possed that they had gone through the title of an act, to regulate the appoint.

third time, and on the question, shall pointing out the duty of Sheriffs in this bill now pass, it was determined selling lands in der execution, passed in the regarder. The Constitution 1221 December 1:00. requiring two thirds moon divorces. and the year and nays being required intitled an act, to add part of the are, Mas Bry Mays 13

Please who voted in the affirmative are Messra Brown, Hudle, Unrison Hendreson, Hogar, Pates, Lawson Leigh, M. Connich Newsom, Ovens Powell, Liny, Reid, Shepherd, St vart, beippling, Vatts (of Telfan). Willson and Wood

Those who voted in the negative hime and passed. are Messes Parnett, Lear, Bype Cook, Crowd ed. Pavo, Forsey, Huds | cal an act, entitled an act, for keeppeth, Little, Park, Debra, Scruggs and pag open Little river and Broad river, Wats (d. Washington).

connective of the whole on the bill to passed for the prevention of execting be entitled an act, to revise and a mills on said river, was read the third mend the third section of an pertune and passed.

for one a region, the Ogochec river and. The b Lobe entitled an act, to a Break creek, passed 22d February, mend the 31st section of the Juliciary 1706; hir Cook in the chair; Mr act of 1799 was read the third time

Those who voted in the negative. President resumed the chair, and M

fulled an act, more particularly point The Schate resolved itself into a jug out the duty of sheriffs and con-

said bill without any amendment. | met of juliors, & to after & explain the Where pon the till was read the first section of an act, entitled an act,

The Senate took up the bill to be ounty of I iberty to that of Tainall, which was read the third time and

The bill to be entitled an act, to au norise the Inferior court of Hancock ounty to levy an extra tax, to enable a m to build a new jail, and for other ounty purposes, was read the third

I he bill to be entitled an act, to resparsed and tebruary 1796, so far as The homeon a solved itself into spespects Lattle river, and all of eracis ad on the question, shall this bill now pass, it was determined in the affirma passed. live, and the yeas and nays being re The Senate resolved itself into a mired, are Yeas 20-Nays 11.

Henderson. Hogan, Jones, Law-ment of the Cavalry of this staten, Little, Hewsom, Park, Powell, Ra-Mr Byne in the chair -Mr President Watts (of Washington), Watts (of Tel-ported that they had gone through the Mair), Williams and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative. The Senate took up the report, and here Messrs Barnett, Cook, Crawford, the amendment was agreed to. rise a Vendue Master in the town of Nays 14 and passed.

act, to incorporate a company for the Willson and Wood. fol-Mr Foster in the chair—Mr Pre-Shepherd and Watts (of Telfair). sident resumed the chair and Mr Fos ter reported no amendment.

the third time and passed.

Mr Park reported no amendment.

The bill was read the third time and

committee of the whole on the bill to Those who voted in the affirmative be entitled an act, more effectually to arc Messrs Blair, Brown, Foster. Har provide for the organization and equipin, Scruggs, Shepherd, Strippling resumed the chair, and Mr Byne resame with an amendment.

Davis, Harrison, Hudspeth, Leigh, Whereupon the said bill was read the Dwens, Reid, Stewart, and Willson. third time, and on the question thall The bill to be entitled an act, to a this bill now pass, it was determined mend the several acts for regulating in the affirmative, and the year and Vendue Masters, so far as to autho hays being required, are Yeas 16-

"Milledgeville, was read the third time Those who voted in the affirmative, are Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Byne, The Senate resolved itself into a Cook, Davis, Hardie, Hogan, Lawson, recommittee of the whole on the bill to M'Cormick, Rabun, Reid, Stewart, be entitled an act, amendatory to an Strippling. Watts (of Washington),

burpose of opening the Ogechee river | Those who voted in the negative From the mouth of Canouchee to the are, Messrs Blair. Crawford, Foster, mouth of Rocky Comfort, and for the Henderson, Hudspeth, lones, Leigh, improvement of the navigation there (Little, Newsom, Gwens, Park, Scruggs,

The Senate took up the following report, to wit:

Whereupon the said bill was read The joint committee to whom was referred the Governor's Communica-The Schate resolved itself into altion, dated 29th November, 1811 recommittee of the whole on the bill to port, that from a view of the Constituthe entitled an act, to establish the linction, they coincide in opinion with His between the counties of Tatnall and Excellency, that having no controul Montgomery—Mr Park in the chair—over Constitutional questions, it was Mr President resumed the chair, and not within the contemplation of the ¹Constitution, that his signature should be made to any article of amendment branch of the General Assembly to the Constitution upon which two he same shall have been really thirds of both Houses had already a limes on three separate days & grad, norts it necessary in the opi respective House, then and no no a of your commit ee for him to sign wise, the same shall become a any law to which he had dissented this Constitution." and which afterwards passed by a ma jority of two thirds of both Houses.

The 10th section of the second arti signature is not intended in t cle of the Constitution is in the words sage of any bill upon which bo following, viz:

"He (the Governor) shall have the right of two thirds: But as revison of all bills passed in both Hou-mence may result, and in fact ses, before the same shall become jects of the Constitution be laws, but two thirds of both houses may by amendments to the same 🔏 pass a law notwithstanding his dissent; from each other, in two diffe and if any bill should not be returned sions. They recommend the f by the Governor wall in five days, at rule be adopted by both Hou ter it hath been presented to him, the That where any alteration o 3. same shall be a law, unless the Gene ment to the Constitution has ral Assembly, by their adjournment during one session of the Legshall prevent its return."

And the 15th section of the 4th ar |thereto affixed shall be intro. ticle is in the words following, viz:

"No part of this Constitution shall that no other bill be received be altered, unless a bill for that pur-thereof; which being read was pose, specifying the alterations intend | On motion of Mr Hogan, ed to be made, shall have been red Resolved, That it shall be three times in the 1 ouse of Repres n-of the Justices of the Inferiog! tatives and three omes in the Sen te, of Laurens and Pulaski cour on three several days in each, and a in jority of them, to conve greed to by two therds of each House, house of Asa Pipkins on the respectively; and when any such bill one between said counties, counties, shall be passed in manner aforesaid, day of February next, or with the same shall be published at least days thereafter, and pay over six months previous to the next ensu [Thomas a reasonable com ing annual election for members of the for his services in surveying annual General Assemb'y; and if such alte out the county of Pulaski, ancirations, or any of them so proposed the dividing line between the shall be agreed to in their first session counties of Laurens and Pur thereafter, by two thirds of each conformity to an act passed it:

From a view of these section committee believe that the Go ses had exercised their constitutions

the same bill with the sea. lits final passage at the next set

n from the committee to quired, are Yess 16-Nays 15 which was read, and refer Willson and Wood. **game** into consideration. 🕃 s presented a petition from | On motion of Mr Cook, orted as follows, to wa: - lay

fina had leave to report a billlands, and to amend subject - Writeead the ast time

ite injustified 'till 9 o'block M nelay in June next no oneng.

Mr. Owens, ider the Journal of yeter-

stive, and the Yeas and Nays being re-

recommitted the memorial. Those who vound in the affirmative 3 Jonkins, reported which are Messrs. Hardie, Harrison, Hogan, predered to lie on the table. Lawson, I eigh, MA ot mick. Newsom, The presented a memorial owens, held. Shepherd, newert, 2 Adams and Benjamin Thurspling, Wats (of I.) Williams,

Irs Leigh, M'Cormick and Those who vo di the regatile, mmittee on the part of So are Messrs. Dr. ott, wher, Brown, a such as may be appoint Eyne, Cook, Cramor mayis. Foster House of Representatives, Mudspeth, Jones, Lie. Prog. Reb in boruggs, and Watts (or Washington).

is, which was read and rely Resolved, That Thomas Mischell ke committee on petitions. De, and he is I creby appointed a comfrom from the committee or missioner of the Chark county Acade

littee to whom was referred. The Senate again resolved itself of James W Neyland, re into a committee of the whole on the have had the same under lill to be entitled an est, to old the pn, and think that the Iale Texastees of the University of Ellorgia If the county in which he in carrying into effice to each for the Le proper ribun u to which more fell and cour lete cotablishment petition, therefore refer of a public seat or learning in this state, same; which was read and passed 27th January 17 to and to auabonse them to sell and dispose of their

In act, passed the present our in the chair - ar President rencorporate e Thuters sumed the chair, and Mr Riben rethe State of Georgia, & ported, that the further consideration of this bill be postnoned until the first

The Senete teo's up the report, and ion the question to space to the same, 1811. 7th December, 1811. It was determined in the affirmative , Yeas 17-N: ys 12.

hose who you d in the offirmative, m respects the bill to divorce are Messes. I vne, Foster, Mogan, Blade and Margaret his Jones, Lawson Jeigh, a hile Newton determined in the afterma 'Owens, Rabun, Heid, Scrings, Sleep's pard. Strippling, Watts (of T), Wil-Dublin and county of Laurens. ham- and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative ing resolutions from Senate to are lyiesses. Barnett, Blair, Cook, Davi. Hardie Larrison, Henderson, the Inferior court of Columbia co Bulspeth, back, Stewart, Watts of one on the memorial of James ! W) and Willson.

A message from the House of Re Notary Public for the county of presentatives by Wir Holt their clerk; en; one appointing commission Mr. President;

"Inc H of R have passed the follow-appointing a Justice of the In ing bills from Senate, to wit:

A bill to amend an act to make per pointing a Notary Public for the manent the site of the public buildings ty of Chatham; one appointing a in the town of Hartford and county of missioner of the town of Statesberg in the town of Hartford and county of missioner of the town of Statesberg in the town of Hartford and county of missioner of the town of Statesberg in the town of Hartford and county of missioner of the town of Statesberg in the Statesberg in t Pulaski;

A bill to appoint commissioners to Justice of the Inferior court of fix on the site of the public buildings cock county; one appointing a in Wayne county, &c.;

A bill to authorise Col. Pascal Har [county; one authorising the Ti rison, and the representatives of Geo. rer to break open the bundles or Chiff, dec'd, to build a toll bridge a jets in his office containing State' cross the Oconec river, &c.;

A bill to compel Clerks of the Su of the citizens of this state; or perior and Inferior courts of Wilkin quiring His Excellency the Gov son county to keep their offices at or to cause 500 shares to be subs within one mile of the court-house of for within the time limited for the said county;

A bill to repeal an act, to authorise of a letter from John H. Bass, co Henry Joice to erect a ferry across nicated by his Excellency, the the Geonge river;

A bill to alter the time of holding concurred unanimously in the r Pulaski Inferior court;

A bill to authorise the levying anhance, proposing an amendm extra tax in Randolph county;

A bill to authorise the levying an ex-they concurred in the resolution tra tax in Buldwin county;

A bill to authorise the levying an own of St Mary's; they have extra tax in Camden county;

A bill to make perminent the sire fire to the woods at improper. of the jubic buildings in the town of lof the year; a bill supplemen

They have concurred in the f

A resolution appointing a Jus with an amendment; one appoin the Baldwin county Academy court of Baldwin county; one Bullock county; one appointi hice of the Inferior court of T Bounty Warrants for the insp of Georgia, &c; one on the si nor, to the General Assembly—1 tion on the report of the joint the Constitution of the United S pointing a Vendue Master f a bill to prevent persons from

the Judiciary of 1799; a bill more ef | ons therein montioned, except the remally to open and keep in repair the Jublic roads, &c. in this tate, &c a bill to establish a tribunal for the Mary's, which was ordered to lie on rial of slaves in this state; they agreed the table. to some, and disagreed to others of the They recede from their amendment have disagreed to the amendment bill for the Inspection of i lour made by Senate to the bill giving furd. On the question to recode from Mibraries and Injunctions; they have + required, are Yeas 14-Nays 16. greed to some, & disagreed to others of Those who voted in the affirmative, made by Senate to the resolution, requision Washington) and Williams. ring the corporation of Milledgeville to Those who voted in the negative, are Twiggs county, & one requesting Hisphere to their original amendment. Excellency the Governor to obtain in monies now in its possession due they the House, do lie on the table. Hime State of Georgia; one appointing Academy; and concurred in the reso-Intion appointing David G. Jones Delock. Vendue Master, with an amendmen -and he wundrew.

The Senate took up the message and concurred in the several resolution

-olution appointing David G. Jones a |Vendue Master for the town of St.

imendments made by Senate to the made to the bill regulating the Judicibill to amend the Judiciary laws, so far ary, so far as respects justices courts, his relates to justices courts; they and in the amendments made to the

ther time to the fortunate drawers to their amendments made to the bill gitake out their grants; they have a king further time to fortunate drawers greed to some and disagreed to others in the late land lottery to take out of the amendments made by Senete to their grants, it was determined in the the bill to regulate the granting of Cer |negative, and the year and nays being

the amendments made by Senate to the are Messas. Plair, Cook, Poster, Harbill to regulate the Inspection of Flour; cison, Henderson, Hogan, Jones, Leigh, they have agreed to the amendmen Hittle, Newsom, Reid, Stewart, Watts

suppress gambling, &c.; they have Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Byne, Crayapassed a resolution appropriating ter ford, Davis, Hardie, Hudspoth Lawson, Magusand dollars for the raising of a Owens, Pack, Labun, Scruggs. Shep-Penitentiary Edifice, &c.; one appoint pard, Watts (of f), Willson and Wood. ing a justice of the Lawrior court of Resolved. That the Senate do ad-

Ordered. That the amendments formation from the proper department made to the bill regulating Certionaof the General Government respecting ries and Injunctions, and disagreed to

The said several bills contained in a commissioner of the Twiggs count is did massage were read the first time. Adjourned fill Idonday morning 9

> 990000000 Monday, 9th December, 1811. On motion of Mr Cook, The Journal of Saturday was re

considered so far as respects the bill deration the memorial of Messrs. A. to aid the University of Georgia in dams and Duyckinck, and carrying into effect the act, for the more full and complete establishment mentary to an act, to lay out a new of a public seat of learning in this county out of the several counties stain, Ro

Ordered, That the said bill do lie on the table.

On motion of Mr Foster,

respects the bill giving further time to certain occasions - and he with drewl the fortunate drawers to take out their greete. Ste. was reconsidered.

On motion of Mr Hudspeth,

Resolved, That a committee be ap jume. pointed on the part of Cenate, to joi such as muy be appointed on the pariof the House of Representatives, tolying on the committee appointed on contract for the isa mediate printing 500 (see memorial of Messrs. Adams and copies of the act regulating Justices Duyckinck and Mr Barnett added. courts.

Park and Henderson be that commit which was read and ordered to lie on too.

A message from the House of Pepresentative by Mr Holt their clerk Mr Pres dent;

passed a resolution appointing a combancy of David M'Cormick removed missioner of the Mergan county Academy;

One appointing a Notary I allie for the courty of Chatham;

One appointing a justice of the Inferies court of Libert esperty—and

town lots in Milled a ville.

thair product to join the committee appointed b. Senate to the missions if

They have passed the bill suppletherein named;

A bill to renew a certain Bounty Warrant therein named —and

A bill to comp I Coroners, Sheriffs The Journal of Saturday so far as and Constables to take securities, on

> The Senate took up the message, and the said resolutions were severally concurred in, and the bills read the 1st

On motion,

Mr. Powell was excused from ser-

Mr. Newsom from the committee Ordered, That Mesars Hudspeth reported on the pet tion of Join Neves, the table.

On motion of Mr M'Cormick, Resolved, That James Walca be api pointed a commissioner of the Mont-The House of Representatives have gomery county Academy, to fill theva-

The bill to be entitled an act, to alter the third section of an act, to amend on act, to incorporate the Planters' Jank of the State of Georgia, and for ther purposes, passed 19th Decem per 18.0 also to provide againsticin One recaive to the purchase of pezzlement and forgeries—passe of he 5d of the present month, by the They have added a committee on present Legislature, was read the thirt me and passed.

The following bills were severally

read the second time, to wit:

public roads, causeways and bridges hijunctions, and the same being read, in this state.

Ordered for committee of the whole in dispute. FA bill to be entitled an act, for the relief of Joseph B. Jones.

Ordered for committee of the whole within this state.

February 1799.

passed on the 22d December, 1808, commend the following resolution; had leave to sit again.

President resumed the chair, and Mr. read was agreed to. feave to toisit again.

The Senate took up the amends Abill to be entitled an act, more effments made by them to the bill to refeetually to open and keep in repair the gulate the granting of Certioraries and

Kesolved, Inat the Senate do ad-Ordered for committee of the whol here to their amendments—&, order-A bill to be entitled an act, to pre-led, that Messrs Jackson, Cook and vent persons from setting fire to the Park be a committee on the part of Sewoods at improper seasons of the year hate, to confer on the subject matter

> Mr Leigh from the joint committee reported as follows, to wit:

The joint committee to whom was A bill to be entitled an act, to es referred the memorial of Adams and tablish a tribunal for the trial of slaves Duyckinck have taken the same into consideration, and deeming it impore Ordered for committee of the whole tant that the laws and concurred reso-Abill to be entitled an act, supple llutions of 18.0, should be added in mentary to the 31st section of the Ja the compilation of laws and resolutidiciary act of this State, passed 16 mons now in the press, and considering that the circumstan es stated in the The Senate resolved itself into amemorial a e sufficient to authorise an committee of the whole on the bill tolextention of time our printing and pubbe entitled an act, to amend an act, lishing the laws and resolutions, fe-

entitled an act, pointing out the duties Resolved, I'hat the time for printof Sheriffs in selling lands under ex ling and publishing the laws and resoecution, and to repeal the first section|lutions as contracted for by the memothereof- Mr Hudspeth in the chair-rialists be extended to the first day of Mr President resumed the chair and June next, on condition that the laws Mr Hudspeth reported progress, and and concurred resolutions of 1810 be ladded, and printed by the contractors The Senate resolved itself into alon the same terms as they have concommittee of the whole on the bill to tracted to print the compilation; and be entitled an act, pointing out the for this extra work, His Excellency the mode of electing electors for President Governor shall be authorised and reand Vice-President of the United quired to pay the same out of the States—Mr Rabun in the chair—Mr. contingent fund, and the same being

Rabun reported progress, and had The Senate again resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bilk to aid the Trustees of the University United States, and Commissioners of Georgia in carrying into effect the the part of Georgia, bearing date & act for the more full and complete es 24th day of April 1802, was read a tablishment of a public seat of learning ordered to lie on the table. in this state, passed 27th January 1785, Mr Owens presented a petition fro and to authorise them to sell and dis-the commissioners of the Baldw pose of their lands, and to amend said county Academy, which was read and act; Mr Henderson in the chair; Mr Pre-referred to the committee on petition sident resumed the chair, & Mr Hen- On motion of Mr. Foster, derson reported that they had gone Resolved, That the Secretary to through the same with amendments. Senate inform the House of Representation

was read & agreed to with amendments Finday next, sine die.

Whereupon the said bill was read On motion of Mr. Henderson, the third time and passed under the Resolved, That Hugh Montgome title of a bill to be entitled an act, to re-|ry of Jackson county, Edmund Hogas vise and amend an act, entitled an act, of Pulaski county, Thomas Watts c for the more full and complete estab- l'elfair county be, and they are here lishment of a public seat of learning by appointed commissioners of the A in this state—pass d27th Jan 1785 bademies of their several counties.

A message from the House of Re- The Senate took up the amend, presentatives by Mr. Loh their clerk ments disagreed to by the House of

Mr President;

passed a resolution on the petition of late land letteries, to take out their Jesse Santord—and

A bill to appropriate money for the political year 1812, and he withdrew, the same.

The Senate took up the report, and the said bill was read the first time, & the said resolution ordered to lie on be appointed'a justice of the Inferior the table.

On motion of Mr M'Cormick,

A resolution appointing agents on Jesse Laseter, esquire. the part of this state to receive from The Senate resolved itself into ** the Treasury of the United States any committee of the whole on the billito sum or sums of morey which may establish a tribunal for the trial of have been received by the Areasurer slaves in this state—Mr Powell in the of the United States by virtue of a chair—Mr. President resumed the Deed of Cession entered into between chair, and Mr Powell reported that the Commissioners on the part of theithey had gone through the same with

The Senate took up the report, which tatives that the Senate will adjourn of

Representatives, to the bill giving fur-The House of Representatives have ther time to the fortunate drawers in the grants, &c. and the same being read,

Resolved, That they still adhere to

On motion of Mr. I.P.Cormick,

Resolved, That Robert Flournoy court of Montgomery county, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the removal of

mendments.

Chird reading

Lo'clock.

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mittee of the whole.

The Senate then resolved itself into The following report was taken up. a committee of the whole on said bill; read, amended and agreed to as follows, Mr Rabun in the chair; Mr. Presi to wit: the same with amendments.

lie on the table.

On motion of Mr Willson, in room of John Cowper resigned.

to, to wit:

tants of the counties of Columbia and ges in the first instance. Warren, praying a new county to be Your committee considering the

have taken the same into considerati-The Senate took up the report, and on, that from a view of the situation of the same being read was agreed to. - the two counties, the distance of the Ordered, I hat said bill stand for a public buildings from each other and Wrightsboro', are of opinion that there Adjourned 'till to-morrow morning is not territory or people sufficient for a new county, without disorganizing one or both of said counties, and sub-Tuesday, 10th December, 1811. jecting the site for the public buildings The bill to appropriate money for to be removed, to the great injury of the political year 1812, was read thelthe citizens; therefore the prayer of second time, and ordered for a com the petitioners is unreasonable, and ought not to be granted.

dent resumed the chair, and Mr Rabun The special committee to whom was ported that they had gone through referred the memorial of Edmund B. Henkins, Surveyor General, praying Ordered, That the said report do compensation for services rendered in his office, report, that your committee On motion of Mr Barnett—Resol are sorry to observe that much evil and ved, That a committee be appointed considerable expense has grown out of to examine the accounts of the mem (the change heretofore made in some of bers of Senate of the present session the state officers, for we find that when Ordered, That Messrs. Barnett, Mr Sturges, late Surveyor General, Rabun and Foster be that committee was succeeded in his office, he brought a charge against the state for 1500 Resolved, That Thomas Dover be, dollars for anticipated services perand he is hereby appointed a justice formed in that office, which sum he of the Inferior court of Glynn county, has actually received, and the claim of Mr Jenkins being founded on his to The Senate took up the following having to perform services which resolution, which was read and agreed ought to have been done by Air Sturges; that this evil appears to have The joint committee to whom was proceeded out of the premature apreferred the petition of sundry inhabi-propriation made in favor of Mr Stur-

laid off out of the aforesaid counties, so justice of Mr Jenkins's claim relative as to make Wrightsboro' the centre to the 5000 certificates recorded by him, recommend that he be allowed 10. Resolved, That His Excellency the cents for each certificate, amounting to Governor is hereby authorised & rethe sum of 500 dollars, and that the quired to direct the Solicitor Generally same be provided for in the appropri of the Ocmulgee circuit to institute all ration law.

On motion of Mr Hardie,

Icave of absence the remainder of the services performed by him which services session.

passed the present session, to alter the At's and 5th sections of the third arti ported as follows, to wit: cle of the Constitution.

raion of the Journal on the bill to con labids and J. Crawford, Commissionfirm to Jared Trammell, the establish has for the Baldwin county Academy, ment of a ferry, and on the question, requesting the Legislature to make chall this bill now pass, the year and such appropriations as may enable nays were called for, which are as fol-them to proceed to the discharge of lows, viz-Yeas 16-Nays 15

Those who voted in the affirmative have had the same under their consist and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative, was agreed to are Mesurs. Barnett, Blair, Brown, The following report was taken up Byne, Cook, Hogan, Jackson, Jones and disagreed to, to wit: McCormick, Park, Pray, Kabun, Shep- The joint committee appointed to pard, Stewart and Stripling

negative, the bill was lost

ported an address to the President of onty, and beg leave to submit the acthe United States, which was read and companying schedule as the result of ordered to lie on the table.

solution, which was read and ordered cannot forbear, in justice to the officito lie on the table, to wit:

suit against Daniel Sturges, late Sur. veyor General and his securities, for Mr Wilson and Mr Harrison had 500 dollars paid to E. B. Jenkins for vices ought to have been done by the Mr Foster laid on the table a reso said Daniel Sturges, and for which the lution relative to the printing the law said Daniel Sturges has received pay.

Mr Newsom from the committee re-

The committee to whom was refere The Senate took up the reconsider red the petition of A. Harris, H. Rey, their official duties, reported, that they

are Messrs Davis, Poster, Henderson, deration, and as there is one thousand Hudspeth. Lawson, Leigh. Little, New pounds allowed to each county within tem, Owens, Fowell, Reid, Scruggs 4this state, think the prayer of the pe-Watts (of W) v atts (of T_r) Williams litioners unreasonable, and ought not to be granted, and the same being read

inspect the office of Secretary of State, The President having voted in the and to transfer the same from the ex-Secretary to the officer elect, report, Mr Robun from the committee redthat they have performed their their examination.

Mr Owers offered the following re- On this occasion your committee hal correctness and fidelity of Horatio the neat and correct state in which to.

lat he has incurred much individual wit: rbence in providing sundry books, ommend the following resolution;

Resolved, That the sum of 400 dol | aid Horatio Marbury may have on the mittee of the whole. tate for or on account of any expences | And a bill supplementary to an act, ice of Secretary of State during theled for a faird reading. ment of this department.

ported as follows, to wit:

sioners to lease to him three acres of ed'till June next. the town common, for the purpose of The Senate took up the report, establishing a slaughter pen, report which was read and agreed to. that they have examined the same, and The Senate resolved itself into a the following resolution;

sidersclo lease to Jesse Busson three aftendments.

gres of the town commons, for the es | Wrdered, That said report do lie on ublishment of a slaughter pen, for the table.

larbury, esq. to notice thus publick and the same being read was rereed

found the papers and books of The following bills were taken up his office, and being fully convinced and severally read the second time, to

A bill to renew a certain Bounty sc. for the use of the state; they re-Warrant therein named-ordered for It committee of the whole.

A bill to compel Coroners, Speriffs ars be inserted in the appropriation and Constables to take securities on aw, in full of all demands which the certain occasions—ordered for a com-

neurred by him in providing books to lay out a new county out of the seind stationary for the use of the of veral counties therein named -- order-

period in which he had the manage. The Senate resoved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill sup-Mr Newsom from the committee re-plementary to the S1st section of the Judiciary act of this state, passed 16th The committee to whom was refer | February 1799-Mr Byne in the chair red the petition of Jesse Busson, pray | -Mr President resumed the chair, & ing the sanction of this Legislature so Ar Byne reported, that the further far as to authorise the State Commis-Lousideration of said bill be postpon-

believe no inconveniency would attend committee of the whole on the bill the leasing of three acres as prayed for, more effectually to open and keep in provided the same shall not be appli bepair the public roads, causeways & ed to any other use than that of a bridges in this state-Mr Newsom in saughter-pen, therefore recommend the chair .-- Nir President resumed the chair, and Mr Newsom reported that Resolved. That the State Commission y had gone through the same with

min of three years, provided he doe. A message from the House of Renot apply the same to any other use presentatives by Mr. Helt their clerk; Mr President;

passed a bill to point out the mode of collecting rents, and,

Code, and conform the same to the Pe Benjamin Sherrod be, and they are nitentiary system -- and they have hereby appointed Justices of the Infepassed a resolution appointing justice-hior court for the county of Wilkes, in of the Inferior court of Mogan county place of George Johnson, Holman -and he withdrew.

the said bills were severally read the first time, and the resolution concurred in.

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WEDNESDAY, 17th December, 1811. Jed by Mr William Jarratt, and lease On motion of Mr Powell,

To reconsider the Journal of Senate juration for the term of ten years. of yesterday, so far as respects the bilsupplementary to the 31st section or led an act, to ameliorate the Criminial the Judiciary of this state, it was de-st ode and conform the same to the Petermined in the affirmative, and tinfoitentiary system, which was read the yeas and have being required, are second time. Mossrs. Barnett, Blair, Hardie, Hen derson, Lawson, Leigh, Park. Powell [the joint commit e to whom was refer-Sheppard, * trippling, Watts (of W \red the Governor's Communication in Watts (of T), Williams and Wood, in the words following; the affirmative.

Messrs. Byne, Cook, Hudspeth, Jones Owens, Mabun, Reid, Scruggs and Stewart

The bill to be entitled an act, to extablish a tribunal for the trial of slave in this state, was read the third tin. and passed.

file Blair presented a potition for a a number of the inhabitants of 5. ven county, which was read and refer In fer any event; Congress is requi-

hed to a special committee consisting of The House of Representatives have Messrs Blair, Powell and Williams. On motion of Mr Park,

Resolved, That Benjamin Porter. A bill to meliorate the Criminal Nicholas Long, William G. Gilbert & Freeman, Aaron i ipham and James The Senate took up the report, and Montford, equires, resigned. A with

On motion o' Mr Barnett, Resolved, T at the Commissioners of the town of stilledgeville do cause Adjourned fill Monday morning tho be laid of to fane Rucker, widow, three acres of and out of the lown common, adjoining the lot now cocupithe same to her for a valuable consi-

The Senate took up the bill to be enti-

The Senate took up the report of

The committee on the State of the Those who voted in the negative, are sepublic to whom was referred the overnor's Communication enclosing e President's Message, report, that he important information communicad and to Congress by the Presidents Message in relation to our foreign afars, loudly admonishes the people of state, to suffer no circumstance surprise their vigilance or to find em unengaged in suitable preparatired to "feel the duty of putting the pe arrayed against guilt," rapacity and United States into an armor, and at prolence. attitude demanded by the crisis;" a pre- The General Government, doubtported by every principle of a just and Heaven, with one consent, honorable cause.

virtuous measures and manly intenti ling read, was unanimously agreed to through the trying perils of warfare, Mr President—The House of Realternative.

caution applying so forcibly to our own as fells on this eventful occasion, an condition and interests, that it cannot invious solicitude for a knowledge of fail to excite a correspondent feeling he temper and sensibility of the natiof the necessity of a seasonable ready in; we will therefore with undissemness, on the verge of hostilities with bird cheerfulness hasten to declare our nations long unmindful of the oblight-ordial approbation of its administratition of national law. It would be need- in, and our confidence in its future deless to enumerate the repeated wrongs, reminations. And as an henest pledge or unsuccessful appeals to their jus of the sincerity of this declaration, we tice for redress Should the destinies do unanimously resolve, it at should which await the nation compel a vigo-our National Legislature in its wisdom rous resistance to the encroachments determine our interests, our rights or so long continued upon the enviedour honor to have been outraged beprosperity of our country, we will ap |yond the tardy remedy of negociation, proach the contest, animated by the and that an appeal to arms must be fervent conviction that we shall be sup | substituted, we will, under the favor of with proud alacrity fly to aid, maintain, The conduct and character of our and support the government of our Federal administration, afford us the choice, and to defend, protect and premost assured and illumined proofs of serve our beloved country; which be-

ons; reflections that must embolden e. A message from the House of Revery patriot and soldier in his progress presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk;

should he be reduced to that regretted presentatives have concurred in the resolution to contract for the printing It is not row for us to repose on a 500 copies of the act passed the pre**pos**ted display of our designs, nor to sent session, to amend the several judirely on a pompous expression of our ciary laws now in force in this state, so cellings, but should our services be re-far as relates to justices courts; and lired, it becomes us in the strength of have appointed Messrs. Williams, Calmand united exertions, invigorated Clayton, J Wimberly, Maxwell & Wellby the constant sentiment of inflexible born, a committee on their part; they stitude, to meet the deprecated strug-have passed a resolution appointing gle with stern and unwavering con William Cone, a Lumber Measurer for tempt of individual danger, convin-the river St Mary, and Ed. Shearman, wed that truth, reason and justice will ir. a Lumber Measurer for Crooked viver in Camden county; they have con- The bill was read the third time: curred in the report of the committee passed. on the memorial of E. B. Jenkins; they The Senate resolved itself in still disagree to the amendments made committee of the whole on the b by the Senate to the bill relative to the enew a certain bounty warrant the extention of the time for the fortunate in named; Mr. Rabun in the characteristics drawers in the land lotteries in this Vr. President resumed the chair state, to take out their grants, and have Mr. Rabun reported, that they appointed a committee of conference gone through the bill without amount on the subject matter in dispute, and ment. they have passed a bill to afford tem porary relief to the purchasers of frac liable. tional surveys—and he withdrew.

concurred in the resolution appointing be entitled an act to compel coron William Cone, I umber Measurer for sheriffs and constables to receive se the giver St Mary, and Ed. Shearman fitties on certain occasions; Mr. Cr Lumber Myasurer for Crooked re-ford in the chair; Mr. President rever in Camden county; the Senate med the chair, and Mr. Crawford concurred in the appointment of apported, that they had gone theor committee of conference on the bill the bill with an amendment. giving further time to the fortunant. The Senate took up the amendment drawers in the land total ries to take out and on motion of Mr. Foster to ame their grants, & have appointed Messrs the report by striking out the 1st clair Powell, Barnett, Wood and Scruege alin said bill, committee on their part to confer there. On the question to agree it was on.

The bill to le en itled an act sup and nays being required, are Yeas plementary to an act, entitled an act, to!Nays 22 Ly out a new county out of the cound Those in the affirmative are Mess ties of Elbert, Franklin, Jackson, O-Blair, Byne, Crawford, Davis, Fost glethorpe and Clark was taken up and Hudspeth, Jones, Leigh, Powell, read the third time and passed.

committee of the whole on the bill to Barnett, Brown, Cook, Hardee, Ho be entitled an act, for the relief of Jo-derson, Hogan, Jackson, Lawson, L seph B. Jones, Mr. Park in the chair; tle, M Cormick, Newson, Owens, Par Mr. President resumed the chair, and Pray, Reid, Scruggs, Sheppard, Stri Mr. Park from the committee reported pling, Watts (of W), Watts (of T. that they had gone through the bili Williams and Wood-Whereupon th without any amendment.

Ordered that the report do lie or

The Senate resolved itself in: The Senate took up the message, & committee of the whole on the b

termined in the negative, and the'y

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The Senate resolved itself into a Those in the negative are Mess report was agreed to, and the said b 5,12.

iams and Wood.

ing acts, to wit:

n act to compel Clerks of the Su state-troop sold er. or and Clerks of the Inferior courts he county of Wilkinson, to keep the Governor for his revision. offices at the court-house or withet entitled, an act to make perma-ken up and read the second time. the site of the public buildings in town of Hartford in the county of whole. aski; an act to authorize Col. Pas heis and representatives of Geo. to wit: frace. to build a toll-bridge across Oconee river, at or near the mouth he Appalachee river.

n act to amend the several acts ap-

read the third time, and on the Joice to erect a ferry across the Ocotion, shall this bill now pass, it was nee river at or near his landing; an mined in the affirmative, Ayes 20, act to make permanent the site of the public buildings in the town of Dublin, hose who voted in the affirmative county of Laurens; an act to make Messrs. Barnett, Brown, Cook permanent the site of the public builddie, Henderson, Hogan, Jackson, lings in the county of Telfair; an act ie, M. Cormick, Newsom, Owens, to alter the time of holding the Inferi-; Reid, Scruggs, Sheppard, Strip-or court of the county of Pulaski; an 3, Watts (of W.), Watts (of T. act to authorize the Justices of the Inferior court of the county of Randolph hose who voted in the negative to levy an extra tax for the year 1812 Messrs. Blair, Byne, Crawford, to enable them to complete the Courtis, Foster, Hudspeth, Jones, Law House of the above-named county; an Leigh, Powell, Kabun, and Stew lact to authorize the Inferior court of Baldwin county to levy an extra tax; Ir Newsom from the committee on an act to authorise the Justices of the silment, reported as duly enrolled Inferior court of the county of Camsigned by the Speaker, the follien to levy an extra tax; and an act or the relief of Bozeman Adare, a

Ordered, that the bills be carried to

The bill to be entitled, an act to renemile thereof; an act to amend gulate the collection of rent, was ta-

Ordered, for a committee of the

A message from His Excellency the Harrison, his heirs and assigns and Governor, by his Secretary, Mr Porter,

> Executive Department, Georgia, ? Milledgevide, 11th Dec'r, 1811. Mr President,

and Gentlemen of the Senate. ting Commissioners to fix on the Understanding that it is the intentiof the public buildings in the coun on of the Legislature to adjourn on Wayne and to regulate the Grand Saturday next, and being informed that Petit Jury list; an act to repeal an the appropriation law is now before the intitled, an act to authorize Henry Senate, I conceive it my duty to lay

b fore them the correspondence which A message from the House of Re has been had between Mr. Ellicott and presentatives by Mr Flott their Clerk this Department since the last session.

I had entertained the most confident expectation that Mr. Efficott would passed a bill to be entitled, an act is have completed the work in which helalter part of the Constitution. has been engaged, and returned to this A bill to be entitled, an act to alter place to make his final report, at an ear lihe mode of appointing Vendue, Mas ly day in the present session, in which ters for the city of Savannah, and to case the Legislature might have been prescribe the method of taking bonds informed of the result, and provision of and qualifying the Vendue Master made for his compensation; but, in throughout this state. this I am disappointed. I therefore A bill to be entitled, an act for the submit the whole correspondence, that renewal of a certain Bounty Warrant the Legislature may have a full view of therein mentioned. - And the engagements made with Mr Elli-A bill to incorporate the Greenwood cost, and that they may make such Church of Lincoln county, and he provision for compensating him as they withdrew. may deem reasonable and just.

to make this Communication is, that |verally read the first time. if the Contingent Fund is the same in Resolved, that the bill to be entitled, amount for the present political year. In act to alter the third, twelfth and which it was the last, I apprehend repart of the seventh section of the first will be in ufficient for the contingen article of the Constitution, and part of cies of the year, if chargeable with the the 1st section of the 3d article and the compensation to Mr Efficott and the did sec of the 3d article and the second contract for printing the compilation of section of the 2d article of the Constituour Laws and Resolutions, now in the tion of this state, constituting the repress.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the question to agree to the same it the table

Mr. Davis laid on the table an ad dress from the inhabitants of Walton county, which was referred to Messre Burnett, Da is and Owens, a commi. Jones. Lawson, Leigh, Rabun, Reid, the to report thereon

William Brown, which was read and Wood. referred to the committee on petitions. Those in the negative are Messrs.

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives has

The Senate took up the message, & Another reason which induces melthe three last mentioned bills were se-

> mainder of the Message do lie on the ta-D. B. MI CHELL ble during the present session; and on was resolved in the affirmative, ayes ·7. noes 10.

Those in the affirmative are Messrs Blair, Byne, Davis, Foster, Hardee, Scruggs Shop end, Stewart, Stripling, Mr Brown presented a petition from Watts (of Washington), Williams and

Brown, Cook, Henderson, Hogan, Lie tle, M'Cormick, Newsom, Owens well Watts (of Telfair).

Mr. Owens called up the following tesolution:

Resolved, that His Excellency the Governor be and he is hereby authori sed and required to direct the Solicito: General of the Ocmulgee circuit to in stitute a suit against Daniel Sturges late Surveyor General, and his securdollars, appropriated to E B Jenkins,

Sturges, has received compensation.

yeas 17, nays 14.

Watts (of Telfair)

Struggs, Shepherd, Stewart, Williams Ingain being read was agreed to. and Wood.

habitants of Scriven county, which vas ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. I'ark laid on the table a resoluon, appointing a committee to bring up ne Journal of Senate after the adjournnent of the Legislature.

Mr. Barnett called up the following esolution;

Whereas by the twenty third section of the first article of the constitution of hais state, it is therein expressed, that ties, for the recovery of five hundred his state may give his consent to the stablishment of one or more govern-Esq. for services performed by him it ments out of the territory sold by this the Surveyor General's Office, which state to the United states, by a deed of bught to have been done by said Stur cession made and entered into by the same, at the City of Washington on the Also, for the recovery of three hun 24th day of April 1802; And whereas dred and thirty-nine dollars twenty-five the withholding of the consent of this cents, for his failing to record four hun state to the establishing of such godred and thirty four grants on head ernment or governments out of the rights, as appears by an examination iforesaid territory, as the United States iof that office; for all of which he, Mr may think proper to establish, would tand to embarrass the same;

And the said resolution being read. Be it therefore resolved, that the Son the question to agree to the same, the consent of this state is hereby given Yeas and nays being required are for the establishment of one or more governments out of the territory sold Those in the affirmative, are Messr-by this state to the United States by a Barnett, Cook, Pavis, Foster, Hardee, deed of a ssion, entered into between Henderson, Hudspeth Jackson, Leigh this state and the United S ates at the Little, Owens, Powell, Rebun, Red City of Washington, on the 24th day of Stripling. Wates (of Washington) and pril 1802 between James Madison, Albert Gallatin and Levi Lincoln, on Those in the negative, are Messrs like part of the United States, and Jas. Blair, Brown, Byne, Hogan, Jones Hackson, Abram Baldwin and John Lawson, M'Cormick, Newsom, Parl Midedge on the part of this state, which

The Senate took up the report of the Mr. Blair from the committee repor - committee of the whole on the bill to fed on the petition of a number of the appropriate monies for the political year 1812, and

On motion of Mr Jones;

That the sum of twelve hundred dollars to the Adjutant General be strick-the con imittee of the whole, on the bill en out, and one thousand inserted; on for the renewal of a certain Bounty the question to agree, it was determin- Warra at therein named, which being ed in the negative, and the year and lead was disagreed to. nays being required are, Yeas 18, Nays 28.

are, Messrs Blair, Brown, Cook, Da hah to Milledgeville, which was read vis, Foster, Henderson, Jackson, Jones, and concurred in. Newsom, Park, Shepherd, Watts of T. and Wood.

Barnett, Byne, Crawford, Hardee, Ho | Master for the town of St. Mary's. gan, Hudspith, Lawson, Leigh, Little. M Cormick, Owens, Powell, Rabua presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk. Reid, Stewart, Strippling, Watts of W. and Williams.

twelve hundred dollars be stricken out mittee on their part to join such as may and eleven handred inserted, it was be appointed by Senate to form a comdetermined in the negative, Yeas 13, mittee on the Criminal Code, and he Nays 19.

Those in the affirmative are Messrs Blair, Brown, Cook, Davis, Foster, on the table. Hen lerson, Jackson. Jones, Newsom, Mr. M'Cormick laid on the table a

Barnett, Byne, Crawford, Hardie, Ho-ly given for the rent of lots in Milgan, Hudspeth, Lawson, Leigh, Little, ledgeville, one hundred & twenty dol-PrCormick, Owens, Powell, Rabun lars for damage sustained by said Ear-Reid, herways, Stewart, Strippling, ly in consequence of a public road ha-Wans (of W.) and Williams.

Whereupen the amendments were severally agreed to, and the bill read al relock. third time and passed as amended.

The Senate took up the amendment made by the House of R presentatives to the resolution appointing a Vendue|solution, to wit;

Master for the town of St. Mary's, which was read and concurred in.

The Senate took up the report of

The Senate took up the resolution from the House of Representatives re-Those who voted in the affirmative ative to the Mail Route from Savan-

They agreed to the amendment made by the House of Representatives Those in the negative are, Messrs. to the resolution appointing a Vendue

> A message from the House of Re Mr President;

The: House of Representatives have On motion of Mr. Jackson, that passed a resolution appointing a comwithdrew.

Ordered that said Message do lie

Park, Snepherd, Watts of F & Wood resolution, requiring the State Commis-Those in the negative, are Messrs sioners to write off the notes of E. Earving been run through said lots.

Adjourned 'till Monday morning 9

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THURSDAY, 12th Dec'r, 1811. Mr Blair called up the following re-

The committee to whom was refer-liam Black, James Oliver and John the following resolution;

that it is expedient, and the public good Yeas 29-Nays 1. 3d article of the Constitution, to re- Mr Park in the negative. move forthwith the said : ewis Lanier. House, the following address, to wit:

His Excellency David B Mitchell;

Inferior court of Scriven county, your leave to sit again in June next.

sed the petition of sandry inhabitants Pollock, esqrs. whenever it shall apof the county of Scriven, recommend pear to your Excellency, that two thirds of the House of Representatives shall Be it resolved by the Senate and concur with Senate in this request; and House of Representatives of the State on the question to agree to the same, it of Georgia in General Assembly met was determined in the affirmative, and two thirds of each' branch concurring the year and nays being required, are

requires, that Lewis Lamer, William Those who voted in the affirmative, Black, James Hiver and John Pollock are Messrs. Barnett, Bar, Brown, esars, four of the Justices of the Info Ryne, Cook, Dans, Foster, Handee, rior court of Scriven county, be rem : lenders in, Hudspeth, Jackson Joses, ved from their offices as justices afore [Lawson, Leigh, Little, M Cormick, said, and that His Excellency the Go Newsom, Owns, Rabun, Reid, eruggs, vernor be requested by the powers heppard stewars, Stroppling, Wates (of vested in him in the 4th section of the W), Watts (of 1), Williams & Wood

The Senate r solved itself into a William Black, James Oliver and John committee of the whole on the bill to Pollock, esqrs. from the office which prevent persons from setting fire to the they now hold as justices of the Later woods at improper seasons of the year or court of the county of periven, and - Mr Lawson in the chair-Mr Prerecommend to the adoption of this dent resumed the chair, and Mr. Lawson reported, that they had gone through the same with an amendment; Whereas by the 4th section of the the Senate took up the report, which '3d article of the Constitution, it is a was agreed to; whereupon the said mong other things provided, that jus-bill was read the third time and rass d.

tices of the Inferior court may be re- The Senate resolved itself into a moved by the Governor, on the address committee of the whole on the bill to of two thirds of each branch of the secure to George G. Gaines, his heirs Legislature, and sufficient reasons ha land assigns, the right of crecting a ferying been adduced, in the opinion of Se-ry on the Oconee river, on fraction No hate, for the removal from office of Lew 239—Mr Hudspeth in the chair—Mr is Lanier, William Black, James Oliver President resumed the chair, and Mr. and John Pollock, esqrs. justices of the Hudspeth reported progress and had

Excellency is therefore hereby on the 1. The Senate having dispensed with part of Senate requested to remove ac going into committee on the bill to melipordingly the said Lewis Lanier, Wil-lorate the Criminal Code, and conform the same to the Penitentiary System. Mr Newsom from the commit it was read the third time—Al. Fosterlenroducent, reported as duly en. offe ed the following resolution;

Resolved, That the further consi ling acts, viz: deration of said bill be postponed until. An act to authorise the judge of the first Monday of November next, Superior courts of the Western and that the said bill be printed and triet, to hold and extra session i published with the laws and resoluti county of Lincoln; ons passed the presnt session, for the An act for the election of the informago 1 of the cuizens, and on the or other person to whom the care question to agree to the same, it was records and other proceedings. determined in the affirmative and the courts of Ordinary are vested; yeas and hays being required, are yeas An act to divorce and separa 19-Nays 3.

Those in the affirmative, are Messrs Byne, Foster, Mardee, Hogan, Leigh, veral road laws in this state, so Little, M'Cormick, Newsom, Owens respects the counties of Bryan, Park, R. bun. Reid, Seru, g., Shep, and ty, MIntosh, Glynn and Came Stewart. Striding. Wans (of Wash lar as respects the county of Ca ington) Williams and Wood.

Those in the negative, are Messrs. T. Patterson and Sarah his wife Bur lett, Blair, Cook, Javis, Hu (speth. An act to after and change t Lawson, Powell and Watts (of Tel-of holding the Superior courts fair)

The bill to be entitled an act, to in lry to an act, to incorporate a co corporate the Greenwood Church of for the purpose of opening the Lincoln county was read the second chee river from the mouth of (time, and ordered for committee of the thee to the mouth of Rocky Ce whole.

The bill to be entitled an act, to all ion thereof; ter the mode of appointing Vendue Masters for the City of Savannah, &c. commissioners of the St Mary was read the 2d time—ordered for 3d ry to appoint other commissio reading.

The bill to be entitled an act, for the occasioned by removal of some, rene wal of a certain Bounty Warrant fusal of others to serve; therein mentioned, was read the sell. An act to secure to Sarah I cond time—ordered to lie on the table the exclusive right of erecting a

Mr Foster laid on the table a reso-lover the Ohoopie; lution to print and publish with the An act to regulate the town laws, the Criminal Code.

land signed by the Speaker, the fo

thaniel Hasper and Mary his wif

n act to alter and amend t | An act to divorce and separa'

county of Hancock; an act ame and for the improvement of the:

An act to authorise the hill up the vacancies which hav

frion in the county of Twiggs;

nty of Wilkes; rty to that of Tatnall; nefor the relief of Joseph Muse,

'h, William Munden, Samuel Li-demy of Clark county; nd Edward Pilcher, jr. defaulting

ract to alter and amend an act. effectually to punish the crime John Lyons; This Excellency the Governor Nathaniel Γwining: s revision.

Mr President;

e House of Representatives have court of the county of Glynn: rred in the resolution on the meof Adams and Duyckincb;

he resolution appointing Robert hoy, a justice of the Inferior court Jesse Busson. county of Montgomery;

he resolution appointing a com-bills from Senate. free of the Academy of the coun-* lontgomery;

of His Excellency the Gover ng required to bills passed to a rate a company for the improvement of the Constitution of this state; the navigation of Broad river:

A bill to compel Clerks, Sheriffs, &c. the Inferior courts of Pulaski to qualify:

irens to meet and appropriate for defraying the expense of ion law: ; their dividing line;

In act to alter the time of holding Montgomery of Jackson county; Ed-Superior and Inferior courts for the jound Hogan of Pulaski county, and Thomas Watts of Telfair county. comn act to add part of the county of missioners of the Academies of their respective counties;

In the resolution appointing Thomas Johns, Williams, Ammons James Vitchell a commissioner of the Aca-

In the resolution establishing Sturs for the Superior court of the ges' line, as the dividing line between y of Wayne, for October term the counties of Baldwin and Wilkinson;

In the resolution on the petition of

rse-stealing; which were several- In the resolution on the subject of ned by the President, and order the internal navigation of New York; at the committee do carry said In the resolution on the petition of

In the resolution appointing justices message from the House of Re-of the Inferior court of Wikes county:

ntatives by Mr Holt their clerk; In the resolution appearing Thomas Dover a justice of the Inferior

In the resolution in favor of Jame Rucker:

In the resolution on the petition of

And they have passed the following

A bill to be entitled an act, to make permanent the site of the public buildreresolution relative to the signings for the county of Wilkinson:

A bill to amend an act, to incorpo-

A bill to amend the Uconee naviga-

A bill to alter the time of electing e resolution appointing Hugh county officers in this state, with amendments-and

of certain persons therein named, with lienderson, Lawson, Leigh, Newson ame riments.

They have agreed to the amend Watts (of Telfair). Williams and Wood ment of the bill more effectually to pro-

pointing William Yarborough a Not a ybun and Stewart. Public for the county of Pulaski:

Tucker and John Chabb, Lumber Measurers for the City of Savanash !

am Young oil Am l Gross, commis written communication, and he with sine for the tend my of Scriven drew. and a resolution appointing commissiones to control for the erection of which being read, is as follows, to wit a ? Mentiner:

The same took up the message and concurred in the amendments made by the Ab ise of Representatives Gentlemen of the Sen ite, and to the bill to alter and change the names of certain persons therein nam-; ed, and concurred in the resolution appointed to value the State house therein ne stioned.

mittee of the whote on the bill to be on of that building, which togethe entitled an act to point out the mode for with copies of the evidence of their appropriate the copies of the evidence of the e collecting rent - Mr Newsom in the pointment, the oath taken by them, an char-Ir President resumed the hear letter to me on the subject of char and Newsom reported that they compensation, I now communicate f have gone through the bill with a the consideration of the Legislature. mend nents.

The Smue took up the ar endments which were agreed to-

Whereupon the said bill was reading on the table. the third time, and on the question shall this bill nov pass, it was deter mined in the affirmative—Yeas 15— Nays 12.

Those in the affirmative are Messr A bill to dier and change the names Blair, Byne, Davis, Foster, Hardee Owens, Reid, Scruggs, Watts (of W.

Those in the negative are Messrs. vide for the equipment of the Cavalry : Parnett, Brown, Cook, Hogan, Huds They have passed a resolution ap peth, Jones, Little, Park, Powell, Rall

A message from His Excellency th A resolution appointing Henry Governor by Mr Porter his Secretary Mr. President;

I am directed by His Eucellenc And a resolution appointing Willipine Governor to lay before Senate

The Senate took up the message

Executive Department, Georgia, Milledgeville, 12th Dec. 1811.

of the House of Representative I have received from the persor lunder a resolution of the 23th of No The Shate wolve is finto a con last, a report containing their valuat

D. B. MITCHELL.

Which being read, was ordered

Mr Powell from the committee onferrence on the amendments maby Senate to the bill giving furth tume to fortunate drawers of lar

o take out their grants, reported, that the Senate recede from their amend ments, and agree to the original bil is from the House of Representatives The Senate took up the report, and on the question to agree to the report Yeas 17-Nays 14.

Barnett, Blair, Brown, Cook. Crass ford, Foster, Henderson, Hogan, Huds peth, Jones, Leigh, Little, Newsom Williams.

Those in the negative, are Messrs Byne, Davis, Hardie, Jackson, Law son, M'Cormick, Owens, Park, Powell Rabun, Scruggs, Stewart, Watts of I and Wood.

. Mr Hudspeth from the joint com mittee to contract for the printing of 500 copes of the law entitled an act) to alter and amend the several Judicia ry acts now in force in this state, so far as respects the Justices courts, that duty by stipulating a contract wit. the Editor of the Georgia Jour al, a the price of 25 dollars, and recommen that the sum of 25 dollars be, and the same is hereby directed to be paid ou of the contingent fund; which bein, { read was agreed to.

The Senate again took up the reporof the committee on the petition of Jes se Santord, and the same being read ordered that the same do lie on the ta ble for the remainder of the session.

The Senate took up the resolution on post roads, and the same being read was concurred in.

Mr Newsom from the committee on petitions, reported, to wit:

The committee to whom was referred the petition of William Brown, oraying a loan of 1000 dellars to enable him to complete the establishment it was determined in the ami mative-of Cotton and Wool Cards Manufactory in Jones county, in this state, are of Those in the affirmative are Messrs opinion that the prayer of the petitioner is reasonable, and ought to be granted, and that the sum of 1000 dollars upon his giving bond with two securi-Reid, Strippling, Watts (of W.) and bes, to be approved of by his I xcellency the Governor, for the carrying the and establishment into off et, and also for returning of the money into the Treasury of this state within the term if four years from the time of the receiving the same; and they therefore recommend the following resolution;

Resolved, That His Extellency the overnor be, and he is hereby requestd to draw on the contagent fund for the sum of 1000 dollars in favor of William Brown, to enable him accar-🧱 Reported, That they have performed by into operation, a Codon and Wool Card Manufactory, upon his giving (bord with approved security, for the arrying the said establishment into effect, in the term of four years, and alo to return the said money into the Freadury of this state, at the expiratim of the term of to ir years next after resaid William Blown shall receive he same, which beling read, was orderd to lie on the table for the remainier of the session.

> The Senate concurred in the joint ommittee on the Cum nat Code, and coned Messrs Bornett, Dooly and Cark a committee of their part.

On motion of Mr. Wood,

David Clark and Joseph White be, recede and concur with the Senate in and they are hereby appointed com | e remaining part of said amendments, missioners of the town of Louisville we ich being read, was agreed to. in place of John Powell resigned, John Shelman removed, and Chesley Bost Jicurnal of yesterday, postponing the wick, dec'd.

be, and he is hereby appointed a com the same be disagreed to, and that the missioner of the Jefferson county Aca said bill be read the third time; on the demy, in the room of Walter Robinson, question to agree, it was determined in dec'd, and that Doct'r B. D. Thomp the affirmative—Yeas 16—Nays 16. son be appointed a commissioner of the same, in the room of Abner Hammond, are Messrs Barnett, Blair, Brown, Cook,

o'clock.

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FRIDAY, 1.10 Decembe, 1811. On motion of Mr Isarnett,

The Journal of yesterday was reconsidered on the bill to ameliorate the Criminal Code and conform the same to the Penitentiary System.

nal do lie on the table

Mr Jackson from the committee of mendments. conference, to whom was referred the subject matter of disagreement between the Senate and the House of Aaron Smith, Paul Bevill, jr. and John Representatives, on the amendments Brack be, and they are hereby appointproposed by Senate to the bill to reguled Justices of the Inferior court for late the granting of Certioraries and the county of Scriven, in room of Lew-Injunctions, report, that the Senate re is Lanier, William Black, James Olicode and concur with the House of ver and John Pollock, esqrs. removed Representatives, so far as to the words from office. Bills of religf, in both sections of the amendments proposed to said bill by Se | Resolved, That Alexander Greene

or Bills of Relief" be stricken out Resol ed, That Ambrose Wright, and that the House of Representatives

Mr Birnett called up that part of the further consideration of the bill to a. Resolved, That Josiah M. Sterrett|meliorate the Criminal Code, and that

Those who voted in the affirmative, Hooly, Henderson, Hogan, Hudspeth, A liquined fill to morrow morning blackson, Jones, Lawson. Owens, Park, Powell, \forall atis (of W), & \forall atts (of T.)

> Those who voted in the negative, are Messrs. Crawford, Davis, Foster, Hardie, Leigh, Little, M'Cormick, Newsom, Kabun, Reid, Scruggs, Sheppard, Stewart Strippling, Williams & Wood.

The Yeas and Nays being equal, the President determined in the affir-Ordered, That that part of the jour mative; whereupon the said bill was and the third time and passed with a-

On motion of Mr Blair,

Resolved, That Thomas F. Lovet,

On motion of Mr Owens,

nate, and recommend that the words, be, and he is hereby appointed a Ven-

the Master for the town of Milledgeville. reported, which was amended and agreed

The Senate resolved itself into a com to, and is as follows; mittee of the whole on the bill to be entifled an act, for the renewal of a certain mine the Journals of Senate for the pre-Bounty Warrant therein named; Mr. Craw-sent session, report, that they have examimendment

same was disagreed to.

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wood Church in the county of Lincoln—duty assigned them. Mr Davis in the chair—Mr President resumed the chair, and Mr Davis reported vernor by Mr Porter his Secretary; that they had gone through the same with an amendment.

which was agreed to.

third time, and on the question, shall this stance of which are is follows, viz: bill now pass, it was determined in the af firmative—Yeas 16—Nays 14.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are county; Messrs. Byne, Davis, Dooley, Foster, Hudspeth, Leigh, Little, M'Cormick, Park, tary Public for the county of Warren; Rabun, Reid, Scruggs, Shepherd, Stewart, Strippling and Wood.

nett, Blair, Brown, Cook, Crawford, Jack | resigned; liams.

The bill to be entitled an act, to alter the method of taking the bonds of, and qualify

Mr Hudspeth from the committee ap |ed; pointed to examine the Journal of Senate One appointing John Turner, esq. a jus-

The committee appointed to exaford in the chair; Mr President resumed ned the same up to Tuesday the tenth the chair, and Mr Crawford reported no a linst and find them accurately engrossed, and recommend that Messrs Jackson, Craw-The Senate took up the report, and the ford and Owens be a committee to bring up the same, and to join such committee as Ordered, That the bill do lie on the ta-may be appointed by the House of Representatives to see the Great Seal affixed to The Senate resolved itself into a com-the several laws and concurred resolutions mittee of the whole on the bill to be enti passed during the present session, and that tled an act, for the incorporating the Green | they be allowed three days to perform the

A message from His Excellency the Go-

Mr President;

I am directed by His Excellency Gover-The Senate took up the amendment, nor Mitchell to inform the Senate that he has approved of and signed sundry resolu-Whereupon the said bill was read the tions which originated in Senate, the sub-

> One appointing Joel Crawford, esq. commissioner of the Academy of Baldwin

> One appointing John Lewis, esq. a No-

One appointing Josiah Jones, esq. commissioner of the town of Statesboro' in the Those in the negative are, Messrs Bar county of Bullock vice Francis Kennedy,

son, Jones, Lawson, Newsom, Owens, One appointing Clement Lanier, esq. Powell, Watts of W. Watts of T. and Wil commissioner of the Pulaski county Academy, vice William A Harper, dec'd;

One appointing John Faulk, esq. a jusmode of appointing Vendue Masters for tice of the Inferior court for the county of the City of savannah, and to prescribe the Twiggs, vice Arthur Fort, esqr. resigned;

One appointing Archer Avery, esq. a ing the Vendue Masters throughout this Justice of the Inferior court of the county state was read the third time and passed of Columbia, vice Thaddeus Beall resign-

tice of the Inferior court of Hancock council is heirs and assigns, and the heirs and rety, vice Richard A. Blown, esq. resigned, resentatives of George Cluff, dec'd, to

ming enq a Notary Public for the countrible Apalacace river; of Chatham;

tice of the inferior court of Libert county of the public buildings in the county of vice William Burnett resigned;

One authorising the Treasurer to break in jury list; open all and every bundle or packet in his. An act to repeal an act, entitled an act, office, which contain State Troop Bounty to authorise Henry Joice to erect a Ferry Warrants, for the inspection of any of the across the Oconce river, at or near his land. citizens of this state;

One requesting his Exceller ev the Go vernor to transmit to the President of the public buildings in the town of Dublin, United States, to each of our Senators, and county of Lawenz; Representatives in Congress, and to each. An act to make permanent the site of the of the Governors of the several states, a public buildings in the county of Telfair; resolution declaring the as cut of the Le- An act to alter the time of holding the gislature of this state, to the amendment Inferior court in the county of Pulaski; proposed to the Constitution of the United. An act to authorise the Justices of the States;

cellency the tovernor to cause 500 shares ble them to complete the court house of to be subscribed for in the Augusta Bank the above named county;

vernor to employ some fit and proper per Baldwin county to levy an extra tax—and son as an attorney in behalf of the state to defend a suit commenced in the Federal court, against John H. Lass.

And I am likewise carecard by him to re harives by Mr Holt their clerk; turn to this branch of the Lagislature, sun dry acts, which he has assented to any signed, the titles of which are as follows, telegrabilities the relief of Ann Houston: Wil:

rior and clerk of the Interior courts of the the Republic, relative to the communicaticounty of Wilkinson to keep their offices at on of his Excellency, enclosing the Presithe court house, or we aim one mile thereof; dent's Message: and

An act to amend an act, entitled an act, to make permanent the site of the public confirming the Executive appointment of bioldings in the town of Hartford in the Abraham Twiggs a justice of the Inferior county of Palaski;

One appointing Viegal Learnas Hy-prect a toll-bridge at or near the mouth of

An act to amend the several acts and One appointing James Panks, esq. a pre-quanting Commussioners to fix on the sac-Ni ayre, and to regulate the grand and ne-

mg;

An act to make permanent the site of the

Inferior court of the county of Randolph to One authorising and requesting his Ex levy a rextra tax for the year 1812, to ena-

One requesting His Excellency the Go- An act to authorise the Inferior court of

An act for the relief of Bozeman Adare, State Troop soldier

A message from the House of Represen-

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have pas-

They have unanimously concurred in An act to compel the clerk of the Supe-the report of the committee on the State of

> They have concurred in the resolution court of Richmond county:

An act to authbrise Col. Pascal Harrison, They have passed a resolution appoint-

ig a justice of the Inserior court of Juck ! mcounty:

One appointing a Motary Public for the ounty of Chath on:

They have concurred in the resolution January 1785. elative to the removal of the justices of the interior court of section county;

And passed one, requesting the Preasurer ters in the town of Milledgeville. o deliver over the bonds and morigages of he purchasers of tractions of the first sales of Benjamin Scott, a soldier. the Solicitor General for the purpose of nstituting suits, and

made by Senate to the following buts, viz A bill authorising Joseph Cooper to ereca toll bridge across the Oconee river:

to take security:

· A bul to establish a tribunal for the trial of slaves:

in repair the public roads, causeways and bridges in this state—and a bill to appropriate money for the political year 13.2.

They have passed the following bills from Senate without any amendment, viz:

. A bill to be entitled an act, supplementhe mode of rendering void all grants or o his state, and to repeal an act, passed at the o'clock. General Assembly on that subject, on the Mr Newsom from the committee on en-.12d of December 1808.

in of the public debt, &c.

A bill to be entitled an act to alter and ate Inferior court of Hancock county to to the state; new jail, and for other county purposes for keeping open Little river and Broad ri-

A hill to be entitled an act, to revise and amend an act, entitled an act, for the more full and complete establishment of a public seat of learning in this state, passed 27th

A bill to be entitled an act, to amend the several acts for regulating Vendue Mas-

A bill to be entitled an act, for the relie?

A bill to be entitled an act, to legalize and make valid two manuscript books of They have agreed to the amendments the old records of the Executive Depart-

A bill to be entitled an act, to alter and amend the third section of an act, to amend A bill to compel Sheriffs, Coroners, &c. an act, to incorporate the Planters' Bank, ХC

A bill to amend the several road acts, &c. A bill to authorise the Inferior court of Abill more effectively to open and keep Warren county to transcribe the records,

> A bill to regulate the appointment of Jailors, &c.

> A bill to amend an act, to incorporate the town of Warrenton, &c.

The Senate took up the message, and fary to an act, entitled an act, to point out concurred in the sail several resolutions.

The Honorable William Barnett, and her proceedings founded on false or frau the Honorable Allen B. Powell had leave ment returns, made by persons not enti- to be absent from Senate for the balance of led to draws in the late land lotteries in the session, after to-morrow morning ten

rollment, reported as duly enrolled and A bill to amend an act for the redempti signed by the Speaker, the following acts, to wit:

An act to afford temporary relief to the mend the 23d section of the Judiciary law purchasers of fractional surveys, and to this state, passed 16th February, 1799 prevent the said fractions from being sold A bill to be entitled an act, to authorise for the tax thereof, until they are paid for

vy an extra tax, to enable them to build An act to repeal an act, entitled an act,

ver, passed 22d February 1796, so far asithe books of record in either of the said of respects Little river, and all other acts pas lices, nor is there any check on the reco ds sed for the prevention of erecting mills on of said offices, so that should any book or said river:

Judiciary act of 1799;

An act supplementary to an act, to lay lost or mislaid; therefore, out a new county out of the counties of Elbert, Franklin, Jackson, Oglethorpe and of Representatives of the State of Georgia Clarke;

counties of Tattnal and Montgomery;

section of an act, for clearing out Ogechee troller General, to make out and lay before river and Briar creek, passed the 23d Fe the next General Assembly, a true and corbruary 1796—and

Judiciary acts now in force in this state, solsignating in said schedule, the different far as relates to justices courts—which books, and what each contains, and the were presented to and signed by the Pre-dates of such book; which being read, was sident.

Ordered, That the committee of enrollment do carry said acts to the Secretary of vernor by Mr Porter his Secretary; State's Office, and see the Great Seal affixed to the respective acts aforesaid.

clock.

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SATURDAY, 14th December, 1811.

had leave of absence after twelve o'clock from being sold for the tax thereof, until for the remainder of the session.

The Senate took up the resolution from drew. the House of Representatives, laid on the table yesterday, relative to the collection of ment do carry the bill to the office of Semoney due for fractional surveys, &c | cretary of State, and see the Great Seal at which was read and concurred in with a fixed to the same. mendments.

Mr Foster called up the following reso |sentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; lution;

Whereas, there is no law or resolution! compelling the Secretary of State, Treasu-curred in the resolution of the Senate rela rer, Surveyor General or Comptroller Ge-tive to the report of the commissioners to

books be lost or mislaid, it would be d.fi. An act to amend the 31st section of the cult to ascertain with certainty who was he officer at the time any such book should be

Be it resolved by the Senate and House in General Assembly met, and by the au-An act to establish the line between the thority of the same, that it shall be the duty of the aforesaid Secretary of State, An act to revise and amend the third|Treasurer, Surveyor General and Comp. rect list or schedule of all the books of re-An act to alter and amend the several cord in each of their respective offices, deagreed to.

> A message from His Excellency the Go-Mr. President;

I am directed by His Excellency the Adjourned 'till to-morrow morning & o' | Governor to inform the Senate that he has assented to & signed a bill which has been presented to him, entitled an act, to afford temporary relief to purchasers of fractional On motion—Mr. Hardie & Mr. Scruggs|surveys, and to prevent the said fractions they are paid for to the state—and he with-

Ordered, That the committee of enroll-

A message from the House of Repre-

Mr President ;

The House of Representatives have con peral to make out a list or schedule of all value the State-House with an amendmen -and he withdrew.

foliation as amended, is as follows:

On the communication of His Excellenby the Governor, enclosing an estimate of Cook be that committee. he valuation of the State house, agreeable o a joint resolution of both branches of the sentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; Legislature being taken into consideration, It is hereby resolved by the Senate and The House of Representatives have pasgen, Robertson, Allen and Jordan be, and value the State-house: And be it further resolved, That His a Penliendary Edifice, to fix on the site, &c. mas and Scott, the amount overpaid to them provision for the poor-and for said work.

A message from the House of Repre chael his wife. sentatives by Mr Holt their clerk;

Mr President;

5 The House of Representatives disagree to the amendments made by Senate re-hown of Milledgeville: questing His Excellency the Governor to Tause the bonds and mortgages of fraction-hourt of Seriven county r al purchasers to be put in sunt—and hel. One appointing commissioners of the withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, and

tatives by Mr Holt their clerk;

Mr President;

concurred in the resolution appointing com signed by the Spraker, the following nets; missioners of the town of Louisville.

On motion of Mr Park,

Resolved, That a committee be appoint |seat of learning, &c.

may be appointed by the House of Repre-The Senate took up the message, and sentatives to wait on his Excellency the he amendment was agreed to, and the re-Governor, and inform him that the General Assembly are ready to adjourn sine die.

Ordered, That Messrs Park, Wood and

A messa; e from the House of Repre-

Mr President;

House of Representatives, that the valua-sed a resolution allowing an additional fion reported by Messrs. Crawford, Mor-compensation to the persons appointed to

the same is hereby acceded to by this Le- And a resolution requesting his Freelgislature, so far as respects the bill submit-lency the Covernor, and the commissionted, amounting to 74,976 dollars 40 1.4 cts. lers appointed to contract for the crection of

Excellency the Governor take suitable mead. They have passed the bill to protect the sures to recover back from Messrs Tho-estates of Orphans, and to make permanent

Abill to divorce John Powell and Ra-

They have concurred in the following resolutions from Senate;

One appointing a Vendue Master for the

One appointing Justices of the Inferior

Academy of Jefferson county:

And they have agreed to the report of ordered that the same do lie on the table. The joint committee for printing 500 copies A message from the House of Represent of the law to amend the Judiciary acts, so far as relates to Justices courts.

Mr Newsom from the committee of en-The House of Representatives have rollment, reported as duly carelled and

An act to amend an act, for the more Ifull and complete establishment of a public

In the part of Senate, to join such as An act to at propriate money for the po-

Malealycar 1012;

An action the reliciof Ann Houston;

company for the improvement of the navi void all grants or other proceedings ou de gation of the Oconee river;

An act to compel Coroners, Sheriffs, &c. to take securities on certain occasions, Se fland lotteries in this state, and to repeal an

the organization and equipment of the Ca that subject, passed 22d December, 1008; valry;

public buildings in Wilkinson county;

and Inferior courts, Sheriffs, &c. to take der execution, passed the 22d Dec. 1808. the oath and give the security required by

An act to change the names of certain persons therein named;

An act to alter the time of holding the e-Keener; lection of county officers, &c.

Flour;

An act to alter and amend the 23d sec tion of the Judiciary law of this state, passed 16th February, 1799;

An act to alter the mode of appointing Executive Department; Vendue Masters for the City of Savannah, & to rescribe the method of taking bond [several road acts, regulating roads in this! of, and qualifying the Vengue Masters throughout this state;

An act to alter and amend the 12th sec tion of an act, entitled an act to protect the ar as respects the county of Glynn; estates of Orphans and make permanent provision for the poor;

ing rents;

An act to prevent persons from setting fire to the woods at improper seasons of an act, to incorporate the town of Warrenthe year;

of an act, to amend an act, entitled an act, lof;

o nearporate the Planters' Bank;

An act supplementary to an act, entitled An act to amend an act, to incorporate a refact, to point out the mode of realeing ed on false or fraudulent returns mid by persons not entitled to draws in the late An act more effectually to provide for jet, passed at the last General Assembly on

An act to regulate the appointment of An act to make permanent the site of the jailors, and to alter and explain the first section of an act, entitled an act, prin to Anact to compel clerks of the Superior out the duty of Sheriffs in selling lands un.

> An act for the reliet of Benjamin , t a soldier in the late State ${f Troops}$;

> An act to divorce & separate John Powell and Rachael his wife, formerly Rachael

An act to amend the several acts, for re-An act to establish the Inspection of gulating Vendue Masters, so far as to authorise a Vendue Master in the town of | Milledgeville;

> An act to legalize and make valid two manuscript books of the old Records of the

An act to explain an act, to amend the tate, so far as respects the operation of said acts in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, A'Intosh, Glynn, Camden and Wayne, so

An act to authorise the Inferior court of Hancock county to levy an extra tax, to An act to point out the mode of collect-enable them to build a new jail and for other county purposes;

An act to alter and amend an act, entitled ton, in the county of Warren, and to vest An act to alter and amend the 8d section certain powers in the commissioners thereWarren county to transcribe the records of rect a toll bridge across the Ocenee river, that county into bound books, and confirm at or near his mills, on his own land. the same in courts of record;

An act regulating the granting of Certi-the Treasury for the same. coraries and Injunctions;

An act to incorporate the Greenwood Church of Lincoln county;

bridges in this state:

An act to establish a tribunal for the tri-the duties of his station. al of slaves within this state:

An act to meliorate the Criminal Code, DIE. and conform the same to the Penitentiary System:

An act to authorise the Inferior court of An act to authorise Joseph Cooper to e-

Mr Foster from the committee to exa-- An act to continue in force an act, pas-mine the accounts of the members of Sesed the 22d day of December 1808, giving nate, reported that they had examined further time to the fortunate drawers in the each item, and found them correct, wherelate land lotteries to take out their grants; upon the President signed a warrant on

On motion of Mr Stewart,

Resolved unanimously, That the thanks of the Senate be, and they are here-An act more effectually to open and keep by presented to the Honorable Mathew in repair the public roads, causeways and Falbot, President thereof, for the able, prompt, decisive and impartial discharge of

Whereupon the Senate adjourned SINE

WILL: ROBERTSON, Secretary.

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State of Georgia.

AT an annual Session of the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, begun and held at the State-House in the town of Milledgeville, on the first Monday, being the second day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twelve, and in the thirty-seventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

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JANUARY—1813.

John Latcher. I' Wainson, Benj. M. Griffin. Laffin, Robert II. Watkins. 1 Bert, William Dyne. Lurke, John Parks, $Lincoln_{\mathfrak{p}}$ Elijah Owens. haldwin, Elisha Hurt. Warren, Allen Daniel. A "edison, John M'Intosh. All Intosh.

morning.

TUESDAY, 3d November, 1812.

Mr Wood in the chair.

Resse Millinney Pope appeared, produ-William Rabun their President, and red his credentials, and having taken William Robertson their Secretary, and the oath to support the Constitution of are ready to proceed to business. this state and that of the United States, On motion—Ordered, that Messrs.

reministered to him by Francis Jeter Owens, Proctor and Stevens be a comit q. took his seat.

of their President, and on counting out House of Representatives, to wait on the votes it appeared, that the Hon. His Excellency the Governor, and in-Wm. Rabun was duly elected. Where form him that the Legislature are orupon, Resolved that Messrs Stevens|ganized and ready to proceed to busiand B_i ne be a committee to inform himness. of his appointment, who conducted him to the Chair.

They then proceeded to the choice of their Secretary, and on counting out the votes it appeared that William Ro-concurred in the resolution appointing hertson was duly elected.

ment of Messenger and Door-Keeper, the Legislature are convened and or and on counting out the votes it ap-ganized, and have appointed Mess.s. D peared that Henry Williams was duly to Jones, Terrell, Wellborn, Childers elected Messenger and Alex'r Greene and Clayton a committee on their part ጔ}oor-Keeper

On motion of Mr Byne,

1-d by the rules of the last session unti iltered.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr Holt their clerk; Mr President;

I am directed to inform the Senate, that the House of Representatives are organized, having chosen the Honora; ble Benjamin Whitaker, Speaker, and Adjourned till 10 o'clock tomorrow Hines Holt, Esq. their Clerk, and are ready to proceed to business, and he withdrew.

On motion—Resolved, that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives that the Senate have organized, From the county of Jones the Hon having made choice of the honorable

mittee on the part of Senate, to join such The Senage proceeded to the choice committee as may be appointed by the

> A message from the House of Representatives by Mr Holt their clerk;

Mr Presi lent;

The House of Representatives have joint committee to wait on His Excel They then proceeded to the appointmency the Governor, to inform him that and he withdrew.

On motion of Mr. Lane, Resolved, that the Senate be govern- Resolved, That a committee be ap

pointed to join such committee as may! Ordered, that Messrs Scruggs, be appointed by the House of Repre | Montgomery and Wood be that comsentatives, to contract for the printing antice. of the Laws & Journals of the present session of the Legislature;

Whereupon,

Ordered that Messrs. Lane, Owen a special committee. and Leigh be that committee.

the informed the Senate, that they had Mr. Hurt notified the Senate, that waited on His Excellency the Gover he will on tomorrow move for a comnor and informed him, that the Legis-mittee to prepare and report a bill to be lature are in session, and the Gover-lentitled an act to authorise His Excelnor notified them, that he would for-liency the Governor to contract with ward his Communication between 12 proper persons to make a number of and one o'clock on this day.

On motion of Mr Lanier;

Resolved, That a committee be ap the republic.

win be that committee.

On motion of Mr Hudspeth,

Resolved that a committee be appose a joint committee of Finance.

Whereupon; Ordered, that Messrs Hudspeth, Proctor, Talbot, Pray and Nesbit be that committee.

On motion of Mr. Cook.

vileg s and blee ions be appointed. & withdrew. that the election returns from the different counties be laid before them.

Whereupon γ

Ordered, that Messrs Cook, Bynel and Montgomery be that committee.

On motion of Mr Saraggs,

Resolved, unit a committee on Peti tions be appointed.

Mr Pray presented a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Bulloch county, which was read and referred to

Ordered, that Messrs Pray, Wood, Mr. Owen from the joint commit-Byne and Scruggs be that committee.

rifle guns for the use of the militia of this state.

Mr Pray notified the Senate, that he pointed on the part of Senate, to com-will tomorrow move for the appointpose a joint committee on the state of ment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to be entitled an act, to amend Whereupon, Ordered, that Messrs and consolidate the several militia laws Lanier, Daniel, Stevens, Lane, and Ir of this state, and to adapt the same agreeably to the laws of the militia of the United States.

A message from His Excellency the pointed on the part of Senate to com-Governor was received by Mr. Porter His Secretary.

Mr President;

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor to lay before the Senate His Excellency's Communication, with the Resolved, that a committee on Pri Documents herewith delivered, and he

> The Senate took up the Communication; and the same being read is as follows;

Executive Department, Georgia, ? Milledgeville, 3d Nov'r 1812. 5 Fdtow Cwzns lpha the Senate and of the House of Representatives.

AFTER a forbearance to which there

for the maintenance of their indubitable or? It assuredly would. address, which you have all seen and for which we contend. derived their principal resources, and even of British coursers.

is scarcely a parallel to be found in the leishonor. And permit me to isk, if a history of any independent nation, trel tibmission to the black catalogue of United States have at length been com British aggression, would not be a pelled, in vindication of their honor, & ubmission to degradation and dishorights, to declare war against Great Bri-liberefore maintain the character we tain. A detail of the causes which pro-have acquired, and unite heart and duced this act of our government is, I hand in support of the government, & presume neither expected nor desired the contest in which our country from me at this time; they have been is now engaged; it is a contest sanctioncommunicated to congress by the Con-led by justice, and prompted by necesstitutional Organ, the President of the sity, and under the guidance of Divine United States, in a lucid and dignified Providence we shall obtain the objects

no doubt possess. The insolent and When we contemplate the present arbitrary domination assumed by the situation of this state, our attention is British, to control by her naval power irresistibly directed to our extensive the rights of this country, and the frontier Our sea coast, from the river measures adopted by our government, Savannah to that of St Mary's incluwith a view of bringing the corrupt and sive, is indented by numerous inlets, corrupting ministry of Great Britain to affording sufficient depth of water for a sense of justice, have been felt by armed ships of considerable force. To Georgia with as much severity as any oppose the entrance of which, there other state in the Union | Her planters are few works of defence, the populatihad long been in the habit of raising ar-lon thin, and a vast property to invite ticles for exportation, from which they the attention and satisfy the cupidity

depended upon importations from a. From the mouth of the St. Mary's to broad for their annual supplies; hence the termination of our line on the Tuthey felt with peculiar effect the want galo river, we have an extent of frontier of that intercourse, from which they for between three and four hundred derived their greatest advantage; yet, miles, the territory immediately beyond no selfish views ever operated upon which, is occupied by numerous tribes their minds, or impaired their confi of restless and warlike savages of dence in the government, or the wis doubtful faith, some of whom we may dom of their measures. On the con placeady consider our enemies, (the Setrary, they have under every difficulty minolies; and the rest, although at this and privation myintained a firm, republished professing a desire to remain at lican & constitutional character, which peace, may soon, and unexpectedly be I am confident they will still maintain induced, by the arts and intrigues of No di ficulties or privations will ever in old friends, and the still more powerduce them to submit to degradation & ful influence of large presents, to become hostile to us. With due prepa find the prospect of procuring them so ration, however, the state is capable o. defending herself against any hostile at tempt of British cruisers or Indian ene mies. Western parts are numerous, hardy & uperior to those imported for common brave; and are not only capable of de-luse, and at a much cheaper rate fending themselves against the Indians, manufacture of them will commence but would march at a moment's warn immediately in this place, and will proing to the assistance of their fellow citi duce about five dozen every week. I zens on the seaboard in case of need, shall use my utmost efforts to have who, although equally brave, are less the pistols made in the state also. These numerous and consequently less able are objects which in our present situato defend their extensive and vulnera tion claim the fostering care of the Leble coast; but to do this, the citizens|gislature. must have arms, and they must be In the course of last summer the Setaught the use of them, as well as the cretary at war of the United States, by duties of the camp.

me to press upon your attention a tho-Congress, to detach from her militia rough revision of our militia laws, and three thousand five hundred, which has of making provision for the purchase of been done accordingly. These men arms and ammunition, &c. In the de-thus detached, are liable to be called fence of our seacoast, it will not escape into actual service whenever the Presiyour attention, that artillery are of vast dent shall so direct, and ten companies importance, and yet there is not a sin of them have been called for, and are gle Company out of the City of Savan-now in the field, where they are liable nah in the whole of the first Brigade. to be detained for six months. It is This is no doubt owing to the great ex-possible, nay very probable, that many pence attending the equipment & sup | f those men now on duty have left faport of such corps, which but a few are milies or relatives at home, whose prinable to sustain. Permit me to recom propal dependence for support was upon mend to your consideration the propri ety of making some provision for the may be at the mercy of a creditor for an encouragement of this description of a considerable debt. Some legislative troops.

Swords and Pistols within the state, my attention has been directed to other states for a supply of those articles, acontemplated by the act of the last seed ent or infirm family or relative of the sion, for the use of the Cavalry; but Asoldier, and his attle property may be

emote and uncertain, that I shall atmpt to have the swords made at home. and I am flattered with the hope of hav-Our citizens of the Middle and ing this done in a style of workmanship

order of the President, called upon this These considerations have induced state, under the authority of an act of heir labour, or whose little property provision, in such cases would, in my Knowing of no manufactory of position, be both reasonable and just, & hay be done without impairing the just ights of others. By a prudent liberalay on the part of the state, the indirelieved and preserved, whilst he in re-the Agent in the transactions in Floriher defence.

determined upon the immediate occu transaction pancy of the whole province. The It required but a few days to dispatch progress of this revolution became ex-such public business as was then in tremely interesting to Georgia, and I the Executive Office, and to prepare am indebted to the vigilance and at-levery thing necessary to admit of my tention of Brigadier General Floyd for absence. This being accomplished, I the first and a regular continuance of proceeded without delay to St. Mary's. information upon the subject, from as the most convenient spot where I which I soon began to suspect, that the could by mail have a free communicacourse pursued would not only fail of tion with any part of the Union, and success, but that our frontier in that with the Governor of East Florida, and quarter might soon be involved it had Smith, the Commander of the A. much difficulty and distress. Unde Inerican troops, at the same time. these impressions, and conceiving that my arrival at that place, I found the if the General Government had deter progress of the revolution stopped bemined upon the occupancy of the pro lore St. Augustine; the Patriots being vince they would have communicat than ble alone to attack that formidable the fact to the government of Georgia. post, and the American troops not perand placed the state on her guard a mitted to act on the offensive. In a gainst a failure of the enterprise, since short time I ent to Augustine, in comdiate sufferer. I wrote a letter to the Se-Ic ived, a. d. correspondence between cretary at War, stating my apprehensi-the person then acting as Governor and likely to result to Georgia from the soon terminated, in consequence of the manner in which the proceedings in paniard preferring the application of Florida were conducted; and request force to remove the American troops, ed that the contents of my letter might which he actually tried, on the 16th of be communicated to the President. Be May, to the more tedious operation of fore that letter had reached its destina-having it done by negociation in a peacetion, I received one from the Secretarylable manner of state, by order of the President in ver. did not succeed, and the troops

turn, is, in all probability spilling, or da were unauthorized, and calling upon at any time ready to spill his blood infine as Governor of the State to act for the Ceneral Covernment, inasmuch as In March last a revolution common the interests of Georgia were implicaced in East Florida, and from the partited, as well as those of the U. States, & taken by the Commissioner of the Unidalso containing instructions as to the ted States, and the movement of their course which it was expected I would troops. I flattered myself mat they had pursue in so delicate and important a

in that event she would be the imme-pl ance with the instructions I had reons of the evil consequences that were myself commenced; which, however, The experiment, howewhich he declares the proceedings of kept their ground. The letters of the

27th of May last, will explain the m son why the troops were not withdrawn they are reasons to finded on the sound est principles of policy, as well as principles tice and humanity, and they apply our present situation and the present situation of East Florida with dom. The confidence with waich force. anticipated the declaration of war against Great Britain led me with equal confi dence to anticipate an enlargement of the powers of the President by Cor gress as a necessary consequence, hav ing for object the entire occupancy of the Provinces of East and West Flo rida. That this should have been to course pursued, I was extremely solice tous, knowing as I did and still do, tha the interests of Georgia would be effectually promoted by that event, and the views and wishes of the General Go vernment at the same time accomplish however, in their wisdom, had different mother person. The Spanish officers views of the subject, and the matter was in Augustine, St. Marks and Pensacola, permitted to remain as before the war la e usi g every effort to stimulate the It is nevertheless, my sincere and can-Creek Indians to commence nostilities did opinion that the peace and safety of against us. As yet, those within the this state will be hazarded if the occu |United States' line, as I have before obpancy of East Florida by our govern served, profess peace and friendship: ment is relinquished or much longer de but those of the Seminolies, whose towns tine is of a description which we can putrages as leave no doubt of their innot tolerate, and the mode of warfare ention, and ought to satisfy us that no which the governor of that place has time is to be lost in applying that chascommenced, so savage and barbarous, usement which their crimes deserve. that it is impossible for an American to In August last some parties of them hear of it without feeling the utmost in made their appearance upon the fronpower that commands or even permits scalped a young man about seventeen 4. I recommend this subject in an es-lyears of age, a son of Mr. Thomas Wil-

Secretary of State to me of the 2d and pecial manner to your most serious cona eracion, as involving not only your m ne bate interest, but your future sease and happiness. It is with real deasure that I assure you of my entire passidence in the disposition of the Preattent to proceed in the business with the utmost decision if he is authorised by Congress.

Copies of such documents as are calcalated to give you a clear view of the subject, and enable you to form correct onclusions, will accompany this comterrication; and should any additional aformation be desired during the seson, if in the power of the Executive, it silf be furnished with pleasure. I have seen the more particular upon this head because, I feel its importance; and because too, the agency which I have had it has been grossly misrepresented, and conduct and motives attributed to ne as malicious as they are unfounded. The Senate of the United States, I that agency will now be committed to The present force in Augus |are in Florida, have been guilty of such dignation and resentment against the liers of Camden county, and killed and der, who resided near Trader's Hill of the St. Mary's river, and at the samtime shot another lad, and wounded his very severely, but who had the good fortune to make his escape. As soon as I received information of these facts and numerous others of less atroci y. sent an order to Brig. General Floyd to cause a Block House to be erected a Trader's Hil, and to put a small gar rison in it for the protection of that part of the frontier, and if the Indians should agrain make their appearance in a hosule manner, to collect a force & pursue & pu nish them. I also wrote a letter to Col Hawkins, demanding that the murder ers should be apprehended and deliver ed up to the civil authority of Camde. county, there to take their trial. Col Hawkins's answer, with subsequent in-has failed of success for the present, alformation which I have received fully ho' hopes are expressed by the agent convinces me that we have no satisfied hat our desire as to the cession will yet tion to expect from those Indians, and be acceded to by the Indians—and it is that consequently we ought to look ilso stated that the application for the to our own safety. With this view[delivery of Buffington and Daniel has I have given orders to have a stock of been submitted to the President of the provender and provisions contracted for United States for his decision, the natiand deposited at Traders' Hill for 500 on having refused to deliver them up. claims the immediate attention of the submitted. tion, accompany this communication.

gislature, I appointed Hugh Montgo to the accomplishment of that object.—

nery of Jackson county & James Blair, (Franklin county, r.sqrs. Commissionis on the part of this state, to carry inn effect a concurred and approved resolution of the 50th of November last. vhich contemplated an united applicatiin by Georgia and the Cherokee Indiins to the President of the United States for a cession of land lying between the Chatahouchee river and the frontiers of lackson and Franklin counties. At the same time I instructed them to demand of the agent of the United States to that cation, the delivery of I llis Buffington and Rebert Daniel, two Cherokees of mized blood who are charged with havng murdered one Jacob Whitworth amut two years ago in Jackson county. The mission of these commissioners Cavairy, and intended as soon as those These two subjects must, therefore, resupplies were produced, to order shadmain for future attention. Copies of number to take the field. This subject one papers relating to this subject are

Legislature. Copies of all papers in The session of the Legislature bethe Executive Office relating thereto fore the last. Andrew Ellicott, esq. of from which you can derive any infor Lancaster, Pennsylvania, was by a conmation, as well as those relating to the curred & approved resolution, appointdeceased Mr Meredith and Mr Arthur die ascertain the 35th paraticl of North Lott who were murdered while peace [Latitude, as the boundary between this abiy travelling through the Creek Ni Istate and North Carolina: He was acle ordingly sent for, and early in Septem. Soon after the rising of the last L. per following left Augusta with a view A report was expected from Mr Elli- to justify a contract with workmen, furcott in time to be laid before the last ther appropriations will be required. Legislature, but it did not reach the Ex- The building at Louisville formerly ecuave Office until the 16th of March occupied as a State House is in such & last, when Mr. Ellicott called there and state of decay, that if not repaired soon deposited one accompanied by a chart, there will be nothing left but the naked By this report it appears that no part of walls. It is at present occupied as an the territory heretofore claimed by this arsenal, but the saving thereby to the state as Walton county remains to Geor-state is very inconsiderable; and by a ness has been considerable, and as Mr. some other disposition made of the Ellicot has charged considerably more building, a considerable sum might be in his accounts than I have drawn for aved annually to the Treasury. or allowed, copies of them and the cor | I he state of our finances has enarespondence between that gentleman bled us to pay, in the course of the last and myself are submitted for your con-political year, to the Bank of Augusta sideration without a comment.

five dollars per thousand Lime which pire on the 1st of January next. importance first to procure a sufficien | nade to meet this object stock of materials, and the present period appears to be a very favorable one on the Treasury during the last politifor that purpose of the object you will readily perceive, iew of the amount of each sum drawn that to enable the Commissioners to pro for, the object f r which it was drawn,

The expense attending this busi-removal of the arms to this place and

seventy per cent. of the amount of our Under the authority of a resolution ubscription, which is all that has been passed by the last Legislature on the yet required from the Stockholders. subject of a Penitentiary, I have the The prospect of its being a very profitpleasure to state, that contracts have able stock is flattering, and when we been made for the delivery of a quanti |consider the certainty of payment, and ty of brick and that on or before the the exemption from expence, it must end of the present month, between undoubtedly be considered as the very twelve and fifteen hundred thousand b st means of increasing our revenue. will have been delivered near the spot in- The time allowed for the state to subtended for the site of the building, the scribe for the shares reserved for her in average price of which will not exceed the Planters' Bank of Savannah will exwill very well answer for laying the foregoing observations on the value of brick has also been contracted for, to be the stock of the Bank of Augusta apply. delivered at the same place at an equally with equal, if not superior force, is mat reasonable rate. No workmen have as of Savannah. Permit me therefore to yet been engaged, because, I deem it oil ecommend, that an appropriation be

An abstract of the Warrants drawn From the magnitud | al year, exhibiting a clear and distinct geed in the collection of materials and and the particular fund drawn upon, ascompanies this communication; which bounty, which he may read, was ordered together with the annual abstract for to be on the able.

the information necessary to a clear union tomorrow he would move for a comderstanding of the whole finances of the mittee to prepare and report a hill to State.

A list of Executive appointmentages to take out their grants made during the recess, which are such the motion of Mr Leigh, ject to Legislative interference, is also Resolved, That James Fraser and her with submitted

object the public good, you may rely ut attity of Augusta on m, cordial co operation, and that the On motion—Ordered, that Messrs. Supreme Rul rof the Universe may so Hurt, Watkins and Hatcher be a comgrade and direct your minds, that your matee to prepare and report a bill to tabours may result to the happiness of authorise the Governor to cantract for the people and your own honor, is the a number of rifle guns agreeably to no. sincere prayer of your devoted Fellow lice laid on the table on yesterday. Cilizen,

then commenced.

ing a copy from His Excellency Go on from Bultoch county. veanor Mitchell, to the Honorable Wil. liam Eustis, Secretary of War, on the subject of the late transactions in East|the documents accompanying the Go-Florida, he referred to the joint commit |vernor's communication. tee on the State of the Republic.

merrow morning.

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WEDNESDAY, 4th November, 1812. the table for the present.

From the county of Camden, came the Honorable John Hardee, who pro-Juced his credentials, and being sworn pointed on the part of Senate, to comas required by the constitution of this pose a joint committee to take into constate, took his seat

mished by the Treas near will convey all. Mr. Hatcher nonfied the Senate that give further ame in the fortunate draw-

I noman Barrett be, and they are here-In all your measures, having for theirly appointed Vendue Masters for the

D. B MITCHELL Mr. coruggs presented a petition from The reading of the documents was the inhabitants of Ethingham, which being read, was referred to the same com-Ordered, That document No. 1, be mittee, to whom was referred the petitis-

On motion of Mr. Owens,

The Senate resumed the reading of

Ordered, That documents No. 2, 3 Adjourned till half after 9 o'clock to- and 6 lie on the table; that documents No. 4 and 5 be referred to the committee on the State of the Republic, and that the remaining documents do lie on

On motion of Mr Proctor,

Resolved, That a committee be apsideration, and report upon so much of The President laid on the table an en-the Governor's message as relates to closure, containing a petition from a East Florida-Whereupon, Ordered, Samber of the inhabitants of Telfair That Messrs. Proctor, Mintosh and

Stevens be that committee.

Mr Montgomery notified the Se nate that he would on tomorrow move for a committee to prepare and report a - bill to be entitled an act, to organize the detachment of men which now are, or may in future be required by the proper authority of the United States, for the service of the Union, from the Exe- & appointed Messrs Irwin, Pray, Montcutive of this state, and distributing the gomery, Wilkins, Crane, Hardee and public arms belonging to this state.

Agreeably to notice, Mr. Pray movto be entitled an act, to amend and con last ession. solidate the several militia laws of this state, and to adapt the same agreeably to the laws of the United States.

el, M'Intosh, Byne and Parks be thadnam and City of Savannah. committee.

- A message from the House of Représentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; pointment of Rhese Bostwick as a Jus-Mr President;

concurred in the resolution appointing a joint committee on the State of the Re public, and have added on their part Messis. Clay.on Williams, Childers Wellborn, I uckie, J Blair and Wynn

They have concurred in the resolution appointing a joint committee on Fi nance, and have added on their part Messrs. 1 umpkin. Hopkins, Watts, H. hae arsenal at Louisville, and the re-Blair, Harris, Pettibone, T Jones proval of the public arms to Willedge-Browning, Ware, Bacon and Blount.

- In the resolution appointing a just port by bill or otherwise committee to contract with a printer G. Jones, Glascock, M. Henderson, I and the other from the county of Clark,

Mathews, Minton & Whitehead—and,

They have passed a resolution on heir part, to compose a joint commitree to take into consideration the expediency of a law for the alleviation of lebiors, with power to report by bill or otherwise, and he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, Cook.

Mr. Owens notified the Senate that ed for a committee to be appointed on the will tomorrow move for a committee the part of Senate, to compose a joint to prepare and report a bill, to repeal committee to prepare and report a bin a law for the Inspection of Flour, past

On motion of Mr. Proctor,

Resolved, That Paul Peter Thomasson be, and he is hereby appointed a Ordered, That Messrs. Pray, Davi | Notary Public for the county of Chat-

On motion of Mr. Byne,

Resolved, That the Executive apice of the Interior court of Burke The House of Representatives have county, in place of Dr Southworth arlow removed out of the county be, and the same is hereby confirmed.

On motion,

Resolved, That Messrs. Lane, Wood Maxwell, Terrell, G. Allen, Brannam, and Pope be a committee on the part of Since, to compose a joint committee, o take into consideration that part of iis Excellency the Governor's communication, that relates to the state of citle, and that they be authorised to re-

Mr. Daniel presented two petitions, and added on their part, Messrs. Davidone from the inhabitants of Jackson, which were severally read, and refer idence in the several courts of law and red to Messrs. Daniel and Montgome | quity in this state, so far as relates to ry to join such committee as may be certain papers tatives.

from Hugh M'Call, which was readly eport a bill to be entitled an act, to add and referred to the committee on Fi-to the county of Jackson the Territory nance.

from William A. Dunham, which wa'n ngot Hawkins'. I re read and referred to Messrs. MIntosh | Mr Hudspeth not find the Senate. Hardee and Fort

On motion of Mr. Lanier

pointed to compose a joint committee to jor the more effectually securing the take into consideration the Millia law probate of Wills, limiting the time for of this state, and amend the same by Executors to qualify and Midows to the admittance and encouragement of make their election, and for other purthe Volunteer service of 1000 mount-poses therein mentioned, passed at Mile ed RIAs, sword or syear-men, and to hedge the 15th of Dec. 1810. port by bill or otherwise.

Ordered That Messrs Lanier, Wave Daniel, Byne and Pray be that com-ladded to the committee on Finance midee.

Mr Follogian of fed the Senate than comorrow morning. he would on tomorrow move for the appointment of a committee, to prepare and report a full to divorce William! Gradily from his wife Sally Gradity. and to some to said V, illiam Graddy all such proferry as he now is or may herealth b possessed of

Ash a Douglas, william to agreed and session; and that Vir Lanier be added referred to hillsyry McCale Hudsperf to the a minitie to enquire into the and Morago very to report by all orien active of passing on allowating law. otherwise.

Mr Daniel notified the Senate their Resolved, that the Senate will conhe will on transfor move for a continue in the Representative Chamber milities to prepare and report a bill to occur. Monday the 9th inst at twelve o'entitled an act to amend an occentified clock, to elect a Senator in the Con-

appointed by the House of Represent Mr Montgomery notified the Senate juhat he will tomorrow move for the ap-Mr. Proctor presented a petition pointnent of a committee to prepare & formerly comprehended in Tranklin Mr. M'Intosh presented a peticion/county, which was left out in the run-

that he would on tomorrow move for the appointment of a committee to pre-Resolved, That a committee be ap pare and report a bill to amend an act

On more Mr Hudspeth,

Ordered that Mr Montgomery be

I he benate adjourned 'till 10 o'clock

000000 THURSDAY, 5th November, 1812.

On motion;

Order d that Mr Cook be added to the committee to contract for printing Mr W Call presented a petition for white Laws and Journals of the present On motion of Mr Hudspeth,

on act to regulate the recollision of overgress of the United States from the

3d of March next, and to elect eight the city of Savannah. electors, in terms of the Constitution of the United States.

Daniel, Byne and Pray be the commit the inspection of flour. tee on the part of Senate to take into Ordered, that Messrs Owens, Leigh consideration the militia law of this and Proctor be that committee. state, agreeably to the resolution of Mr Stevens gives notice, that he will yesterday.

Mr Proctor gives notice, that he will duce a bill to change the name of Jo--tomorrow move for leave to introduce seph M'Coy to that of Joseph Ausa bill to appoint Port Wardens for the tin.

Port of Savannah.

ved for the appointment of a committee mittee to prepare and report a bill to orto prepare and report a bill to give ganize the detachments of men which further time to fortunate drawers in the now are or in future may be required fate land lotteries to take out their by the proper authority for the service grants.

Cordered that Messrs. Hatcher, Griffin and I ittle be that committee.

Mr Montgomery agreeably to notice/tee. moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to c-morrow move for the appointment radd to the county of Jackson the Terri-of a committee to prepare and report a the running of Hawkins's line.

Ordered that Messrs Montgomery, in courts of record. Cook and Tharpe be that committee

Mr. Lane presented a petition from Samuel Berry, which being read,

On motion of Mr Lane,

consideration.

On motion of Mr coctor,

Resolved, that Ephraim Brown and some are hereby confirmed Thomas Garnett be, and they are hereby appointed Lumber Measurers for the message from His Excellency the

Mr Owens agreeably to notice, moved for the appointment of a commit-Ordered, that Messrs Lanier, Ware, tee to report a bill to repeal an act for

on to-morrow move for leave to intro-

Mr Montgomery agreeably to notice Mr Hatcher agreeably to notice mo moved for the appointment of a comof the Union, &c.

> Ordered, that Messrs Montgomery, M'Intosh and Irwin be that commit-

Mr Blair gives notice that he will on tory formerly comprehended in Frank-bill to make valid a transcribed copy of lin county, and which was left out by the records of the Court of Ordinary of Scriven county, & to confirm the same

On motion of Mr. Lane,

Resolved that the Executive appointment of William Wilkins Esq. as a Justice of the I ferior court for the county Resolved, that said petition with the of Putnam in the place of Reuben D'accompanying documents be referred Lyrnett, Esq resigned; and the Executo Messrs Lane, Talbot and Scrugge live appointment of John J Smith Esq as a committee to take the same into as a Justice of the Inferior court for the said county in the place of James B. Clopton, Esq resigned, le, and the

The Senate took up the remainder of

Governor, and the same being read,

Ordered, that document No. 7, b referred to the committee on ring to and that documents from y and 10 or lie on the table

on the subject of the Finnters. Bank, in which was received and read the which were read and ordered to be only soume the table

Mr Montgomery gives novice that he will on to-morrow move for leave to introduce a bill to explain and amend consisting of Messes. Owens, Fort, the 29th section of the Judiciary Law of this state.

moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and resort a bili for was received and read the first time. the more off country securing the Probate of Wills, &c

Nesti & Stevens be that committee

Mr I ulwood agreeably to nonce mo ved for the appointment of a compitte class of the Midison county Ecademy, to propore and report a bill to divorce and that they be, and are hereby au-William Graddy and Salty his wite, borised either by themselves or agent,

nier and Fiardee le that committee.

On motion of Air Civens,

he is hereby appointed a Notary Public section of an act, passed 20th Decemfor the county of Baldwin and town of ber 179? Milledgeville.

morning.

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FRID Y, 6th November, 1812.

Mr Wintest from the committee reported a bill authorizing William A. Durham to run a line of stages from Savennah to be dary's, which was reseived and read the first time.

On motion,

The Messenger had leave of aba since till Monday iff xt 10 o'clock.

3 r'Stevens agreeably to notice insodused a bill to change the name of Mr Pray presented two resolutions loss pla M'Coy to that of Joseph Aus-

> Mr Gwens presented a petition from earge Micklejohn, which was read nd eferred to a special committee, wain, Watkins as I Wilkins

Mr Proctor agreeably to notice in-MF Hadspeth agreeably to not concoduced a bill to appoint Port Warlens for the port of Savannah, which

On motion of Mr Daniel,

Resolved That James Pittman, Geo. Ordered, that Messis, Hudspeth Eberhart, Natura Meroncy, George Chasiian and James Thompson be, and ney are hereby appointed commission. purchase at any sales of confiscated Ordered, that Messrs Fulwood, La property, the amount of one thousand pound, for the use of the Academy of aid county as heretofore allowed the Resolved that Francis Leter be, and several counties in this state, by the 7th

Mr. Hatcher gives notice that he Adjourned till 10 o'clock tomorrow will on tomorrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a bill to draw Grand and Petti Jufrors for the county of Wilkinson.

> Mr Proctor gives notice that he will on tomorrow mayer for leave to introuce a bill to divorce William Chauvin and Aim bis wife.

> Mr. Montgomery from the commit Itee reported a bill to amend and ex

plain the 29th section of the judiciary of which was read and referred to a spethis state, which was received and read cial commutee, consisting of Messrs. the first time.

Mr. Parks presented a petition from Benjamin Samuel, which was received. read and referred to the committee o

petitions.

Mr. Montgomery from the committee reported a bill, to add to Jackson coun ty, all that territory farmerly compa hended in Franklin county, and whic was left out by the running of Haw kins's line, which was received and rea the first time.

Mr. Cook gives notice that he will on Monday next, move for leave to intro duce a bill explanatory of the 31st sec tion of the judiciary law of this state, painty, all criminals until a county Jail passed 16th February, 1799.

Mr. Hudspeth gives notice that he report a bill, to alter and amend the lating Justices courts.

Mr. Daniel agreeably to notice moved for the appointment of a committee law, &c.

Ordered, That Messrs. Daniel, Proctor and Byne be that committee.

Scriven county, &c.

Ordered, That Messrs. Blair, Black man and Burnett be that committee.

district No. one, in Columbia county, and town of Sandersville.

Vilkins and Leigh, to join such comnittee as may be appointed by the louse of Representatives, to take the ame into consideration

On motion of Mr Nesbit,

Resolved, That when a message om the House of Representatives is nnounced at the door of the Senate, all msiness shall be suspended, until the ame is received.

On motion of Mr. M'Intosh,

Resolved, That the Justices of the inferior court and Justices of the Peace of M'Intosh county be authorised to confine in the Jail at Darien in said is erected.

Mr. Griffin gives notice that he will will on tomorrow move for the appoint on Monday next, move for leave to rement of of a committee to prepare and port a bill to repeal an act, to make pernanent the site of the public buildings 18th and 21st sections of the act, regulator the country of Telfair, passed third December, 1811.

On motion of Mr. Blackman, "

Resolved, That Malcum Bug be apto prepare and report a bill to regulate pointed a Justice of the Inferior court the admission of evidence in courts of for the county of Tatnall, in the place of M'Keen Green, removed.

Mr. Montgomery gives notice that he will on tomorrow move for the ap-Mr Blair agreeably to notice moves pointment of a committee to prepare for the appointment of a committee to and report a bill, to change the time of report a bill, to make valid a transcrib holding the Superior courts in the ed copy of the records of the court of counties of Madison, Franklin, Elbert and Lincoln.

On motion of Mr. Irwin,

Resolved, That Morgan Brown be, Mr. Wilkins presented a petition from and he is hereby appointed a Notary the inhabitants of the lower section of Public for the county of Washington.

On motion of Air Owens,

Alexander Greene be appointed Ven due Masters for the town of Milledge viile.

Mr. Watkins notified the Senate that he should on tomorrow move for a committee to be appointed on the part of Senate, to join such as may be at the Executive appointment of a Justice pointed on the part of the House of Ke lof the Interior court of Burke county: presentatives, to prepare and report a In the resolution appointing a Notabill, amendatory to an act, passed 15th ry Public for the county of Chatham; December 1869, for the purpose of In the resolution appointing Vandue keeping open, removing and preventing Masters for the City of Augusta; obstructions in Savannah river, &c cal and the navigation of said river, &c

Mr Lane presented a petition from ment; sundry inhabitants of Putnem county. which was received, read and referred committee to report a bill, to amend & to the committee on the State of the consolidate the militia law. &c. and have Republic.

A message from His Excellency the Covernor was received by his Secreta Committee to take into consideration the xy, Mr. Freeman, notifying the Legis Inititia law of this state, and to amend lature of the vacancy of the Major he same, &c. and have added a com-General's appointment in the 4th Di mittee on their part; The r of the militia of this state, majo general Jack having accepted an ap-| omnittee to take into consideration printment in the federal army of the two positions from the counties of Jackdetect to itera the table.

Me Moull from the committee re ported a bill to divorce John Douglas committee to take into consideration so and I no his wife, which was received; such of His recellency the Governand read the fruit time.

Ormiton,

Cotored. That Messes. Weshin Not a committee on their part Little and Proctor be a committee on! They have added Mr Vettbone and mothed bile.

On motion,

and Stevens be a committee to examine Resolved. That Harris Allen and the Journal of Senate the present ses-

> A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their clerk:

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have occurred in the resolution confirming

In the resolution appointing Monday culated to impede the passage of fish hext for the election of a Senator in Congress and Electors, with an amend-

> In the resolution appointing a joint ddd a committee on their part;

> In the resolution appointing a joint

In the resolution appointing a joint a rided States, which was read and or-jon and Chark, and have added a committee or their part; and,

In the resolution applicating a joint or's communication as relates to the arsenal at Louisville, &c. and have ad-

Vr williams to the committee to conbract for printing;

Ordered, that Messes. Lane, Daniel They have passed a resolution ap-

pointing a justice of the Inferior courffegal and correct, which was read and for the county of Chatham, and

They have passed a bill to continue Mr. Lane gives notice that he will on in force an act, giving further time wonday next, move for leave to report fortunate drawers to take out their a bill to amend the militia law of this grants, &c. and he withdrew.

and amendment of the House of Re Twiggs, Pulaski, Telfair, Laurens and presentatives to the resolution on the Wilkinson. subject of Electors which was agreed > to, and is as follows:

bers of the House of Representatives and read the first time will convene in the Representative Mr Fulwood from the committee re-Chamber on Monday next, at one o'-ported a bill to divorce William Gradjor general for the fourth division of ceived and read the first time. militia, in place of major general Jack, On motion of Mr. Pope, who has accepted an appointment in Resolved, That Rueben Cole, esq. the army of the United States, also also, and he is hereby appointed a Justice President and Vice-President of the U esquire, resigned. nited States.

of a Justice of the Inferior court for Inspection of Flour, so far as respects Chatham county; and the said bill was the town of milledgeville, which was read the first time.

The Senate adjourned till tomorrow morning 10 o'clock.

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: SATURDAY, 7th November, 1812. self into a committee of the whole on

vileges & Elections reported as follows Mr. President resumed the chair, and Viz;

lections to whom was referred the e-ment. lection returns from the different counexamined the said returns, & find them ordered to be engressed for a third

agreed to

state, so far as respects the formation The Senate took up the message of a new brigade in the counties of

Mr Proctor agreeably to notice introduced a bill to divorce Wm Chauvin Resolved, That the Senate and mem and Ann his wife, which was received

clock, for the purpose of Electing a ma dy and Sally his wife, which was re-

Senator to the Congress of the United of the Inferior court of the county of States and eight Electors to vote for lones, in the place of William Butler.

Mr Owens agreeably to notice in-They concurred in the appointment roduced a bill to repeal an act, for the received and read the first time.

The bill to continue in force an act, giving further time to fortunate drawlers to take out their grants, &c was read the second time.

Whereupon the Senate resolved it-Mr Cook from the committee on Pri-the said bill, Mr Lanier in the chair; Mr. Lanier reported that they had gone The committee on Privileges and E [through the same without any amend-

The Senate took up said report, ties, beg leave to report that they have which was agreed to, and the said bill reading.

to Congressional districts, and he with.

the following bills were severally drew.

taken up and read the 2d time.

with the exclusive privilege of running no atm in of committees, therein mena line of Stages from Savannah to Staioned, and on the question to lay the mary's.

Ordered for 3d reading.

M'Coy to that of Joseph Austin.

Ordered for a 3d reading

A bill to appoint Port Wardens for the Port of Savannah.

whole.

section of the Judiciary law of this Wood.

whole.

in Franklin county, and which was left bot, Tharpe and Wilkins. out by running Hawkins's line.

John Douglass and Jane his wife.

Ordered for committee of the whole Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have kinson added Mr. Charlton to the committee on the State of the Republic, and Tharp and Pope be that committee. Messrs Williams, Clayton and J. Blair! irg

enrollment on their part;

Ine Senale took up the message A bill to invest William A. Dunham, and consurred in the additions and apresolution appointing a joint committee to divide the state into Congressional A bill to change the name of Joseph districts on the table, it was resolved in the negative, and the yeas and nays being required are Yeas 18-Nays 19.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are messrs Blair, Cook, Daniel, Grif-Ordered for a committee of the fin, Hurt, Little, M-Call, Montgomery, Nesbit, Owens, Parks, Pray, Proctor, A bill to amend and explain the 29th Stevens, Swain, Ware, Watkins and

Those who voted in the negative, Ordered for a committee of the are messrs. Blackman, Burnett, Byne, Crane, Fort, Fulwood, Haidee, Hatch-A bill to add to Jackson county, aller, Hudspeth, Irwin, Lane, Lanier, that territory formerly comprehended Leigh, M Intosh, Pope, Scruggs, Tal-

Whereupon the Senate added a com-Ordered for committee of the whole mittee on their part, consisting of And a bill to divorce and separate messrs. Proctor, Byne, Talbot and Owens.

Mr. Hatcher agreeably to notice A message from the House of Re moved for the appointment of a compresentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; mittee to report a bill, to draw Grand and Petit Jurors for the county of Wil-

Ordered, That messrs Hatcher,

Mr Blair from the committee report. no the committee to contract for print led a bill to make valid a transcribed copy of the records of the Ordinary court They have appointed a committee on of Scriven county, which was received and read the first time.

And they have appointed a commit- Mr. Wood gives notice that he will on their part, to divide the state in on monday next, move for leave to introduce a bill to divorce Mathew D. received and read the first time. Brazzell and Polly his wife.

moved for the appointment of a com nate to join such as may be appointed mittee to prepare and report a bill, to on the part of the House of Represenalter the time of holding the Superior atives, to draw up instructions recomcourts in the counties of Franklin, El mending to our members in Congress, bert, Madison and Lincoln.

Daniel, Little, Watkins and Parks be best endeavors to discontinue any comthat committee.

ed a bill to divorce Samuel Berry and supplied with provisions, and thereby Nancy his wife, which was received afforded that succour they could not and read the first time.

moved for the appointment of a com. Stevens and Daniel be the committee mittee to alter the 18th and 21st secu-on the part of Senate.

Daniel and Lane be that committee.

mr. Lane presented a petition from James Whylie and John Espey, which MC oy to that of Joseph Austin—and,

on Tuesday next, move for the ap-of running a line of Stages from Sapointment of a committee to report a vannah to St. Mary's, for the term of bill to authorise the levying an extra ten years from the first day of January tax in the county of Baldwin, for the next. purpose of building a Court-house in said county.

On motion,

morning.

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MONDAY, 9th November, 1812.

ed a bil., explanatory of the several ju Cook, Crane, Daniel, Fort, Fulwood, diciary laws of this state, which was Hatcher, Hudspath, Hurt, Irwin, Lane.

Mr. M'Intosh moved for the appoint. Mr. Montgomery agreeably to notice ment of a committee on the part of Seshould the present war be prolonged Ordered, That Messrs. Montgomery, with Great Britain, that they use their mercial intercourse with neutral pow-Mr. Lane from the committee report-ers, by which means our enemy are otherwise obtain.

Mr. Hudspeth agreeably to notice! Ordered, That Messrs. MIntosh,

ons of the act regulating Justice's courts. The following bills were severally Ordered, That messrs. Hudspeth taken up, read the 3d time and passed, to wit;

A bill to change the name of Joseph

was read and ordered to lie on the table. A bill to invest William A. Dunham Mr. Owens gives notice that he will with the exclusive right and privilege

The bill to continue in force an act, passed 22d December 1808, giving further time to the fortunate drawers in Ordered, That Mr. Wood be added the late land lotteries to take out their to the committee to contract for printing. grants, was read the third time, and on Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock Monday he question, shall this bill now pass? ht was resolved in the affirmative, and the yeas and hays being required, are Yeas 28-Nays 9.

Those who visted in the affirmative, Mr. Cook from the committee report | are Messrs. Diair, Biacaman, Burnett,

Litue, Lamer, MCail, Montgomeri *-rebit, Parks, kope, beinggs, Swin Talbot, Tharpe, Wate, Watkins, Wi kins and Wood.

Those who voted in the negative, ar Measrs. Byne, Griffin. Hardce, Leigh Midntosh, Owens, Fray, Proctor an Sievens.

The Senate resolved itself into a and agreed to. Mr. Irwin reported, that they had gone - Nays 18. through the same with an amendment. Those who voted in the affirmative, The Senate took up the report, which are Messrs. Blair, Blackman, Burnett, was read and ordered to lie on the ta-Fort, Fulwood, Hardee, Irwin, Lane, ble.

committee of the whole on the bill to Watkins and Wood. The report kins. without any amendment. was taken up and agreed to.

the third time and passed.

The Senate resolved itself into alvin and Ann his wife was read the 2d ding to Jackson county, all that territory the whole. formerly comprehended in Franklin| The bill to divorce William Graddy county, and which was left out by run- and Sally his wife was read the second ning Hawkins's line, Mr. Cook in the time, and ordered for committee of the chair; Mr President resumed the chair, whole. and Mr Cook reported that they had. The bill to repeal an act, for the Ingone through the same without any pection of Flour, so far as respects amendment. The Senite took up Alledgeville, was read the second time, the report, which was agreed to

Whereupon the bill was read thel third time, and passed under the tire pay of the records of the court of Orthereof.

The Senate resolved itself into a ommittee of the whole on the bill to hvorce and separate John Douglass d Jane his wife, Mr. Daniel in the chair; Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Daniel reported that they had gone through the same without any amendment. The report was taken up

committee of the whole on the bill to! Whereupon the bill was read the 3d appoint Port Wardens for the port of lime, and on the question shall this bill oxvanuah, Mr Irwin in the chair—how pass? the year and nays were call-The President resumed the chair, andled for, which are as follow—Yeas 19

Lanier, Leigh, M'Call, M'Intosh, Ow-The Senate resolved itself into alens. Proctor, Stevens, Swain, Talbot,

amend and explain the 29th section of Those who voted in the negative, are the Judiciary law of this state, Mr. Messrs. Byne, Cook, Crane, Daniel, Byne in the chair; Mr. President resum-Griffin, Hatcher, Hudspeth, Hurt, Lited the chair and Mr. Byne reported tle, Montgomery, Nesbit, Parks, Pope, that they had gone through the same Pray, Scruggs, Tharpe, Ware and Wil-

There not being the majority requir-Whereupon the said bill was readed by the constitution, the bill was lost. The bill to divorce William Chau-

committee of the whole on the bill ad-home, and ordered for a committee of

and ordered for third reading

The bill to make valid a transcribed dinary of Scriven county was read the second time, and ordered for a third reading.

his wife was read the second time, and county, and have added a committee ordered for committee of the whole.

Mr. Leign presented a petition from Benjamin Moore, which was read and passed tae following resolutions, to wit: referred to a speci I committee, con sisting of Messrs. Leigh, Hardee and tive appointment of Justices of the In-M Call.

Mr. Griffin agreeably to notice reported a bill to repeal an act, to make the county of Chatham; permanent the site of the public buildwas received and read the first time.

A message from the House of Representatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; reign Languages with the functions

Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have from Senate, to wit:

One appointing a Justice of the Infe-drew. rior court for the county of Tatnall;

One appointing commissioners of the table. the Madison county Academy;

prisoners in Darien Jail;

One confirming the Executive apcourt of Putnam county;

the county of Washington;

tor the city of Savannah;

the county of Baldwin;

One appointing Vendue Masters for and he withdrew. the town of Millecgeville;

One appointing a joint committee t take into consideration and report up on so much of the Governor's comm nication as relates to East Flori la, a have added a committee on their parti-

And one appointing a joint commitee to take into consideration the peti-The bill to divorce Samuel Berry and ion of sundry inhabitants of Columbia on their part.

The House of Representatives have

A resolution confirming the Execuferior court for the county of Twiggs;

One appointing a Notary Public for

One confirming the Executive apings in the county of Telfair, which pointment of a Justice of the Inferior court for the county of Franklin;

> One appointing an Interpreter of Foof a Notary Public—and

They have added Messrs. Clayton, concurred in the following resolutions T. Jones & Atkinson to the committee to contract for printing, and he with-

Ordered, That the message do lie on

A message from His Excellency the One authorising the confinement of Govarnor, by Mr. Porter his Secretary; Mr. President;

I am instructed by His Excellency pointment of Justices of the Inferior the Governor to inform the Senate, that he has approved of and signed a reso-One appointing a Notary Public for ution appointing this day for the election of a Major General for the 4th di-One appointing Lumber Measurers vision of the militia of this state; a Senator in the Congress of the United One appointing a Notary Public for States, and eight Electors for President and Vice-President of the U. States,

> Mr. Proctor from the joint committee o whom was referred so much of the xcellency the Governor's communition as relates to Florida, Reported , + llows.

The joint committee to whom was

referred so much of His Excellen have ascertained whether the safety of ev's Message as relates to East Flo his section of the Union, was or was 7. ¹5,

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the circumstances connected with the Britain for, if not an ally, in the war Province of East Florida, as they re-she is now waging against us or, in late to, and affect the interests and safe-the possession of the local government ty of this state; and are of opinion, that of a Spanish colony, that could be easiimmediate and decisive measures ought by seduced into any measures dictate and must be adopted by the General ed by British power and influence. or State Government, for the possessi- Your committee would beg leave to

analyze the motives which could have England, would under any of their immanufactured the dissenting members of pressions of justice or National Law, the Senate of the United States, in respermit the rigid neutrality of the local seeting the bill of the House of Represpovernment of East Florida? And sentatives for the occupancy of this pro-your committee would also beg leave visco. The policy which suggested further to enquire, whether it ought to m's r jection, will always appear in have been expected, or is now to be exexplicable to your committee, as it pected, that British troops or auxiliamust obviously then have appeared, as ries will not be arrown into the garriit has chare proven to have been, sub-son of St. Augustine-a fortress alrersive of the safety and tranquility of most impregnable—offering an assylum this section of the United States. Irland protection to all the outcasts of sois a posity which will not bear the test ciety, and disaffected, of our own counof investigation upon any of those doc try-pouring out its ruffian bands, wines with usually regulate the more and exciting the mercuess savages, red The of one nation in its conduct towards and black, to their accustomed and atunother—and cannot even find an apo trocious deeds of murder, rapine and ugy in the strict, plain and honest desolation. This is the species of warprinciples which distinguish, or should tare encouraged by British influence ever distinguish; bove all others, the go and authority, anticedent to, and durgernment of a Republic.

The safety of the people is the first lines in which our nation has been en-

ot jeopardized by suffering the neighboring province of East Florida to re-That they have fully considered all main in the hands of an ally of Great-

on and occupancy of said Province. ask, whether it could rationally have Your committee will not pretend to been supposed, that the Ministers of ling the present short period of hosti-

consideration which presses itself up-graged; and can it for a moment be beon the attention of all National Coun lieved that the forcess of St. Auguscils. It is a principle as applicable to line will not be used for all the purposone form of political government as toles enumerated by your committee?.... another. Your committee then humbly Upon the every ground then of conceive, that it was only necessary to bublic safety, combined with a neces-

sity urgent enough to control all other itizens immediately exposed to its efconsiderations, and justified by every fects in imminent danger, and a danger legitimate and universally recognized too, not admitting of delay. principle of the Law of Nations—the If a danger of this complexion is adoccupation of East Florida was, and mitted, (of which the General Assemwould now be a just measure of, and by will decide) your committee are most imperiously required from the then of opinion, that the state is con-General or the State Government. Your stitutionally vested with the power imcommittee dreading the consequences mediately to organize a sufficient force which must inevitably result from the march into the province of East Flodelay, if it is considered that the mea rida, and to occupy it - the occupation sure can only emanate from federal au-to be relinquished by the State troops, thority, have directed their attention tolso soon as the National Legislature the section of the constitution of the shall have adopted efficient measures United States in the following words—to relieve the people, from the immi-"No State shall without the consent of nent danger with which they are now Congress, lay any duty of tonnage, menaced. keep troops, or ships of war in time of And your committee, (if this imprespeace, enter into agreement or com sion of their opinion should meet the pact with another state, or with a fo approbation of the General Assembly) reign power, or engage in war, unless beg leave to recommend the following actually invaded, or in such imminent bill, to carry into effect the views and danger, as will not admit of delay."-- objects of this Report. According to this section, then, there Which being read, he had leave to are only two cases which would autho-report a bill, authorising the occupation rize the state sovereignty to engage in of East Florida, which was received and war. 1st. When "actually invaded;" read the first time.

Your committee are not prepared to say, that there has been an actual inva | I am directed to inform the Senate, sion by a foreign force, and in the man-that the House of Representatives are ner which perhaps was contemplated now in readiness to receive them in the by the Constitution; but the facts are Representative Chamber for the purbefore the public, that a warfare has pose of proceeding to the election of a been commenced on the frontiers—that Major General of the 4th division of murders have been perpetrated under militia of this state; a Senator in the the sanction, or with the connivance of Congress of the United States, & eight the governor of East Florida and Electors for President and Vice Presithat a savage warfare is still in operation of the United states, in terms of on under the sanction of the said autho- a concurred resolution, and he withzity----which surely places our fellow drew.

and 2dly When in such "imminent A message from the House of Redanger" as will not admit of delay. | presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk;

Mr. President;

The Senate repaired to the Repr Milla: ve 12 or, and being scard, to Legista use proceeded by i hat ballot to said elections, and on counting out the votes for each it appeared that Beigs dier General Men Daniel was duly e pernor for his revision. lected Mijir General of the 4th Divisi county, Charles Harris, esq. Attorney slaves may reside. therford, of Washington county, Maje Carolina was presented, which being Henry Mitchell, of Uancock county on the table. nited States.

their Chamber, and

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. .

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TUESDAY Oth November, 1812. On motion of Mr Lanier,

The Journal of yesterday was reconsidered, so far as respects the bitled a bill to amend and consolidate the to divorce John Douglass and Jane his|several militia laws of this state, and to wife.

the table.

Mr. Nesbitt from the committee onl enrollment, reported as duly enrolled

lieur grants passed 22d December 308, which was presented to, and igned by the President.

Ordered. I nat the committee do take he said act to His Excellency the Go-

Mr. Blair gives notice that he will on on of the militia of this state; the Hon homorrow move for the appointment of Charles 'I am, recelected Senator in the a committee to prepare and report a bill Congress of the United States, and Gelio compel slave owners to make return neral D miel Ste vart, of Liberty coun of, and pay tax on all slaves in the difty, Henry Graybill, enq of Hancael ferent counties of this state, where such

at Law, of avanuah, Col. John Ru | A petition from the refugees of N. Oliver Porter, of Greene county, Gen taken up and read, was ordered to he

Gen. John Twiggs, of Richmond, and Mr Scruggs from the committee re-Major John Howard, of Milledgeville ported a bill to amend an act, incorpowere duly elected Electors to vote for rating a company for the purpose of o-President and Vice-President of the U-pening Ogechee giver from the mouth of Canuchee to the mouth of Rocky Whereupon the Senate returned to Comfort, which was received and read the first time.

> Mr. Owens laid on the table a resolution appointing Wednesday next at 12 o'clock, for the election of a Brigadier General of the first Brigade of the 4th Division of the militia of this state, in place of Brigadier Allen Daniel promoted, which was read and agreed to.

Mr. Pray from the committee report. adapt the same to the acts of the Con-Ordered, That the same do lie on gress of the United States, which was received and read the first time.

On motion of Mr M'intosh,

Resolved, That Dr. James Troup be, and signed by the Speaker, an act toland he is hereby appointed a fustice of continue in force an act, giving further me Inferior court of the courty of M'time to fortunate drawers to take outlintosh, in place of William A. Dunham

resigned.

tomorrow move for the appointment of Baldwin county to levy an extra tax, bill to mark and make permanent the time line dividing Wayne & Camden coun ties, and to add a part of Camden coun the committee to contract for printty w me county of Wayne

Mr . Burnett presented a petition

... On motion,

Ordered, That all divorce bills now Saturday next.

court of Wilkinson county to draw ceived and read the first time. Grand and Petit Jurors, &c. which was received and read the first time.

reported a bill for the more effectually of the Inferior court of the county of Securing the Probate of Wills, &c Lincoln in place of John H. Walker, which was received and read the first resigned, be, and the same is hereby time.

The bill to repeal an act for the Inspection of Flour, so far as respects the tomorrow morning. town of Milledgeville, and,

1: The bill to make valid a transcribed popy of the records of the court of Ordinary of Scriven county, were taken up, read the third time and passed.

Judiciary laws of this state, and,

second time, and ordered for commit ble. te of the whole.

Mr Owens had leave to introduce a Mr Fort gives notice that he will on bill authorising the Inferior court of the ee to prepare and report alwhich was received and read the first

> Ordered, that Mr Blair be added to ing.

The Senate took up the message from the commissioners of the Acade-from the House of Representatives of my of Glynn county, which was read yesterday and the several resolutions and referred to a special committee, con-contained therein were concurred in, sisting of Messrs. Burnett, Stevens and except the resolution appointing Literpreter of foreign languages, which was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr Hudspeth from the committee in order for committee, do lie over 'till|reported a bill to alter an act to alter land amend the several Judiciary acts Mr. Hatcher from the committee re-now in force in this state, so far as resported a bill to authorise the Inferior pects Justices courts, which was re-

On motion of Mr Parke,

Resolved, that the Executive ap-Mr. Hudspeth from the committee pointment of Robert Ware, as a Justice confirmed.

The Senate adjourned 'till 10 o'clock

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WEDNESDAY, 11th November, 1812.

Mr Cook presented a letter from the The bill explanatory of the several President of the University in this state notifying the Senate of a vacancy in the The bill to repeal an act, making per Board of Trustees, occasioned by the mment the site of the public buildings resignation of John Griffin, I sq which to the county of Telfair, were read the was read and ordered to lie on the ta-

Mr Nesbit presented a petition from

stradity inhabitants of the counties of Wilkes, Oglethorpe, Greene, Hancock Cook, Talbot and Hardee be the comand Warren, praying for a new coun initee on part of Senate. ty, which being read was refered to Messrs. Nesbit, Talbot, Hudspeth anolmend and consolidate the several mili-Hurt, a committee on the part of Se nate to compose a joint committee to report thereon.

Mr. Scruggs from the committee on petitions reported on the petition of the bill to be entitled an act, to authorise Benjamin Samuel, to wit;

was referred the petition of Benjamin lomake a certain number of Rifle guns, Samuel,

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prayer of the Petitioner is unreasona first time the and ought not to be granted; which being read was agreed to.

Treasurer of this state, enclosing slave owners to make return of, and pay Abstract, which being read, was re staxes on all slaves in the different counterred, together with the Abstract tolties of this state, where such slaves may the committee on Finance.

Mr. Owens presented a petition from torney or agents. sames H. Perdue, which being read. was referred to Messrs. Owens, Laneltosh and Stevens be that committee. and Byne.

Messrs. Blackman, Griffin, Swain and an act, to point out the mode for the M'Call.

On motion of Mr. Lanier,

Resolved, That a committee be ap pointed on the part of Senate, to join presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; such as may be appointed by the House of Representatives, to take into consi | deration the expediency of passing alpassed a resolution confirming the Exaw in favor of the unfortunate debtor, ecutive appointment of Edward Be who is, or hereafter may be called into Brooking & William Hudson, justices the service of their country.

Ordered. That Messrs I anier, Pray,

The bill to be entitled an act, to aia laws of this state, was taken up and read the second time.

Ordered for committee of the whole. Mr Hurt from the committee reported His Excellency the Governor forthwith The committee on Petitions to whom to contract with fit and proper persons with the apparatus thereunto belongling, for the use of the militia of this That they are of opinion that the state, which was received and read the

Mr. Blair agreeably to notice moved for a committee to prepare and report A communication was received from a bill to be entitled an act, to compel freside, either by themselves, their at-

Ordered, That Messrs. Blair, M'In-

Mr. Pray notified the Senate that he Mr. Blackman presented a petition would tomorrow move for the appointfrom the citizens of Tattnal county, ment of a committee to prepare and rewhich being read, was referred to port a bill to be entitled an act, to amend collection of rents, passed the 16th December, 1811.

A message from the House of Re-

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have of the Inferior court for the county of Hancock;

A resolution appointing Dr. Joel Abbott of Wilkes county, a Trustee or rise the Justices of the Inferior court of the University of Georgia;

A resolution appointing George Kolb and John Moore, justices of the Inferi or court for the county of Washington |committee of the whole on the bill to and they have added Mr. Cuthbert on be entitled an act, explanatory of the the committee of the state of the Repub Several Judiciary laws of this statelic, and he withdrew

and the several resolutions therein con-ported progress, and had leave to sit atained, were concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Ware,

pointment of William Kindrick as a appointing F. D. Petit de Villiers Injustice of the Inferior court of the coun-terpreter of Foreign Languages, and ty of Morgan, in the place of Josephithe same being read, was agreed to Lane resigned, be, and the same is here with the following amendment—strike by confirmed.

The following bills were taken uply of Cha ham. and severally read the second time.

A bill to alter and amend an act, for the more effectually securing the Pro to the committee to examine the Jourbate of Wills, limiting the time for ex-hal of Senate, and that Mr. M'Intosh ecutors to qualify, and widows to make be added to the committee on the state their election.

Ordered for committee of the whole

rise the Justices of the Inferior court of ment of militia which now are, or herethe county of Wilkinson to draw Grand after may be required by the constituand Petit Jurors for said county

ral Judiciary acts, so far as relates to d and read the first time. Justices courts

an act to incorporate a company for the repeal an act for licensing and regupurpose of opening the Ogechee river lating Pedlars, passed 21st February from the mouth of Canuchee to the 1796 mouth of Rocky Comfort.

Ordered for committee of the whole. A bill to be entitled an act, to autho-Baldwin county to levy an extra tax.

Ordered for a third reading.

The Senate resolved itself into a Mr. Talbot in the chair, Mr. President The Senare took up the message lesumed the chair, and Mr. Talbot regain.

The Senate took up the resolution. Resolved, That the Executive ap-from the House of Representatives, out " Eas ern district," and insert coun-

On motion.

Ordered, That Mr Watkins be added of the Republic.

Mr. Montgomery from the committee A bill to be entitled an act, to autho-freported a bill to organize the detachred authority of the United States for Ordered for committee of the whole like service of the Union, and to distri-A bill to amend and alter the seve bute the public arms, which was receiv-

Mr. Cook gives notice that he will Ordered for committee of the whole on Friday next, move for leave to re-A bill to be entitled an act, to amend port a bill for licensing Pedlars, and to

Mr. Fort agreeably to notice moved

for the appointment of a committee 19 vas received and read the first time. prepare and report a bill to mark to line dividing the counties of Wayne borted a bill to authorise the Commisand Camden, and to add a part of Camden country to the country of Wayne

and Burnett be that committee.

Mr. Daniel from the committee re land read the first time. ported a bill to amend and explain an Mr Lane from the committee react, to legalize and make valid certain ported a bill to authorize and request acts of Sheriffs and Cierks, and to rediffis Excellency the Covernor, to cause gulate the admission of evidence in the Public Arms at the Arsenal at Courts of Equity in this state, so far as Louisvalle to be removed to Milledge. respects certain papers, which was re-vill, which was received and read the ceived and read the first time.

On motion,

still Friday next.

morning.

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THURSDAY. 12th November, 1812. duce a bill to change the 9th section

Mr. Leigh from the committee re-lof the third article of the Constitution. ported a bill for the relief of Benjamin Moore, which was received and read William 5. Lancaster and Clement Lathe first time.

Col. Samuel Alexander, which was read and referred to the committee on Jonas Fauche, which was real and petitions, with the accompanying docu ments

for the appointment of a committee toling documents, be referred to the comprepare and report a bill to amend as builte on the state of the Republic. act, to point out the mode for the collection of rents.

Ordered that Messrs. Pray, Daniel and Montgomery be that committee.

duced a bill to form a new Trigade i of r fleiguns for the use of the militia the counties of Twiggs. Pula-ki, Lau of this state. gens, Telfair and Wilkinson, which Ordered Communities of the whole

Mr. Burnett from the committee resioners of the Glynn county Academy to purchase property at any future Ordered, That Messrs Fort, Hardee, sale of confiscated property, for the use of that institution, which was received

lfirst time.

Mr. Pray from the committee report-Mr. Stevens had leave of absence ed a bill to amend an act to point out the mode for the collection of rents. Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock tomorrow which was received and read the first

> Mr. Owens gives notice that he will on tomorrow move for leave to intro-

Mr Wood presented a petition from nier, which was received, read and re-Mr Wood presented a petition from ferred to the committee on Petitions.

Mr. Lane presented a petition trom

Ordered, that the said petition, together with the one laid before the Mr. Pray agreeably to notice moved last Legislature, and the accompany-

The following bills were severally fread the 2d time, to wit;

One authorising His Excellency the Governor to contract with fit and pro-Mr. Lanter agreeably to notice intro per persons to make a certain number

And, A bill to organize a detach ment of militia which now are or may ee to draw up instructions recommendbe required by this state for the ser | ng to our members in Congress, to use vice of the Union.

effectually securing the probate of wills [ded a committee on their part. limiting the times for Executors to qualify and Widows to make their electi-lutions, to wit: on, and for other purposes; Mr. Tal bot in the Chair; Mr President resum-|Wayne county Academy; ed the Chair, and Mr. Talbot reported progress and had leave to sit again.

The bill to authorise the justices of the Inferior court of Wilkinson countyling the compilation of the Laws and to draw Grand and Petit Jurors for said oncurred Resolutions of this state county, was read the third time and

passed.

A message from the House of Re presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk;

Mr. President;

.The House of Representatives have concurred in the following resolutions, sing Vendue Masters for the City of to wit;

One appointing this day at 12 o'clock for the election of a Brigadier General act, to regulate the granting Certioraof the first Brigade of the 4th Division ries; of militia of this state;

One appointing a justice of the In-Nancy his wife; ferior court of M'Intosh county;

One appointing a justice of the Infe- and Penny his wife, and he withdrew: rior court of Jones county;

pointment of a justice of the Inferior ioned concurred in, except the one on court of Luncoln county;

the perition of sundry inhabitants of the table, and the said bills were sevethe counties of Wilkes, Oglethorpe, rally read the first time Greene, Hancock and Warren, praying A messing from His Exc llency the a new county, and have added a com-Governor by Mr. Porter his Secretary; mittee on their part;

And one appointing a joint commitmeir best endeavors to discontinue any Ordered for committee of the whole commercial intercourse with neutral The Senate resolved itself into allowers, should the present war be procommittee of the whole on the bill more longed with Great Britain, and have ad-

They have passed the following reso-

One appointing commissioners of the

One appointing Justices of the Infe-

rior court of Wayne county;

And one on the subject of the print-

And they have passed the following bills, viz:

A bill to amend the fourth and fifth sections of the third article of the constitution;

A bill to alter the mode of appointbavannah ;

A bill to amend the 5th section of an

A bill to divorce James Minton and

And a bill to divorce Willie Jones

The Senate took up the message. O e confirming the Executive ap- and the several resolutions therein menthe subject of printing the compilation One appointing a joint committee on of laws, which was ordered to lie on

Mr. President;

I am instructed by His Excellency the Georgia Journal, signed "A Citi-Governor to inform the Senate that he zen," stating that a dealer, a citizen has approved of & signed a resolution of this place, has lately bought & obappointing 12 o clock this day for the tained from the Island of Amelia a election of a Brigadier General of the quantity of blankets, and it being confirst Brigade of the 4th Division of the trary to the laws of the Union for any militia of this state, in the room of Bri-person or persons to purchase for or g dier Allen Daniel promoted, and he in behalf the United States from an ewithdrew.

Mr President;

for the purpose of proceeding to the e-in which we are engaged lection of a Brigadier General for the Be it therefore resolved, That a comfirst Brigade of the 4th Division of the mittee be appointed on the part of Semilitia of this state, and he withdrew nate, to join such as may be appointed

presentative Chamber, and being seat on the Editor's of the Georgia Journal ed, proceeded to said election, and only obtain the name of the writer signed counting out the votes, it appeared that "A Citizen." or on any other person or Major Jeptha V. Harris was duly elect-persons in order to obtain information

The Senate then returned to their Chamber, and

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock tomorrow|committee on the part of Senate. morning.

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FRIDAY, 13th November, 1812.

the committee of the whole, on the bild Camden counties, and to add a part of to appoint Port Wardens for the Port Camden to Wayne, which was receivof Savannah, which was agreed to with ed and read the first time. an amendment, and the bill read the 3d time and passed.

On motion of Mr. Pope,

nemy in time of war, any article or A message from the House of Re articles expressly forbidden by the laws presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; of the General Government, unless first captured, condemned and sold for I am directed by the House of Re-the use of the United States and cap-

presentatives to inform the Senate, that tors, and if such violations as above they are now in readiness to receive stated, are winked at, it may be produce. them in the Representative Chamber, live of much evil to the American cause

The Senate then repaired to the Re-by the House of Representatives, to call in the premises.

Ordered, That Messrs. Pope, Irwin, Proctor, Montgomery and Cook be the

Ordered also, That the Secretary. take the said resolution to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Mr. Fort from the committee reported a bill to make known and establish The Senate took up the report of the dividing line between Wiyne and

Mr. Daniel gives notice that he will on tomorrow move for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report a WHEREAS a publication in the bill to add the county of Madison to the

2d Brigade of the 4th Division of the troin the Llouse of Representatives. wilitia of this state.

On motion of Mr. Leigh,

George Allen be, and they are nereby read the first time appointed Trustees of the Richmond county Academy, to fill the vacancies entitled an act, for the relief of Clement occasioned by the removal of Benjamin Lanier & William S. Lancaster, which F. I a ris removed, and William Cum-was received and read the first time. ming refusing to serve.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; amend the 9th section of the 3da: tice

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have was read the first time. passed a bill to divorce and separate Mr Cook agreeably to notice report-Robert Jones and Rachael his wife;

printing the laws and concurred reso and read the first time lutions of the present session, and,

firming the Executive appointment of he second time, to, wit; Richard Holmes and Johnson Strong as Justices of the Inferior court of Ran-land e-prain an act, entitled an act to ledolph county, and he withdrew.

lie on the table.

committee of the whole on the bill to 50 far as relates to costain papers. amend and consolicate the several mil litia laws of this state, and to adapt the! A bill to be entitled, an act for one same to the acts of the Congr. ss of the relief of Benjumin Moore. United states, so far as respects the In- Ordered for committee of the whole. fantry, Artifiery and Rifle corps-Nit. Nessit in the chair; Mr. President re-latives, to be chilled, an act to divorce sum d the chair, and Mr. Nesba reland separate Willie Jones and Penny poried that they had made progress in his wife. so i bill, and requested leave to sata- Urdered for mmittee of the whole.

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The Senate took up the message by his wife.

and concurred in the resolutions therein contained, and the bill to divorce Resolved, That Robert Creswell & Robert To les and Rachael his wife was

Mr Scruggs reported a bill to be

Mr. Owens agreeably to notice in-A message from the House of Re-troduced a bill to be entitled an act, to of the constitution of this state, which

ed a bill to be entitled an act, to amend They have agreed to the report of an act entitled an act, for licensing and the joint committee on the subject of regulating Pedlars, which was received

The Senate took up the bills in or-They have passed a resolution con-der, and the following bills were read

A bul to be entitled an act, to amend ganze and make valid certain acts of Ordered, that the said message do sheriffs and Cierks, and to regulate the a lmission of evidence in the several The Schate resolved itself into a courts or law and Equity in this state,

Ordered for committee of the whole.

A bill from the House of Represen-

a bil from the clouse of depresen-I e Senate took up the report, which hat wes to be entailed an eet to d voice laid's parate James Minton and Nan-

tailives to be envitled, an act to amend Mr. Montgomery in the Chair the 5th section of an act to regulate the President resumed the chair and Mr. grating of certioraries and injunctions (Montgomery reported, that they had passed the 1th December, 1811.

Ordered for committee of the whole lamendment

A bill from the House of Represend tatives to be entitled, an act to alter tuclwas agreed to. mode of appointing Vendue Masters! Whereupon the said bill was read for the city of Savannah.

Ordered for committee of the whole

thorise and request His Excellency in court of Baldwin county to levy an Governor to cause the public arms injectra tax was taken up the third time, the Arsenal at Louisville, to be remo-read and passed under the title aforeved to Milledgeville and to provide for bid their safe keeping.

Ordered for committee of the whole.

lection of rents

Ordered for committee of the whole dec'd.

A bill to be entitled, as act to author rise the Commissioners of the Acade whom was referred the petition of a my of Glynn county to purchase pro-number of the catizens of the county of party at any future sales of confisca lackson, praying that a certain part of ted property for the use of mat institu Jackson county be added to the county tion.

Ordered for committee of the whole. A bill to be entitled, an act to form a new B ig. de in the county of Twigge-

of this state.

Ordered for a third reading.

Undered is a committee of the whole the entitled, an act explanatory of the A bilt from me House of Pepresen-Several Judiciary laws of this state. gone through the same without any

I'ne Senate took up the report which

the third time and passed.

The bill to be entitled, an act to au-A bill to be entilled, an act to au thorize the Justices of the Inferior

On motion of Mr Pray,

Kesolved, that John J. Maxwell be, A bill to amend an act entitled, anland he is hereby appointed a justice act to point out the mode for the cell of the Inferior court for the county of Bryan in place of Thomas Savage,

> Mr Daniel from the committee to of Madison.

REPORTED,

That the prayer of the petition Pulaski, Telfair, Laurens and Wilkin-ought not to be granted, inasmuch as the petitioners wish to include a consi-Ordered for committee of the whole. Iderable number of the citizens of the A bill to be entitled, an act to alter county of Jackson in the county of Maand a nend the 4th and 5th sections dison, who have not signed said petiof the third article of the Constitution and whose wishes and desires on that subject your committee have not lbeen informed, and

The Senue resolved itself into a Therefore refer the petitioners to the committee of the whole on the bill to next General Assembly, by which time the wishes of those citizens may be ler their consideration, and are of opiknown.

agreed to.

Mr Owens introduced a resolution that a committee be appointed on the mond esq. Secretary of State, accompart of Senate to join such committee as panied with a Schedule of books in the may be appointed by the House of Re Secretary of State's Office, which was presentatives, with power to report by read and referred to the committee on bill or otherwise the propriety or impro-the State of the Republic. priety of electing at the present sessi. Mr. Proctor presented a petition from on an Adjutant General for the state Sherwood M'Call, which was read and of Georgia, the present Adjutant ha-referred to a special committee, conving been absent for several months, sisting of Messrs. Proctor, Scruggs, Lau from the duties of his office, and draw nier, M'Call and Byne. en the table.

On motion,

from Senate until Monday next.

morning.

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Michael Whatley, Jacob Gregg, Henry the prayer of the petitioners is reasona-Heald, Robert Pearman and Willis ble, and ought to be granted;" and on Richards, which was read and referred the question to agree to the said amendto the committee on Finance.

ported on the petition of George Mick-Jar- Yeas 6-Nays 28. john, which was read and agreed to and is as follows;

The committee to whom was refer Pa. 68, Swain and Wood. zed the petition of George Micke join, report that they have had the same un-messrs. Blair, Blackman, Duinett,

mon that the prayer of the petitioner is And the said report being read was increasonable, & ought not to be grantled.

A letter was presented from A. Hams

ing at the same time one hundred dol- Mr. Wilkins from the joint commitlars per month for his services, as Ad-tee to whom was referred the petition intant General for the state, which ser-of sundry inhabitants of Columbia vices appear not to be performed, county praying to be added to the counwhich being read was ordered to lie ty of Richmond, reported as follows, to wit:

The joint committee to whom was Mr Tharpe had leave to be absent referred a petition from Columbia county, praying that a part of said county Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock tomorrow should be attached to Richmond county,

REPORT,

That the prayer of the petitioners is unreasonable, and ought not to be SATURDAY. 14th November, 1812 granted, which being read, Mr. Leigh Mr Crane presented a petition from moved to amend the same to read "that ment, it was determined in the negroties, Mr. Owens from the committee reland the year and nays being required.

> Those who voted in the affirmative, are Messrs. Hardee, Lanier, Leigh,

Those who voted in the negative are,

Byne, Cook, Daniel, Fort, Fulwood, was agreed to. Griffin. Hatcher, Hudspeth, Hurt, Irwing Lane, Little, M'Call, M'Intosh, reading. Montgomery, Nesbit, Owens, Pope, Pray, Proctor, Scruggs, Talbot, Ware, committee of the whole on the bill to Watking and Wilkins.

again read and agreed to.

ported as follows, to wit:

The committee to whom was refer |ment. red the petition from a number of citizens residing in Wilkes, Oglethorpe, was agreed to. Greene, Hancock and Warren, praying Whereupon the said bill was read for a new county, Report, that the third time, and on the question prayer of the petitioners cannot be con-shall this bill now pass, the year and veniently granted, which report was navs were, Yeas 19-Navs 16. read and agreed to.

petitions reported as follows, on the pe-Fort, Fulwood. Hardee, Irwin. Lane, uition of Samuel Alexander, to wit:

was referred the petition of Samuel A-Watkins and Wood lexander, report, that from the date of Those was voted in the negative, are the documents, they are of opin on that Messrs. Byne, Cook, Daniel, Griffin, they are under no obligations even to Hatcher, Hudspeth, Hurt, Linde, examinio the merits of the petitioner's Montgomery, Nesbit, Parks Pole, claims, as the application ought to Pray, Scruggs, Ware and Wilkins be to the General Covernment, and There not being the majority requirnot to the Legislature of this state, ed by the constitution, the bill was which record being read, was agreed to lo-t

In a bill to be entitled, an act to dil vorce and separate Nobert I mas and orimittee of the whole on the bill to Eachael his wife was read the second-livorce Wiley Jones and Penny his

n contractors of the whole on the said/through the same without any amendbli. M. Pray in the chair. Mr Presi ment; dem re-aimed the chair and Mr Pray The Senate took up the report, which reported that they had gone trough the was agreed to. came vitrour any amendment

And the said bill ordered for a third

The Senate resolved itself into a divorce William Graddy and Sarah Whereupon the original report was his wife—Mr. Owens in the chair, Mr. President resumed the chair, and Mr. Mr. Nesbit from the committee re-Owens reported, that they had gone through the same without any amend.

The Senate took up the report which

Those who voted in the affirmative, Mr Scruggs from the committee on are Messrs. Blair. Blackman, Burnett, Lanier, Leigh, M'Call, M'Intosh, Ow-The committee on petitions to whomlens, Proctor, Stevens, Swain, Talbot.

The Senase resolved itself into a wile—Mr sievens in the cirur, Mr. Ordered for committee of the whole President resumed to e chair, and Mr. The Senate then resolved itself into devens reported, that they had gone

Whereupon the said bill was read The leave took up the report which be third time, and on the question. shall this bill now pass, the year and line and Word.

nays were called for, which are as fol-, Mr. Bleir from the committee reports lows, to wit—Yeas 17 -Nays 17. ed a bill to compel slave owners to pay

Those who voted in the afformative, tax for slows in the county where they are Messrs Elair, Blackman, Dunnett, reside, which was received and read Fort, Hardee, Irwin, Lone, Lanier, Methe first time. Call, M'Intosh. Owens, Pope. Stevens, The following bills were severally Swain, Talbot, Watkins and Wood.

- Those who voted in the negative, are Messrs Byne, Cook, Daniel, Ful and regulating Pedlars. wood, Gaffin, Hatcher, Hudspell, Ordered for committee of the whole. Hurt, Leigh, Little, Montgomery, Nessy A bill to make known and establish bit, Parks, Pray, Scruggs, Ware and the dividing line between Camden and Wilkins.

There not being a majority of two Camden to Wayne. thirds as required by the constitution in cases of divorce, the bill was lost.

Mr Daniel offered the following re- nier and William S. Lancaster. solution;

Resolved, that it is the sense of this Senate, that the increasing number of the sd article of the constitution of this applications to the Legislature for acts state. of divorce, proves that such acts are im politic, and if not checked in their pro rage vice and immorality, and that all'alter and amend the experal judiciary divorce bills do he on the table for the laws new in force in this state, so far as question to agree to the same, it was the chair, Mr. President resumed the determined in the negative, and the yeas chair, and Mr Cook reported progress, and nays being required, are Yeas 16 and had leave to sit again. Navs 19.

are Messrs. Byne, Cook, Daniel, Grif-mend an act, entitled an act, to incorfin, Hatcher, Hudspetn, Hurt, Little, porate a company for the purpose of o-M'Call, Montgomery, Nesbit, Parks, pening Ogechee river from the mouth Pray, Scruggs, Ware and wilkins.

Lanier, Leigh, M'Intosh, Owens, Pope, chair, and Mr Lane reported progress Proctor, Stevens, Swain, Talbot, Wat-and had leave to sit again.

Iread the second time, to wit:

A bill to amend an art, for licensing

Wayne counties, and to add a part of

Ordered for a 3d reading

A bill for the relief of Clemen: La-

-Ordered for committee of the whole. And a bill to alter the 9th section of

Owlered fee committee of the whole. The Senate resolved itself into a gress, will tend very much to encou committee of the whole on the bill to remainder of the session, and on the respects Justices courts-Idr. Cook in

The Senate received itself into a Those who voted in the affirmative, committee of the whole on the bill to aof Canuchee to the mouth of Rocky Those who voted in the negative, are Comfort, and for the improvement of Messrs. Blair, Blackman, Burnett, the navigation thereof-Mr. Lane in Fort, Fulwood, Hardee, Irwin, Lane, the chair, Mr President resumed the

was amended to read as follows, and idented so for as respects the report of agraed to.

have leave to sit again in Jane next.

On motion,

Mr. Pope had leave of absence 'dll Monday next, and Mr. Burnett and Mr. hable. Fort 'till Tuesday next

on Monday next, move for leave to re-and town of Waynesborough, which port a bill, to form a new county out of was received, read and referred to a spethe counties of Montgomery and Bull out compatite consisting of Massrs.

Mr. Cook moved for the appointment of a committee to prepare and report alto a committee of the whole on the bill Ell to after and amend the 24th section to amend and consolidate the several of the first article of the constitution of milital laws of this state, and to adapt this state.

and Montgomery be that committee

ed for the appointment of a committee de it resumed the chair, and Ir Talto prepare and report a bill, to add tae bot reported progress and had leave county of Midson to the second Brills sit again

vills state. Fins and Little be tast committee

morning.

Tlorbar, 13th November, 1812. On motion of Mr. Byae,

respirats the report of the committee on mendments me petition of thoorge. Micklejohn was

Oldered that the same do lie on thi eable.

()n motion of Mr. Leigh,

The Senate took up the report, which The Fournal of Saturday was reconlthe jas committee on the petition of That they have made progress, and the manbatans of the lover part of Co. llumbia county, praying to be applied to the county of Richmond

Ordered, that the same do lie on the

Mr Byne presented a pedition from Mr M'Call gives notice that he wilding Commissioners of the Academy Byne, Hurt and Wood.

The Senate again resolved itself in. the same to the acts of the Congress of Ordered, that Alossus Cook, Stevens the United States, so far as respects the Infastry, Amillery and Rifle corps. Mr Diniel agreeably to nonce mov Mr Talbot in the chair. Mr Presi-

galls of the ach Division of the militia of The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to Ordered, that Messes. Daniel, Wat land holse His recellency the Governor forthy and to contract with fit and Adjourned tell 10 c'clock Monday], roper persons to make a certain numper of 1. He gans with the apparatus phereto belonging for the use of the reditia of this same. Afr Wood in the Ale President resumed the Chair. chair, and Mr. Wood reported that they

The Journal of Saturday, so far as had gone through the some with a-

The Senate took up the report which was read a ordered to lie on the table.

A message from Mis Excellency the Covernor by Mr. Porter his Secreta-}---

-Mr. President;

the Governor to inform the Senate that Reuben D'Jarnette and James B. Clophe has approved of and signed sundry on, Esquires, resigned—and resolutions which originated in this One appointing sames Pittman, Geo. branch of the Legislature, to wit;

Inferior court and Justices of the Peace|quires, Commissioners of the Acadein 'l'Intosh county, to confine in the my of madison county, and authorising Jail at Darien in said county all crimi-them to purchase at any future sales nals, until a county Jail is erected.

Thomas Garnett, Esquires, Lumber-fiscated property. Measurers for the city of Savannah.

One appointing Malcom Buie, Es-morning. quire, a Justice of the Interior court of Famall county vice M'Keen Green, removed.

One appointing Francis Jeter, Fsq. a Notary Public for the county of Baidwin.

One appointing Harris Allen and Alexandr Greene, Esquires, Vendue Holland M'Tyre be, and they are here Masters for the Town of Milledgevale.

One appointing Morgan Brown, Esquire, a Notary-Public for the county signation of John Course and John Wilof Washington and town of Sanders-son. ville

One appointing Paul Peter Thomasson, a Notary Public for the county of Chatham and city of Savannah.

One appointing James Frazer and Thomas Barrett, Esquires, Vendue masters for the city of Augusta

One confirming the Executive appointment of Ruesa Bostwick, Esquire, he state of the republic, reported in as a Justice of the Inferior court of part, which was read and ordered to lie Barke county vice Doctor Southworth of the table. Harrow removed

pointment of William Wilkins & John of the counties of Bulloch and Mentgo.

J Smith, Esquires, ss Justices of the In-I am instructed by His Excellency Ferior court of Putnam county, vice

therhart, Nathan M roney, George One authorising the Justices of the Christian and James Thompson, Esof confiscated property the amount of One appointing Ephraim Brown and one thousand pounds worth of con-

Adjourned 'till 10 o'clock tomorrow

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TUESDAY, 7th November, 1812,

On motion of Mr Leigh;

Resolved, that Valentine Walker & y appointed justices of the Inferior yours for the county of Richmond, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the re-

Mr Byne from the committee report. d a bill to authorize the Commission. rs of Wayne-boro' in B irke county to lispose of two hundred acres of land belonging to the Academy adjusting he town commons, which was receivdin I read the first time.

Mr Lanier from the committee on

mr Blackman from the committee re-One confirming the Executive applicated a bit to form a new county one the first time.

He also reported a bill to add parof the commies of Yellaur and Tatna to that of montgomery, which was re ceived and read the first time.

The fell to alker and amend the 3d the constitution of this state, was read the third time, & on the question, shal this bill now pass? it was determined in the affirmative, and the yeas it nay. being required are, Yeas 29—Nays 7

Those who voted in the affirmative, are, Messrs Blair, Blackman, Purnett Cook, Crane, Fort, Falwood, Griffin reported that they had gone through Hardie, Flatcher, Irwin. Lane, Lanier, he same with an amendment. Leigh, Little, M-Call, M-Intosh, Mon gomery, Nesbit, Owens, Parks, Pope Scruggs, Swain, Tharpe, Ware, Eatkins, Wilkins and Wood.

raessrs. Byne, Hudspeth, Hurt, Pray | hat all debts contracted for rents shall Proctor, "tevens and Talbot.

in the resolution from the Mouse offlast session for the collection of rents Representatives, on the subject of be, and the same is hereby repealed" printing a compliation of the laws and Andon the question to agree to the same concurred regolations of this state.

Reuben moore & me from Wm. Stobo. Yeas 7-Nays 29. tylach were severally read and referred messrs. Bync, Irwin and McCall.

ur. Hardee gives notice that he willkins. on tomorrow move for leave to intro-St. Mary's.

comorrow move for leave to introduce alSwain, Tharpe, Ware, Watkins & Wood

mary, which was received and read bill to repeal an act, inflicting penalties n certain persons therein named, so par as respects the banishment of Ed. vard Pilcher, sembt.

mr Fulwood gives notice that he will on tomorrow move for leave to introduce a bill, to incorporate the town of and 6th sections of the third article of Dublin, in the country of Laurens, and o appoint commissioners for said town.

The begate resolved itself into a comnittee of the whole on the bill to amend in act, to point out the mode for the offection of rents, passed 16th Dec'r, 811—mr Byne in the chair, mr Presitent resumed the chair, and Mr Byne

The Senate took up the report, which being read,

Mr Hudspeth moved the following clause as an amendment to the report, I hose who voted in the negative archo wit—" And be it further enacted, he placed upon the same footing of o-The Send e took up and concurred ther debts, and that the act passed the lit was determined in the negative, and mr. Byne presented a publion from the year and mays being required, are

Those who voted in the affirmative, to a special committee consisting of are messrs Blackman, Hudspeth, Little, M'Call, montgomery, Talbot and Wil-

Those who voted in the negative, are duce a bill to amend an act, entitled an messrs Blair, Byne, Burnett, Cook, act, to amend an act, to amend and re [Crane, Fort, Fulwood, Griffin, Hardee, vise an act, to incorporate the town of Hatcher, Hurt, Irwin, Lane, Lanier Leigh, м'Intosh, Nesbit, Owens, Parks, Mr Fort gives notice that he will on Pope, Pray, Proctor, Scruggs, Stevens.

Ordered, that said report do lie onfroad, &c. and, the able.

mittee of the whole on the bill to amendiar as respects the operation of said acts the 5th section of an act to regulate an in the counties of Bryan, Liberty, M'act granting Certioraries and injuncti lintosh, Glynu, Camden and Wayne. ons, passed 16th December, 1811,mr Irwin in the chair resumed the Chair and Mr Irwin report llution appointing an Interpreter of Foed, that the further consideration of reign Languages; and,

was read and agreed to.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; he withdrew.

Mr. President;

concurred in the resolution appointing first time. a joint committee to wait on the Edi | Mr Lanier from the committee on tors of the Georgia Journal, to obtain the state of the Republic reported as folthe name of the writer signed, "A Ci-llows, to wit: tizen," in a late publication in that pa- The committee on the State of the Reper, and have added a committee on public to whom was referred docume. 13 their part.

A bill to incorporate the town of Sandersville, in the county of Washington;

ferson, in the county of Jackson;

portion of militia of Camden county, at present, with every sentiment of dethe town-of St. Mary's;

St. Mary's in Camden county

the Inferior court of Clark county to gressions by Spain upon the commerce, levy an extra tax, for the purpose of the rights, and the dignity of the Unitbuilding bridges;

A bill to amend an act, to amend the The Senate resolved itself into a com-several road acts regulating roads, so

> Iney have agreed to the amend-Mr Presiden ment made by the Senate to the reso-

said bill be postponed until June next | They have concurred in the resolu-The Senate took up the report, which tion from Senate, confirming the Exlecutive appointment of a Justice of the A message from the House of Re-Inferior court for Morgan county, and

The Senate took up the message, and The House of Representatives have the said bills were severally read the

No. 1 & 2, on the subject of East Floa They have passed the following bills, rida, beg leave to submit the following memorial as their Report;

To the Congress of the United States.

The Legislature of the state of Geor-A bill to incorporate the town of Jef-gia having taken into their consideration on, the relations between the Province A bill to authorize the musters of a of East Florida and the state they referrence and respect, submit to the A bill to authorize Sheriff's sales at consideration of your honorable body, their memorial and remonstrance

A bill to amend an act, to authorize The numerous and multiplied agled States, since the ratification of the A bill to authorize the opening of a Treaty, concluded between the two goroad from Fancy Bluff, to the main post vernments on the 20th of Oct'r 795, which wrongs are yet tracticessed, &consideration of the following facts: her spoliations on our commerce yet 1st. That the port and island of A. unatoned for; and since the purchase melia belonging to the province of East of Louisiana by the United States from Florida is a rendezvous for smugglers. France, with the same limits and boun whose patriotism has long since been daries as celled to France by Spain, that prostrated at the shrine of avarice, and government has uniformly refused who by ministering to their own rapaand does now forcibly retain possessi-lotty, violate the laws of the Union, and on of a part of said territory, including strengthen the enemy by treasonably the town of Mobile, obviously within affording him aid and comfort, therethe limits of said territory thus pur-by prolonging the war, which the inchased, in violation of that good faith justice and oppression of Great Britain which should always subject between has compelled the United States to denations not at war with each other; clare against her and that the government of Spain being 2d That by suffering the province now in the hands of a Regency, not re- of East Florida to remain in the posescognized by the United States as legi sion of Spain during the present contest

and that the government of Spain being now in the hands of a Regency, not recognized by the United States as legitatimate authority; independently of this, the alliance between Spain and Great with Great Britain, with whose government Spain is in intimate alliance, we Britain, with whom we are now at war, renders it in the opinion of your merenders it in the opinion of your merenders, highly expedient, nay, indispensably necessary, that your homorable body should adopt efficient acting in conjunction with their savage norable body should adopt efficient evitably eventuate in the destruction of the United States to take immediate possession of the province of East Florida, as well as that portion of West Florida, but still retained by Spain. The contiguity of the province of East Florida to the state petent force.

they represent, together with the influence which it has had, and may have together be it has had, and may have force, either British or Spanish, occumpon the Indians within the boundary pying East Florida and the island of Cuba at the same time, the whole trade of the western states bordering on the Mississippi, must be totally annihilated; that being the key to the entrance of the Mississippi and being in possession of the enemy, our vessels would have together being the sail around the island of Hispaniola, impelled to this recommendation from a which would expose them to the dare

ger of falling inevitable victims to Bri for and protected; but that a general tish cruisers.

sume to enter into a further detail of vince to take protection in the fort, and facts, which are so well known to your they will be furnished with arms and honorable body, and by whom they implements of war, necessary for the trust so justly appreciated, believing as execution of their nefarious purpothey do, that every friend to the peace ses. and safety of this country will cordial- Your memorialists would further ly unite in effectuating an object by state, that nothing but that reverential which the chances of speedily terminat respect which they have ever felt, now ing the war, will be so greatly multi-feel, and will ever feel for the Constiplied.

provisions of the Constitution of the manifold injuries they have received United states, forbid any state from and so long supported from the miniengaging in war unless actually inva lons of that corrupt and corrupting Proded or in such imminent danger as vince. And should the period ever will not admit of delay. That this arrive (which they pray Heaven to adanger exists, and that the persons and vert) when the constituted authorities property of citizens resident in the of the United States shall deny them south eastern section of the state they that aid which the safety, the honor represent, cannot be considered safe and interests of the southern frontier while the war continues with England, of the Union, the state they represent, and East Florida remains in the pos-so imperiously require; they will deepded by the murder of one man and the which God and nature has placed withwounding another within the limits of in their reach, to demand that jurice the state of Georgia, by the Indians re from their insolent oppressors, which minality of the act (they beg leave to hands

ask) between the commission of a And the same being read, was agreed crime by the subjects of Spain in East to.

Flor da, and its commission by a peo | The Senate resolved itself into a ple resident in their Provin e, and committee of the whole on the bill to whom they supply with arms, ammu authorise & requar His Excellency the nition and provedion? That this is Governor to a use the public a most the fact cannot, will not be denied, this state to be removed from the arsewhen it is recollected that not only the nal at Louisvill, to Milledgeville, and Indians in the Province are provided to provide for their safe keeping-Min.

invitation has issued from the fortress * Your memorialists would not pre at Augustine to the blacks in the Pro-

tution of these states, has thus long Your memorialits are aware that the prevented them from avenging the session of Spain her ally. That thelly regret the necessity, which shall sovereignty of the state has been inva compel them to resort to those means siding in the province of East Florida the duty they owe to themselves, their And where is the difference in the cri country and posterity requires at their

teer corns in any part of the state or mi-number of Rifle-guns, and the same belitia of the line, not exceeding one thirdle g read, was agreed to. thereof, as he may think sufficient to Whereupon the said bill was read chastise the violent aggressions alrea-like third lime and passed. dy committed by any Indian on our Mr Nesbit presented a petition from borders, or which may hereafter be David Speer, which was read and recommitted by them. The service of ferred to a special committee said troops and the payment thereof to Ordered. That Mess s Nesbit, Talbe regulated in such manner as is bot and Cook be that committee. pointed out by the laws of the United. The Senate again resolved itself into States in similar cases; and also, that'a committee of the whole on the bill to he be authorised to take such mea be entitled an act, to amend and conso sures as he may deem proper and ne-lidate the several militia laws of this quisite to open a path or road leading state—Mr. Cook in the chair; Mr Prefrom any part of the said frontiers to sident resumed the chair and Mr Cook Trader's Hill, or any other path or road reported, that they had gone through In the Indian territory, which may by the bill and made sundry amendments. him be considered necessary to the pro | The Senate took up the report, and secution and accomplishment of the ob-line amendments were agreed to. ject above expressed.

Mr Hatcher presented sundry peti for a third reading. tions from the inhabitants of Wilkin | Mr. Montgomery from the select son county, which were read and refer committee to whom was recommitted red to a special committee.

Grithn and Fulwood be that committee. of the county of Glynn to purchase pro-

from John A Williams, which was perty, for the use of that institution, read and referred to Messrs. Scruggs. Lanter & Phorpe, a committee to report a bill to be emitted an act, to repeal an by bill or otherwise.

titled an act, to amend an act, entilled to the state shall be disposed of. passan act, to amend and revise an act, toled on the 20th December 1792, which incorporate the town of St. Mary's, pas was received and read the first time. sed the 10th day of December 1804, Mr. Fulwood reported a pill to incorwhich was received and read the first porate the town of Dublin, which was

The 'enate took up the report of the committee of the whole on the bill toll resentatives by Mr. Holitheir clerk; be emitted an act, to amborise the God Mr. President:

Cavalry, to be taken from the volun |vernor to contract for making a certain

Ordered, That the bill be engrossed

the bill to be entitled an act, to autho-Ordered, That Messrs. Hatcher, rise the commissioners of the Academy Mr. Series presented a petition/perty at any sales of confiscated pro-

REPOR FED act, entitled an act, to point out the Mr. Hardee reported a bill to be en-mode under which property reverting

becseived and read the first time.

A message from the House of Re-

The House of Representatives have National Government in this second passed a bill for the alleviation of debt | ontest, with the haughty and oppresors, and he withdrew

The 'enate took up the message, and the said bill was read the first time

port: d as follows;

of the United States.

Gentlemen,

gal, under the sanction and authority ving armies of England in the Spanish Empire, or colonies thereof. In feed tween those countries and united A. ing therefore the armies of England in merica? Spain and Portugal, or any other pre

sive monarchy of England.

The people of this state are known to be zealously devoted to the Repub-Mr. M'intosh from the committee re-lican institutions of their country, as well as to their present rulers and ad-To the Senators and Representatives of ministration, and are prepared at all the State of Georgia, in the Congress hazards to sacrifice their lives and their tortunes in the present confest with the enemy. But the Legislature of The General Assembly of the State becorgia would again beg leave to ask, of Georgia beg leave through you, gen-hrough you gentlemen, of what avail tlemen, to remonstrate against the rade those efforts will be, if opposed by avanow carried on with Spain and Portu Elcious speculators supplying the starof law, and for these obvious reasons; Peninsula? Would not the British that Spain and Portugal are allies of Government sacrifice, readily sacrifice Great-Britain, occupied by her troops, her possessions on this continent, if and as much dependant upon the pow permitted to maintain its ground in er and influence of Great-stritain, as if Spain and Portugal, through the facilthey were component sections of her ties of a commercial intercourse be-

The General Assembly of Georgia tended neutral power in alliance with can neither comprehend, or accede to or dependant upon the energies of the policy which suffers that inter-Great Britain, is indirectly supporting ourse. In its effects it operates exthat government, or supplying it wit clusively to the ruin of the interior a. the means (not otherwise to be obtain griculturalists, and of all the patriotic ed of protracting the just and necessa-farmers & planters of the U.S. who will ry war in which our republic is now en hot, or are not disposed to consent to gaged, to an indefinite extent; and at the exportation of rice, flour, grain or the same time, exhibiting to the worldother bread stuffs and provisions to the the curious spectacle of one bellige said countries occupied by British arrent generously aiding the efforts of the mies, and can only be promotive of the opposing belligerent; the trade to these views and interest of a class of specuallies of Great Britain, is not, and can-lators with whom all forms of governnot be countenanced or tolerated by ment are the same, and who are ever that portion, and it may be added, that ready to erect their fortunes upon the overwhelming majority of the citizens ruins of justice and the nation; with of these United States, who have sup these statements before you, gentleported and will continue to support our men, emanating from this source, you

are hereby requested, for and in beha' of the state of Georgia, to remonstrate against any measure which has, or may be taken, to legalise the intercourse re ferred to; and also to use your best exertions to inhibit it by an act of Con gress of the United States.

on the table

tomorrow morning.

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THURSDAY, 19th November, 1812 fution, to wit;

pointed forthwith to call on the State-|sed under the title thereof, and Printers to request & direct that -- Ordered, That the Secretary doincopies of the Alleviating Law, be im-in-diately take the said bill to the House mediately struck off for the use of the of Representatives. members of the ———

same, it was determined in the negationalter the mode of appointing Vendue tive, and the year and mays being re-Masters for the City of Savannah-Mr. quired, are yeas 16, nays 19.

Fulwood, Hurt, Irvin. Lane, Leigh, gain. Nesbit, Parks, Pray, Stevens, Swain, Talbot, Ware and Wood.

Messrs Blair, Byne, Cook, Crane an act, entitled an act, to legalize and Griffin, Hardie, Hatcher, Hudspeth, make valid certain acts of Sheriffs and Lamer, Little, M'Call, M'Intosh, clerks, and to regulate the admission of Montgomery, Owens, Pope, Proctor evidence in the several courts of law Tharpe, Watkins and e ilkins.

esceived and read the first time.

Mr Fort agreeable to notice introdued a bill for inflicting penalties on cerain persons therein named, so for as espects the banishment of Edward Pilcher, which was received and read he first time.

Mr Lanier gives notice, that he will Which being read was ordered to lie on tomorrow move for the appointment of a committee, to p epare and re-Adjourned 'till half after 9 o'clock port a bill for the rehei of Francis Flournoy.

The bill to be entitled an a *, to a. mend and consolidate the several militialews of this state, and to adopt the same to the acts of the Coursess of the Mr Lane moved the following reso United States, so far as respects the Infantry, Artillery and Reflecorps, was Resolved, that a committee be ap-laken up, read the third time, and pas-

The Senate again resolved itself in-And on the question to agree to the lo a committee of the whole on the bill Scruggs in the chair; Mr. President re-Those who voted in the affirmative sumed the chair, and Mr. Scruggs reare Messrs Blackman, Burnett, Fort, ported progress, and had leave to sit a-

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be Those who voted in the negative are entitled an act, to amend and explain land equity in this state, so far as relates Mr Byne from the committee re to certain papers-Mr I eigh in the ported a bill for the relief of William chair; Mr. President resumed the chair Stobo and Reuben Moore, which was and Mr. Leigh reported that they had gone through the bill without any z-

mendment.

The Senate took up the report which being amended, the bill was read the Messra Blackman, Byne, Burnett, third time and passed under the title Fort, Fulwood, Hardee, Hurt, Irwin, aforesaid

committee of the whole on the bill for Talbot, Watkins and Wood. the relief of William S. Lancaster and C' ment Lanier, Mr Hudspeth in and read the third time, and on the the chair. Mr President resumed the question, shall this bill now pass, it was chair and Mr Hudspeth reported that determined in the affirmative, and the they had gone through the bill with an year and nays being required, are Year amendment.

agreed to the amendment, and the said are Messrs. Blair, Blackman, Burnett, bill was read the third time and pas Cook, Crane, Fort, Fulwood, Hardee,

committee of the whole on the bill to Pope, Pray, Proctor, Stevens, Swain, alter the 9th section of the third article Talbot, Watkins, Wilkins and Wood. of the Constitution of this state Mr sumed the chair and Mr Byne report gomery, Parks, Scruggs, Tharpe and ed that they had gone through the bill Wood. with an amendment.

On motion of Mr Montgomery that the following clause be inserted as an amendment to the bill, viz.

shall be considered as authorising the to point out the mode for the collectioffending party to intermarry a second on of rents, which being read, was atime:"

And on the question to agree, it was determined in the negative; and the the 5d time and passed. yeas and nays being required, are yeas | Mr. Stevens presented a petition from 15, nays 21.

Those who voted in the affirmative, Savannah, and are Messrs. Blair, Cook, Crane, Griffin, Mr Proctor presented a memorial Hatcher Hudspeth, Little, M'Call, M. from the City of Savannah, which were Intosh, Montgomery, Nesbit, Scruggs, severally read and referred to the com-

Tharpe, Ware and Wilkins.

Those who voted in the negative, are Lane, Lanier, Leigh, Owens, Parks, The Senate resolved itself into a Pope, Pray, Proctor, Stevens, Swain,

> Whereupon the bill was taken up 27-Nays 9

The Senate took up the report and These who voted in the affirmative, Hudspeth, Hurt, Irwin, Lane, Lanier, The Senate resolved itself into a Leigh, Little, MIntosh, Nesbit, Owens,

Those in the negative, are Messrs. Byne in the chair. Mr President re-Byne, Griffin, Hatcher, M'Call, Mont-

The bill to be entitled an act, to al-The Senate took up the report—leviate the condition of debtors was taken up and read the second time.

Ordered for committee of the whole. The Senate took up the report of lihe committee of the whole, on the bill "But no suit, judgment or divorce to be entitled an act, to amend an act, mended and agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read

Reuben S. Saffold, Health Officer of

The bill to be entitled an act, to an line amendment was agreed to thereise the commissioners of Wavnes | Whereupon the said bill was read the bero' in Burke county, to dispose of 3d time and passed. two Landred acres of 'and belonging to A message from the House of Rethe Academy adjoining the town com presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; mon was taken up and read the second time.

Ordered for 3d reading

ported a bill to be entitled an act, to authorise J hn A. Williams to erect : first time

Mr Owens agreeably to the recon zideration of the minutes on the petiti on of George Mickleichn, moved that morning. the minutes be amended so as to per mit him to report the following bill;

A bill to be entitled an act, to autho give the commissioners of the town of Mr Burnett presented a petition from Milledgeville, to lay off & lease a parcel John M'Kinnon, which being read, of land to Feorge Micklejohn, for the was referred to the committee on the purpose of erecting a Tann-yard, which State of the Republic. was read the 1st time

duced a bill for the relief of Davidrise the service of ---- hundred Speci, which was read the 1st time

The bill to be entided an act, to makeled and read the first time.

committee of the whole on the bill to Ford's shoots. amendment.

mittee on the State of the Republic. | The Senate took up the report, and

Mr President;

The House of Kepresentatives have bassed a resolution appointing Tho-Mr Scruggs from the committee re has H. Penn a Notary Public for the leity of Au usta & county of Richmond;

And have agreed to a remonstrance furry at the town of Hariford, on the lot the Senators and Representatives of O mulgee river, which was read the this state in the Congress of the Unit-1rd States, and he withdrew.

Ordered to lie on the table.

Adjourned 'ull 10 o'clock tomorrow

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FRIDAY, 20th November, 1812.

Mr. Lanier from the committe re-Mr Nesbit agreeably to notice intro ported a bill to amend an act, to authomounted Riflemen, which was receive

known and establish the dividing line. Mr. Blackman gives notice that he between Camden and Wayne counties [will on tomorrow move for the appointand to dad a part of Camden to Wayne, ment of a committee to prepare and rewas taken up, read the 3d time & passed port a bill authorising Batt Wyche to

The Senate resolved itself into a creet a mill on the Oconee river, at

be entitled an act, to regulate and light The Cenate resolved itself into a a nie Pedlars-Mr. Watkins in the committee of the whole on the bill to wher; Mr. President resumed the alleviate the condition of debtors; Mr. abair, and Mr Watkins reported that Talbot in the chair; Mr President rethey had gone through the bill with an sumed the chair, and Mr Talbot reportled progress, and had leave to sit again.

Mr Owens gives notice that he will on The bill to be entitled an act, to atomorrow move for leave to intoduce a mend an act, entitled an act, to amend bill to authorise the Inferior court of the several road acts in this state

Baldwin county to draw Grand & Petit Jurors for said county, and to correct

the jury box.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill for Owens in the chair; Mr President re county at the town of St. Mary's. sumed the chair, and Mr Owens reported that they had gone through the bill without any amendment.

Whereupon the said bill was read county of Jackson.

the third time and passed.

The bill to be entitled an act, to compel slave-owners to give in and pay tax-Sandersville in the county of Washinges on all slaves where such may reside, ton was taken up and read the 2d time.

Ordered for committee of the whole. part of the counties of Tatnall and post road. Telfair, to that of Montgomery county, was taken up and read the second time

Ordered for a third reading.

The bill to form a new county out of Chatham the counties of Bulloch and Montgo. mery, was taken up & read the 2d time.

Ordered for committee of the whole. acts of this state

The bill to be entitled an act, to amend an act, authorising the Inferior court of Clark county to levy an extra act, to revise and amend an act, to intax, was read the 2d time.

Ordered for a 3d reading.

The President of Senate having stated a necessity for him to be absent for Dublin, in the county of Laurens. a few days, the Hon. Jared Irwin was mominated, and took the chair as Pre sident pro tem.

And the following bills were taken up and read the 2d time.

Ordered for committee of the whole. The bill to authorise Sheriff's sales at St. Mary's in Camden county.

Ordered for a 3d reading.

The bill to authorise the mustering the relief of Benjamin Moore; Mr. of a portion of the militia of Camden

Ordered for committee of the whole. The bill to be entitled an act, to incorporate the town of Jefferson in the

Ordered for committee of the whole. The bill to incorporate the town of

Ordered for a 3d reading.

The bill to authorise the opening of The bill to be entitled an act, to add a road from Fancy Bluff, to the main

> Ordered for committee of the whole. The bill to authorise Sherod M'-Call to open a road from High Bluff through the counties of Effingham and

Ordered for a third reading.

The bill to repeal the confiscation

Ordered for committee of the whole. The bill to amend an act, entitled an corporate the town of St. Mary's.

O: dered for a third reading

The bill to incorporate the town of

Ordered for a third reading

The bill for the relief of Bavia Speer.

Ordered for committee of the whole. The bill to repeal an act, en it's !

... act for inflicting penatties on certain isons therein named, so far as res jects the banishment of Edward Pil-Mr President, and cher, Sen'r.

Ordered for committee of the whole Mr Speaker, and Gentlemen of the

The bill to authorise the Commis sioners of the town of Milledgeville to George Micklejohn for a Tan Yard

Ordered, for committee of the whole The bill trauthorise the Commissi oners of Waynesborough in Burkcounty to dispose of 200 acres of land belonging to the Academy.

Ordered for a third reading.

The bill for the relief of William Stobo and Reuben Moore.

Ordered for a third reading.

John B'Queen, which was read and re-latter & amend an act for the more effecacred to a special committee.

Prootor, Stevens and Burnett be that if and Widows to make their election. committee.

committee of the whole on the bill tolgomery reported, that they had gone be entitled an act, to repeal an act, to through the same with an amendmake permanent the site of the public ment buildings of Telfair—Mr. Cook in the chair; Mr. President resumed the was read and agreed to. chair, and Afr Cook reported, that they had gone through the same with an a-time and passed. mendment

was agreed to.

the third time and passed.

received from His Excellency the Go-hators and Representatives of the state vernor by Mr. Freeman his Secreta-of Georgia, to obtain by act of Con-177

Executive Department, Georgia, Milledgeville, 20th Nov'r, 1812.

Gentlemen of the Senate, and House of Kepresentatives,

The last mail brought me a letter lay off and lease a parcel of land to from Col. Hawkins, enclosing a comnunication from the National Council of the Creek Indians, copies of which lay before you.

D B. MITCHELL.

And the same being taken up and ead, was together with the documents therein referred to,

Ordered to be referred to the committee on the state of the Republic.

The Senate again resolved itself into Mr Pray presented a petition from a committee of the whole on the bill to tually securing the Probate of Wills, Ordered, that Messrs Pray, Talbot, "imiting the time of Executors to quair-Mr Montgomery in the chair. Mr Pre-The Senate resolved itself into assident resumed the Chair & Mr Mont-

The Senate took up the report, which

Whereupon the bill was read the 3d

The Senate took up the message The Senate took up the report, which from the House of Representatives of yesterday, and the resolution appoint-Whereupon the said bill was readling a Notary Public for the city of Augusta was concurred in; and also the The following communication was remonstrance addressed to the Segress an inhibition of trade to Spain and Postugal was concurred in.

on tomorrow move for leave to report on from Jacob Pearson, which being a bill for the relief of William Wilson read, was referred to the committee on Zachariah Beall and Thomas M'Dade. the state of the Republic.

Mr. Owens agreeably to notice intro duced a bill, to authorise the commissioners of Milledgeville to lease four the House of Representatives, that the acres of land to Overoff Jordan, which Hon. William Rabun, President of the was received and read the first time.

ed for the appointment of a committee Hon. Jared Irwin, their President pro to prepare and report a bill for the re-frem. lief of Francis Flournoy

Lane and Ware be that committee.

On motion,

the remainder of the session; Mc again. Ware till Monday; Mr. Fulwood till Tuesday, and Mr Byne till Wednes |the state of the Republic, reported on t'ay next.

tomorrow morning.

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SATURDAY, 21st November, 1812.

On motion of Mr. Pray,

The Journal of yesterday, so far asimen. respects the petition of John M'Queen was reconsidered,

ferred to the committee on the State lease four acres of land to Overoff Jor-

of the Republic.

Mr. Leigh agreeably to notice reported a bill for the relief of William Wilson, Zachariah Beall and I homas ation of the bill authorising John A. M'Il de, which was received and read Williams to ere a terry at the town of the first time.

On metion,

Monday morning next.

Mr. Leigh gives notice that he will Mr. Montgomery presented a petiti-

On motion of Mr Byne,

Resolved that the Secretary inform |Señate, has had leave of absince, and Mr. Lanier agreeably to notice moy that the Senate has made choice of the

The Senate again resolved itself in-Ordered, That Messrs. Lanier to a committee of the whole on the bill to alleviate the condition of debtors— Mr Talbot in the chair; Mr President Mr. Hardee and Mr. M'Intosh had resumed the chair, and Mr Talbot releave of absence after tomorrow for ported progress, and had leave to sit

Mr Lanier from the committee on the petition of Harmon Courter, which Adjourned 'till half past 9 o'clock was read and ordered to lie on the ta-

The following bills were severally taken up and read the second time, to wit:

A Lill to authorise the service of — -- mounted rise, sword or spear-

Ordered for committee of the whole. And a bill to authorise the commis-And ordered that said petition be re sioners of Miliedgeville to lay off and ldan.

> Ordered for committee of the whole. Ordered, That the further consider-Hartford be postponed till June next.

The bill to amend an act, to autho-Me Thange had leave of absence till rise the Inferior court of Clark county lio levy an exim tax for the purpose of the 4th December 1811;

The bill to amend an act, to reviseed progress, and had leave to sit again. and amend an act, to incorporate the town of St Mary's;

to open and keep in repair a road from the several road acts regulating roads High Bluff on the Ogeobee river, through this state, so far as respects the othe counties of Effingham and Chat peration of said acts in the counties of ham;

Dublin, in the county of Laurens, and county of Bryan-Mr Nesbit in the to vest certain powers in the commissi-schair; Mr President resumed the chair, oners of said town:

and Reuben Moore;

dersville, in the county of Washington, sed. and to vest certain powers in the comsed under their respective titles.

Mr President:

the Governor, to inform the Senate that was read the third time and passed. he has approved of and signed the me- The Senate resolved itself into a of West Florida, and he withdrew.

and pay taxes on all slaves in the dif-had leave to sit again in June next.

building bridges in soid county, passed Cook in the chair; Mr President resumed the chair, and Mr Cook report-

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to The bill to authorise Sherod M'Call amend an act, entitled an act, to amend Bryan, Liberty, M'Intosh, Glynn, Cam-A bill to incorrectate the town of den and Wayne, so far as respects the and Mr Nesbit reported that they had A bill for the relief of William Stobolgone through the same without any amendment.

A bill to authorise Sheriff's sales at! The Senate took up the report, which St. Mary's, in Camdon county; and, was read and agreed to, and the said A bill to incorporate the town of San-bill was read the third time and pas-

The Senate resolved itself into a missioners thereof, were severally ta-committee of the whole on the bill for ken up, read the third time, and pas-the relief of David Speer—Mr M'Call in the chair; Mr President resumed A message from His Excellency the the chair, and Mr M Call reported that Governor by Mr Freeman his Secreta-they gone through the same with amendments.

The Senate took up the report, which I am instructed by His Excellency was read and agreed to, and the bill

morial to the Congress of the United committee of the whole on the bill to States, on the subject of East and partlauthorise the opening of a road from Fancy Bluff in Glynn county, to the The Senate resolved itself into a main post road, &c -Mr Lanier in the committee of the whole on the bill to chair; mr President resumed the chair, compel slave owners to make return of, and Mr Lanier reported progress, and

ferent counties in this state, where The Senate resolved itself into a such slaves may reside, either by them-committee of the whole on the bill to selves, their attornies, or agents—Mr. incorporate the town of Jefferson in in the county of Jackson-Mr Pray in Pierce removed, and William Hinly rethe chair; Mr President resumed the signed. chair, and Mr Pray reported that they had gone through the same without a presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk. ny amendment.

The Senate took up the report, which was read and agreed to, and the said concurred in the resolution directing bill was read the third time & passed. His Excellency the Governor to re-

committee of the whole on the bill to ney a detachment of the quota of the authorise the musters of a portion of milina of this state to be stationed on the militia of Camden county, at St. the sea-coast and other frontier parts of Mary's—mr Hudspeth in the chair; this state. mr President resumed the chair, and One appointing a Justice of the In--mr Hudspeth reported progress, and ferior court of Bryan county. had leave to sit again in June next.

committee of the whole on the bill toland repeal an an act, for inflicting penalties One appointing Trustees of the on certain persons therein named, so Richmond county Academy. ward Pilcher, sen'r .-- mr Blair in the pointing a Justice of the Inferior court chair; mr President resumed the of Randolph county; and chair, and Mr Blair reported that they One appointing Justices of the Infehad gone through the same without a-rior court of Elbert county, and he ny amendment.

The Senate took up the report, which was read and agreed to

Whereupon the bill was read the in. third time, and on the question, shall this bill now pass, it was determined moved for the appointment of a comin the negative.

James Tapley, which was read and re-line Oconee river at Ford's Shoals. ferred to a special committee, consist | Ordered, that Messrs. Blackman, ing of Messrs Swain, Scruggs and Lanier and Swain be that commit-Blackman.

On motion of Mr Griffin, ...

Resolved, That Thomas Swain and on Monday next move for the ap-Ziba Fletcher be, and they are hereby pointment of a committee to report a appointed Justices of the Inferior cour full to allow the county of Mudison

'A message from the House of Re-Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have The Senate resolved itself into alguest of Major General Thos. Pinck-

One appointing Justices of the In-The Senate resolved itself into a ferior court of Richmond Gounty—

far as respects the banishment of Ed-| They have passed a resolution ap-

withdrew.

The Senate took up the message & the said Resolutions were concurred

Mr Blackman agreeably to notice mittee to prepare & report a bill to aumr Swain presented a petition from thorize Batt Wyche to erect a mill on

Mr Daniel gives notice that he wall of Telfair county, in the place of John Lwo representatives until the Census

And the same being read, was refer red to the committee on the state of the se, and he is hereby appointed a Nota-Republic.

O 1 motion of Mr Pray,

Resolved, That His Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby directed to take the necessary steps to bring be fore the proper authority, Jesse Bry an, to account in what manner he came by the certificates mentioned in hi communication.

Ordered, That the Secretary tak said resolution immediately to the H of Representatives for concurrence.

A message from the House of Re-Mr President;

The House of Representatives have passed a resolution, that if any of the was referred the petition of Michael Electors chosen by this General As semby to vote for President and Vice President shall fail to attend in Mil ledgeville by 12 o'clock, on the first Wednesday in December, the appoint ment of such Elector or Electors shall the present situation of the funds of be considered as vacated, and the G_{ε} [the state will not admit of granting the neral Assembly will forthwith proceed prayer of the Petitioners. to fill such vacancy, and he withdrew

The Senate took up the said resolution, and the same being read, was con curred in.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill au thorising the commissioners of Mil section of the bill, to wit; kedg wille to lease to George Micklejohn a certain quantity of land, for the persons shall be compelled to liquipurpose of creeting a Tan-yard—Mr fate their accounts, if required so to do, **Iontgomery in the chair; Mr Presi & on refusing to comply their accounts dent resumed the chair, and Mr Mont | shall bear an interest of eight per cent govery reported progress and hadderom the trac such demand is made, leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Pray,

Resolved, That Samuel Miller Bond ey Public for the City of Savannah.

Adjourned 'till half past 9 o'clock comorrow morning.

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TUESDAY, 24th November, 1812. Mr Daniel from the committee reorted a bill to add a part of Clarke ounty to that of Madison, which was eceived and read the first time.

Mr Hudspeth from the committee in Finance made the following report. presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; which was read and agreed to—to

> The committee on Finance to whom Whatley and others, requesting of the tate a loan of fifteen hundred dollars o enable them to establish and carry on a Cotton Cloth Manufactory,

Report that they are of opinion that

The Senate took up the report of the committee of the whole on the bill to deviate the condition of debtors, and the same being read,

Mr Montgomery offered the followling enacting clause in lieu of the fourth

And be it further enacted, that all luntil payment.

And on the question to agree to the

ed, are yeas 17, nays 16.

are Messrs. Blair, Blackman, Cook, and all Academies in this state;" and Daniel, Griffin, Hatcher, Irwin, Lane on the question to agree, it was deter-Lanier, Little, M'Call, Montgomery mined in the negative, and the year and Parks, Pope, Scruggs, Swain and nays being required, are Yeas 16 Wood.

Those who voted in the negative. are Messrs. Burnett, Crane, Fort, are Messrs Burnett, Cook, Fort, Huds-Hudspeth, Hurt, Leigh, Nesbit, Ow beth, Hurt, Irwin, Lane, Leigh, Nes-Tharpe, Ware, Watkins and Wil | Talbot, Watkins and Wilkins.

negative the same was lost.

wit:

And be it further enacted that all suit to a judgment.

same, it was determined in the affirma-berty and Meson Academy in the tive, and the yeas and nays being re-county of Oglethorpe, quired, are Yeas 15. .. Nays 14.

Those who voted in the affirmative, ment, by inserting the following, to wit: are Messrs Blair, Blackman, Cook, Da-Provided, that this act shall not exniel, Griffin, Harcher, Irwin, Lane, tend to the collection of tuition money Lanier, Little, M'Call, Montgomery, now due, or which hereafter may be-Parks, Pope, Scruggs, Swain, Tharpe come due to the University and to the and Wood

are Messrs Burnett, Fort, Hadspeth, schools. Hurt, Leigh. Nesbit, Owens, Pray, And on the question to agree to the Proctor, Stevens, Talbot, Ware, Wat same, the year and mays were called kins and Wilkins.

On motion of Mr Stevens,

same, the year and nays being requir |ment be inserted in the 8th clause, after the words "Augusta Bank," " or Those who voted in the affirmative, to any monies due to the University, Nays 17.

Those who voted in the affirmative. ens, Pray, Proctor, Stevens, Talbott bit, Owens, Pray, Proctor, Stevens,

Those who voted in the negative, The President having voted in the are Messrs Blair, Blackman, Crane, Daniel, Griffin, Hatcher, Lanier, Lit-Mr Daniel then moved the following le, M'Call, Montgomery, Parks, Pope, clause in heu of the same section, to Scruggs, Swain, Tharpe, Ware and $\mathbf{Wood}_{m{\cdot}}$

Mr Stèvens moved that the followpersons shall be compelled to liqui-ling clause be inserted at the end of the date their accounts if required so to do, clause-Provided, that this act shall and on refusing to comply, the credi not extend to prevent the collection of tor shall be at liberty to prosecute his juition money now due, or which herelafter may become due to the Universi-And on the question to agree to the ty, to the Academies in Chatham, Li-

Mr Pray moved to amend the amend-

Academies in Chatham and Liberty, Those who voted in the negative, and all other Academies and private

for, which are Yeas 16. Nays 16.

Those who voted in the offirmative, Resolved, That the following amend-are Messrs Burnett, Cook, Crane, Forth December 1792-Mr Swain in the to prepare and report a bill to allowchair; Mr President resumed the chair, the county of Madison two Represenand Mr Swain reported that they had atives to represent said county, until gone through the same without any a lihe census or fourth enumeration shall menendancata

Ordered that the said report do lie on the table

The Senate resolved itself into thee. a committee of the whole on the bill to form a new Brigade in the counties of corted said bill, which was read the 1st Twiggs, Pulaski, Telfair, Laurens and me. Wilkinson—Mr M'Call in the chair Mr President resumed the chair, and will on tomorrow move for the appoint-Mr M'Call reported, that they had gone ment of a committee to prepare and rethrough the same with amendments.

was read and agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was readwamed. the 3d time and pssed.

alter the names of certain persons there-lin county, which being read, was rein named, which was received and read ferred to a special committee, consisting the first time.

presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk of Representatives, to take the same in-Mr. President;

agreed to all the amendments made by Daniel M Murphy, which was read and Senate to the bill for the alleviation of the referred to the committee on the state condition of debtors, except the clause of the Republic relative to where Sheriffs have levied on 1. I he Schate took up the amendments property, and the defendant and pro-made to the bill to alter the mode for perty have afterward been removed out appointing Vendue Masters in the ciof the state, to which clause they dis by of Savannah, which were amendagree.

The Senate took up the message, labe.

made to the said bill.

ed for the appointment of a committee sident resumed the chair, and Mr Ir-

be taken.

Ordered, that Messrs Daniel, Montgomery and Watkins be that commit-

Mr Daniel from the committee re-

Mr Daniel notifies the Senate that he port a bill to authorise the Inferior The Senate took up the report, whell court of Madison county to levy an exra tax for for certain purposes therein

Mr Daniel presented a petition from Mr Hurt had leave to report a bill tola number of the inhabitants of Frankof Messrs Daniel and Little, to join A message from the House of Ressuch as may be appointed by the House ; to consideration.

The House of Representatives have Mr Leigh presented a petition from

ed, and again ordered to lie on the

The Senate again resolved itself in-Resolved, that the Senate do recede to a committee of the whole on the bill rom their amendments as aforesaid compeling slave owners to pay tax for such slaves where said slaves may re-Mr Daniel agreeably to notice mov-side—Mr Irwin in the chair; Mr Prewin reported progress, and had leave to sit again.

Mr Lanier from the committee re committee of the whole on the bill to ported a bill for the relief of Francis edd a part of Clark county to the Flournoy, which was read the 1st-time and on the question, shall this bill now chair; Mr President resumed the chair, - pass for a second reading, it was neg | and Mr Talbot reported, that they had tived.

A message from the House of Re presentatives by Mr Holttheir clerk; Mr President;

The House of Representatives have passed a bill declaring the assent of the the third time. Legislature of the state of Georgia tol the formation of one or more state go-how pass, it was determined in the afvernments in the Mississippi territory, firmative, and the yeas and nays being and he withdrew.

The Senate took up the message, and said bill was read the 1st time.

following resolution.

On motion,

of the town of Milledgeville do lease to and Wood. Jane Rucker, five acres of land out of the town commons, adjoining the lease are Messrs Cook, Crane, Griffin, Huit, she is now in possession of, for the Little, Owens, Proctur and Ware. term of nine years

will on tomorrow move for the appoint part, which was read and ordered to lie ment of a committee to prepare and te on the table port a bill to be entitled an act, to ena ble the commissioners & justices of the of purchase money paid by them, and court for the county of Scriven, in place to make disposition of the square of of Caleb Howell, sen. removed, and ship, now the property of the county am Black, esqrs. resigned.

Adjourned 'till 9 o'clock tomoorrw -morning.

Thursday, 26th November, 1812.

The Senate resolved itself into a county of Madison; Mr Talbot in the gone through the same without any almendment.

The Senate took up the report, which was agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read

And on the question, shall this bill required, are Yeas 23; Nays 8.

Those who voted in the affirmative, are messrs Blair, Blackman, Byne, Bur-Mr Hudspeth laid on the table the nett, Daniel, Fort, Fulwood, Hatcher, Hudspeth, Irwin Lane, Lanier, Leigh, M'Call, Montgomery, Parks, Pope, Resolved, That the commissioners Pray, Swain, Talbot, Tharpe, Watkins,

Those who voted in the negative,

Mr Lanier from the committee on Mr Fulwood gives notice that helthe state of the Republic reported in

On motion of Mr Blair,

Resolved, That Thomas Brannen, Inferior court for the county of Lau Aaron Smith, Paul Bevill, jr. and Wilrens, to refund to the former purcha liam Young, esqrs, be & they are heresers of lots at Sumpterville, the amount by appointed Justices of the Inferior land and the lots forming the said town James Oliver, John Pollock and Willi-

> The following bills were severally fread the second time, to wit:

passed the following bills;

Insurance company;

prohibit duciling;

river in Elbert county;

county, to the county of Baldwin;

evidence;

Academy in Glynn county;

Waynesborough, in Burke county, &c.

A bill to authorise Sheriffs to per joining counties in certain cases;

A bill to regulate the roads in Wayne [vounty, &c.

13 bill for the relief of Simon Jack son;

ham with the privilege of running a lune has Fauche and others for pay due to of stages from Savannah to St Mary's, them for Military services, performed and he withdrew.

the said bilis were severally read the the claims of others similarly circumfirst time.

the state of the Republic made the follow authorize the inferior court of Malowing report, which was read and a lison county to levy an extra tax, greed to to wit:

The committee on the State of the hime Republic having examined the laws of Congress, passed 5th March 1792; allied for the appointment of a commit-

so the letter of Henry Knox, Secreta-A bill to incorporate the Savannah ry to the War Department to the Governor of this state, the deed of eassion A bill to alter and amend an act, to and every document accessible to the committee that could afford them infor-A bill to establish and make perma | mation upon the subject of making efrent M'Donald's ferry on Savannah feetual provision for the defence of the frontiers of the United States, as it res-A bill to continue in force an act, for pects the state of Georgia's unsettled the relief of John M'Leod and others; claims for n ilitary services rendered, A bill to add a part of Washington'so far in particular as regards the claim of Jonas Fauche and a troop of horse A bill to admit Grand Jurors to give under his command, from the 23d day of pril 1793, to the 31st day of March A bill to authorise the building an 794 inclusive, and others similarly circum-tanced are of opinion, that A bill to incorporate the town of there is the clearest evidence that the |-aid claims are just, and that said sernces ought to be compensated by the form the duties of their office in ad General Government, and not by the tate of Georgia.

They therefore recommend the folowing resolution:

Resolved that His Excellency the lovernor of this state be requested to A bill to make permanent the site of instruct the Senators, and earnestly the public buildings in Madison coun jurge and request them and the representatives from this state in Congress, And a bill to invest William A. Dun-Ito urge and prosecute the claim of Jcfor the United States from the 23d of The Senate took up the mestage, and April 1795 to the 31st May, 1794, and

Mr I anier from the committee on Mr Daniel had leave to report a bill which was received and read the first

Mr Falwood agreeably to notice mo-

tee to report a bill to enable the Com-Jare Messrs. Blair, Blackman, Burnett, missioners or Justices of the Inferior Crane, Fulwood, Griffin, Hatcher, court of Laurens county, to refund mo Hudspeth, Lanier, Leigh, Little, M'nies paid by them to certain persons

Hatcher and Griffin be that commit

The Senate adjourned till 10 o'clock and Ware tomorrow morning.

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FRIDAY, 27th November, 1812. court of the county of Madison to levy Ebbin Jackson Mr Leigh in the chair. an extra tax was read the second time Mr President resumed the chair, and and ordered for a third reading.

the county of Madison to the s-c nd ment. brigade of the fourth division of Mili tia of this state; and the bill declaring was agreed to. the assent of the Legislature of the state of Georgia to the formation of one ime and passed. or more state governments in the Mis sissippi Territory, were severally taken thorise the Justices of the Inferior court up, read the third time and passed.

committee of the whole on the bill to Petit Jurors and correct the Jury Box, authorize Ban Wyche to erect a mill/was read the third time and passed on t'e Oconee river at Ford's Shoals; Mr Hatcher in the chair. Mr. Presi dent resumed the chair and Mr Hat cher reported that they had gone thro' the same without any amenoment.

The Senate took up the report which was agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was reas the third time, and on the question. shall this bill now pass? it was deter mined in the affirmative, and the year and nays being required, are yeas 20

Call, Parks, Pray, Scruggs, Stevens, Ordered that Messrs Fulwood Swain, Watkins, Wilkins and Wood.

> Those in the negative, are Messrs. Hurt. Lane, Nesbit Owens, Tharpe

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to be entitled, an act to alter the names of Lorinda Price, Florina Price and Linson Ebbin Price to that of Lorinda The bill to authorize the Inferior Jackson, Florinda Jackson and Linson Mr Leigh reported, that they had gone The bill to be entitled an act to addithrough the same with an amend-

The Senate took up the report which

Whereupon the bill was read the 3d

The bill to be entitled, an act to auof Baldwin county to select fit and The Senate resolved itself into alproper persons to serve as Grand and

The following bills were severally aken up and read the second time,

A bill for the relief of John M'Leod nd the heirs of Micajah Little.

Ordered, for committee of the whole. A hill to admit Grand Jurors to give vidence

Ordered for committee of the whole. A bill to authorise the building of an Academy in the county of Glynn.

Ordered for committee of the whole. A bill to incorporate the town of I hose who voted in the affirmative, Waynesborough in the county of Burke and to vest certain powers in the com Laharfage, storage and other expences missioners thereof

Ordered for committee of the whole

A bill to be entitled an act regula fing roads in Wayne county.

Ordered for a third reading.

next the Ferry on Savannah in Elbertlon the petition of John M Kinnon. county, known by the name of M'Do nald's Ferry.

Ordered for a third reading.

form the duties of their office in adjoin- or otherwise. ing counties in certain cases.

Insurance company.

Ordered for committee of the whole lnext.

A bill to add a part of Washington county to that of Baldwin county.

of the public buildings in the county states, requesting a road to be opened ci Madison.

Ordered for a third reading.

A bill for the relief of Simon Jack-was read and agreed to.

whole.

of December, 1809.

Ordered for a committee of the of said bill be postponed till June next. whole.

On motion of Mr. Hurt,

Justice of the Inferior court for Warren Yeas 17 -- Nays 17. county, in the place of Isaac Ball, esq resigned.

for the appointment of a committee t | WCall, Monigomery, Owens Parks,

n articles sold in, or passing through he City of Savannah.

Ordered, That Messrs Leigh, Pray and Scruggs be that committee.

The Senate took up the report of the A bill to establish and make perma committee on the state of the Republic. which was read and recommitted to a select committee, consisting of Messrs Montgomery, Pray, Stevens, Burnett A bill to authorize Sheriffs to per and Cook, with power to report by bill

The report of the committee on the Ordered for committee of the whole, state of the Republic on the petition of A bill to incorporate the Savannah Reuben S. Saffold was read, and again ordered to lie on the table till Monday

Mr Montgomery called up the resollution he laid on the table yesterday, Ordered, for committee of the whole requesting the Governor of this state, A bill to make permanent the site to apply to the President of the United from I ugalo in this state, through the lland of the Upper Cherokees, which

The Senate resolved itself into a com-Ordered for a committee of the mittee of the whole on the bil: to alter and amend an act to prohibit duelling. A bill to alter and amend an act to Mr. Talbot in the chair. Mr President prohibit duelling, passed the 12th day resumed the chair and Mr Talbot reported, that the further consideration

The Senate took up the report, and on the question to agree to the same, it Resolved, That Solomon Thompson, was determined in the affirmative, and esq. be, and he is hereby appointed althe yeas and nays being required, are,

Those who voted in the affirmative, are Messrs Blackman, Byne, Burnett, Mr Leigh agreeably to notice moved frame, Griffin, Hudspeth, Irwin, Lane, prepare and report a bill to regulate Proctor, Scruggs, Swain, Talbot and

Wood.

Messrs Blair, Cook, Daniel, Fort, Ful-through the same without any amendwood, Hatcher, Hurt, Lamer, Leigh, ment. Little, Nesbit, Pope, Stevens, Tnarpe, Ware, Watkins and Wilkins.

The vote being equal, the President voted in the affirmative.

A message from the House of Representatives by Wir Holt their clerk; now pass, it was determined in the af-Mr President;

The House of Representatives have equired, are Yeas 21-Nays 11. passed the following resolution;

Joseph Bevin, for the purpose of being Montgomery, Parks, Pray, Scruggs, removed to the Mississippi or else-Talbot, Tharpe and Watkinswhere, 42, or about that number of ne- Those who voted in the negative, gro slaves, the property of Matthias are messrs Blackman, Hudspeth, Irwin, Maher, who is said to be an alien ene-Leigh, Nesbit, Owens, Pope, Swain, my and subject of his Britannic Ma-Ware, Wilkins and Wood.

hereby directed and authorised to take lows: or advise the necessary legal measured. The joint committee appointed by for the purpose of seizing and placing both branches of the Legislature to in the hands of the Marshal of this dis-Enquire into and ascertain the name of trict, or any one of his deputies, the the author of a publication signed "Cisaid slaves, in order that the said pro-lizen," and also all other information perty may be disposed of for the use and relative to the purchase and importatibenefit of the United States, if they on of certain British goods prohibited have any claim thereto, as the proper-by the laws of the United States, beg

and the said resolution was read and cured sundry affidavits, marked No. disagreed to.

a committee of the whole on the bill al- of Representatives, together with two lowing the county of Madison two Re | tatements marked No 7 and 8. presentatives—Mr Ware in the chair; Resolved, That the committee view

Mr President resumed the chair, and Those who voted in the negative, are vir Ware reported, that if ey had gone

> I'he Senate took up the report, whch was read and agreed to.

> Whereupon the said bill was read the 3d time;

> And on the question, shall this bill firmative, and the yeas and nays being

Those who voted in the affirmative, Whereas it appears from representar are messrs. Blair, Byne, Cook, Crane, tions made to this General Assembly, Daniel Fort, Fulwood, Griffin, Hatchthat there are now in the possession of er, Hurt, Lane, Lanier, Little, M'Call,

The Senate took up the resolution Be it therefore resolved, That His relative to the importation of British Excellency the Governor be, and he is goods, which was read, and is as fol-

ty of an alien enemy, and he withdrew. leave to state, that in conformity to the The Senate took up the message, duties assigned them, they have pro-1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, and have herewith The Senate resolved itself into a submitted them to the Senate & House

Donald's ferry, in Elbert county;

or court of Madison county to levy an county of Glynn-Mr Daniel in th extra tax, were severally taken up and chair; Mr President resumed the chair read the third time and passed.

of lots in the town of Sumpterville, respond till June next. Laurens county, was read the second The report was taken up and agree time, and ordered for a third reading. to.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill te committee of the whole on the bill au add a part of Washington county to the thorising Sheriffs to perform the duties county of Baldwin; Mr Montgomery of their office in certain cases. in the chair; Mr President resumed the win in the chair. Mr President resu chair, and Mr Montgomery reported, med the chair and Mr Irwin reported. that they had gone through the same that they had gone through the same without any amendment.

report.

Whereupon the said bill was read the third time and passed.

mittee of the whole on the bill for the re-lin the county of Burke, and to vest cerlief of John M'Leod & the heir- of Mica hain powers in the Commissioners jun Little, dec'd-Mr Wathus in the thereof Mr. Talbot in the chair. Mr. chair; Mr. President resumed the chair, President resumed the chair and Mr. and Mr Watkins reported, that they Talbot reported, that they had gone had gone through the same without a through the same without any amendny amendraent.

the third time and passed.

The enale resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill ad-presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk. mitting thrand Jurors to give evidence Mr President; - Mr 18 cshit in the chair; Mr Presi | The House of Representatives have dent resumed the chair, and Nesbit re concurred in the resolution appointing ported progress, and had leave to sit a Justices of the Inferior court of Telgain in June next

The bill to make permanent M'- The Senate resolved itself into a com mittee of the whole on the bill authori And the bill to authorise the Inferi-sing the building of an Academy in th and Mr Daniel reported, that the fur The bill for the relief of purchasers ther consideration of said bill be post

The Senate resolved itself into; without any amendment.

The Senate took up and agreed to the The report was taken up, read and ordered to lie on the table.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill to in. The benate resolved itself into a corn corporate the town of Waynesborough ment.

The report was taken up and agreed. The Senate took up and agreed to the report.

Whereupon the said bill was read. Whereupon the said bill was read the third time and passed

A message from the House of Re-

fair county;

And in the resolution appointing alto agree to the same, was determined Notary Public for the City of Savannah, in the affermitive and the Yeas & Nays with an amendment:

They have passed a resolution appointing a committee on their part to join are Mes'rs. Blair, Byne, Burnete, such as may be appointed by Senate Crane, Daniel, Hudspeth, Irwin, Lane, to enquire into the situation of the Leigh, Nesbit, Owens, Parks, Pray, funds arising from the sale of lots in Stevens, Valbot, Ware and Wilkins; Milledgeville;

ments made by Senate to the bill to al-wood, Griffin, Hatcher, Hurt, Lanier, ter the mode of appointing Vendue Little, M'Call, Montgomery, Pope, masters for the city of Savannah;

They have passed a bill for the re-kins; lief of Hague Laughton;

A bill to incorporate a company for firmative. the improvement of the navigation of Broad River; and,

name of Joseph M'Coy, with amend-be appointed Commissioners of Glynn ments, and he withdrew;

The senate took up the message and already appointed. agreed to the amendment made to the resolution appointing a Notary Public for the city of Savannah.

pointing a joint committee to enquire Court House and Jail for the county of into the funds arising from the sale of Nayne, in place of Geo. Linder resign-Lots in Milledgeville, and added a com led, & John Roberts refusing to serve. mittee on their part consisting of, Mr. Owens called up his resolution of Mes'rs Owens, Talbot and Montgom-lo day which was amended and agreed

made by the H. of R. to the bill change this Legislature, have received inforing the name of Joseph M. Coy, and mation from a Gentleman of respectathe bills passed by the H. of R. were bility who is just from the Creek Nation severely read the first time.

committee of the whole on the bill au longing to the Creek Nation who had thorizing the service of --- number of lately returned home badly wounded & mounted rifle, sword or spear menlthat they received their wounds in a fight

being required are yeas 17 nays 16;

Those who voted in the affirmative

Those who voted in the negative They have agreed to the amend-are Mes'rs. Blackman, Cook, Fort Ful-Swaine, Scruggs, Tharpe, and Wat-

The President also voted in the af-

On motion of Mr. Burnett,

Resolved that oct. Robert Grant A bill from senate to change the and Raymond Demerie, sen. Esquires, county academy in addition to those

On motion of Mr. Fort,

Resolved that Wiley Rabinson, and Benjamin Liles, be and they are here-They concurred in the resolution apply appropriated Commissioners of the to as follows, to wit:-

They agreed to the amendments Whereas some of the members of Istating that he was informed by the In-The senate took up the report of the dians that there were three Indians bewhich was read and on the question that the white people & Indians had in Florida which circumstance if tru | Cook, Crane, Daniel, Toat, Fulwood. and it appears to be well authenticated Friffin, Gatcher, Leurt, Icvin, Lauser, is in the opinion of this Legislature is all little. M Call, houtgomery, Neshit, sofficient proof of the hostile disposi | twens. Parks, Pray, Swain, Scrayge, tion of a considerable part of that Na Talbot, Tharpe, Ware and Watkins. tion towards the United States, and Those in the negative arc, Messrs. particularly toward the State of Geor-Byne, Hudspeth, Lane, Leigh, Ste-

are and House of Representatives, it a littled an act, to regulate & govern the his I, excitency the Governor of the rates of the commissions and advances State of Georgia, be & he is hereby audior the city of Savannah, which was thorised and requested to direct Col read the first time Hawkins to call on the Chiefs of said! He also had leave to introduce a bill nation to deliver the wounded Indians to be entitled an act, more effectually if alive & such other warriors as were to punish forgers and countertening, engaged in the late action in Florida to which was read the first time. such person or persons and at such (n motion of Mr Onens, time and place as His Excellency may Resolved, That the commissioners appoint, and that sixty days be allowed of the town of Milledgeville be authoto the Indians to make such delivery, thorised and required to measu e and

morning.

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Monday, 30th November, 1812.

nutes of Saturday, so far as relates to And be it further resolved, That the lie on the table.

the service of ——— rifle, sword or any public road. spear men, and that said bill do he on the t ble;

And on the question to agree, it was det rmined in the affirm tive, and to yeas and nays being required, are Yea Nais 6.

Hose who vot d in the affirmative are Mesors Blair, Blackman, Burneu,

vens and Wilkins.

Be it therefore Resolved by the Sen-! Mr Leigh introduced a bill to be en-

Acjourness till 10 o'clock Monday by off five acres of land of the town common, on the North side of Rocky creek, below where the road crosses the said creek, near Joseph B. Jones's, land lease tile same to George Micklejohn, for the term of twenty years, for T e Senate reconsidered the militie purpose of execting a Tan-yard.

the bill to admit Grand Jurors to give said George Micklejohn be, and he is evidence, and ordered that said bill dober by authorised to convey water to the said. Fan yard, from a spring known They proceeded to reconsider the by the name of Lower Commissioners minutes relative to the bill to authorise spring—provided he does not obstruct

> The Senale took up the following fails which were severally read the send ime

A bill to be entitled an act, to auhorise Henry Joice to erect a ferry across the Oconee river, at or near his L.ding.

Urdered for committee of the winder

And a bill for the relief of Haguepne thousand seven hundred and ele-Laughton.

relief of purchasers of lots in the town of confiscated estates, in full satisfactiof Sumpterville, in Lauren's county on for his claim upon this state for his was taken up and read the third time commissions on former sales—and, and passed.

committee of the whole on the bill to the said Island selling for no more than incorporate the Savannah Insurance the amount of the said claim of the said company—Mr Irwin in the chair; MilJohn M'Kinnon together with the 20 President resumed the chair, and Mr. percentum due the Heirs of the said Irwin reported progress, and had leave Major Lachland Milntosh or for a leas to sit again.

memorial of John M'Kinnon, reported confiscated property are hereby auas follows:

rial of John M-Kinnon,

REPORT,

morial into their consideration, and find Lachland M'Intosh the twenty percumthat the memorialist is entitled to the tum on the amount of his claim for the commissions as set forth in his said information relative to the said confismemorial, and your committee recom-cated property. mend the following resolution:

of the same, that the island known by of this State. the name of Carr's Island situate in the Alatamaha river, and county of M' Intosh, originally granted for 220 a lie is hereby appointed a Notary Pubcres, and part of the confiscated proper-flic for the city of bavaonah. ty of Basil Cooper, returned by Maj Lachlan M'Intosh to the commission following Resolutions, to wit: ers of confiscated estates, be sold for '- Whereas it is conceived by this Legwith by the Sheriff of M'Intosh county, lislature, that the L ws heretofore pas-Co- of however hand the sum of Chizens, and that the enacting of laws

ren dollars und ten cents be paid out Ordered for committee of the whole of the proceeds of said sale, to John The bill to be entitled an act, for the WKinnon, one of the commissioners

Be it further Resolved by the au-The Senate resolved itself into althority aforesaid, that in the event of sum that then the said Island to be bil Mr Pray from the committee on the off for the State, and Commissioners of thorised to make Titles to the said John The select committee on the memo-M'Kinnon for the said Island in lieu of and in full satisfaction for his claim providek, he the said John M'Kianon That they have taken the said me pays or secures to the Heirs of Major

On motion Mr. Talbot,

Resolved by the Senate and House | Resolved that George Jones & John of Representatives of the State of Pray, Esquires, be and they are here-Georgia in General Assembly met, and by appointed Directors of the Planters it is hereby resolved by the authority Bank of the State of Georgia on the part

On motion Mr. Pray.

Resolved that James Morrison be, &

Mr. Danisiel laid on the table the

at the court-house of said county, after sed in this State are fully calculated to thir y mays public nonce in one of the secure the rights and liberties of the

at this time different from the existing to the pleasure of the Legislature. laws would be attended with unnece harvexpence before the laws have been liency the Governor be, and he is herein operation a sufficient length of time by authorised and required to cause the to know their good or bad effects, and haid one thousand shares to be subhaving at the present session passed and cribed for within the time limited for act to alleviate the condition of debtorby which the execution of many laws heretofore passed or that any be pas appropriation be made in the approsed the present session will be in a great viation act, to be passed the present measure suspended, therefore conceively ssion, for one hundred thousand dolthat the Legislature remaining in sesslars for the purpose aforesaid, to be by sion any considerable length of time imapplied in said subscription accordwould be an expence to the State with + ig to the constitution and bye-laws of out any material benefit;

Legislature will adjourn on Saturday the whole or any part of the amouns next, sine die.

committee of the whole on the bill to count with the said Bank, or the Bank compel slave owners to pay tax for of Angusta. slaves in the county where such slaves The following report on the petition may reside—Mr Montgomery in the of John M'Queen, was taken up, readchair; Mr President resumed the chair, and disagreed to, to wit: and Mr Montgomery reported that they The committee on the State of the had gone through the same with a Republic to whom was referred the pemountaints.

The Senate took up the report, and the amendments were agreed to.

1 12 Sd time and passed.

solutions, which was read and agreeded estate confiscated and sold for the to, to wit:

the fundamental articles of the constitionart of that estate yet remaining untudon of the Planters' Bank of the state sold or otherwise disposed of by the of Georgia, of which 1000 shares of 100 state, for which a petition hath been dollars each, shall be reserved untilpresented by John M'Queen for the the first day of January 1813, on the widow and children of the said Basil original terms, then or at any prior Cooper, to have the remnant of his said thue to be taken by the State according property restored.

Resolved therefore that His Excele state of Georgia.

And be it further resolved, That an said Bank—and that the Governor be, Be it therefore Resolved that the nd he is hereby authorised to raise In-cessary, to be immediately paid to the The Senate resolved itself into a Bank upon said subscription by dis-

littion of John M'Queen,

REPORTED.

Whereas the late Basil Cooper, dec'd, Whereupon the said bill was read was named and included in the act of confiscation of this state, passed 1st. Mr Pray called up the following re-March 1778, and had a very large rebenefit of said state,

Whereas by the first rule forming And whereas, there is, or may be

Be it therefore resolved, that all the One on the petition of Jonas Fauchs lands of Basil Cooper, dec'd, hereto fore confiscated to the use of the state, es of the Inferior court of Laurens. and yet remaining unsold or otherwise county to pay John Thomas a reasonundisposed of by the state, exceptable compensation for running the coun-Carr's Islandin the Altamaha river, a-lty line of Pulaski, &c. bout to be disposed of by the state, be, One appointing justices of the Inferiand the same is hereby vested in John or court of Scriven county; M'Queen of the county of Chatham, One appointing a justice of the Infeand his heirs and assigns forever, to rior court of Warren county; and for the use, and in trust for the One requiring the commissioners of heirs of the said Basil Cooper, dec'd Milledgeville to lease to Jane Rucker, share and share alike.

Be it further resolved, that all the right, title, interest and claim of this of Laurens county. state to the unsold & undisposed lands | They have passed a resolution apof Basil Cooper, a person named in the pointing a Notary Public for the county bill of confiscation, passed on the day of Baldwin; and year aforesaid be, and the same is One appointing a Notary Public for hereby relinquished on the part of said the county of Wilkinson; state, and fully and completely vested One appointing a Notary Public for in, and transferred to John M'Queen the town of Eatonion; and, of the county of Chatham, his heirs and One appointing a justice of the Infeassigns forever in trust, for the purpo rior court of Effingham county. ses above mentioned—provided, that They have passed a bill to renew a the said John M'Queen shall pay all certain Bounty Warrant therein namper cent and expences which mayled; have accrued or arisen by reason of any Abiil to amend an act, for the limiinformation which may have hereto-tation of actions; fore been given to the commissioners of confiscated property, to be sold in of Sheriffs and clerks of the counties of terms of the several laws regulating Wilkinson and Twiggs, and he withthe sale of confiscated property.

A message from the House of Re presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk.

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have the first time. concurred in the following resolutions from Senate, to wit:

Creek nation of Indians engaged in the in the chair; Mr President resumed the Florida expedition;

One making it the duty of the justi-

five acres of land;

And one appointing commissioners

And a bill to make valid certain acts

The Senate took up the message, and concurred in the several resolutions, and the bills were severally read

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill for the One on the subject of a part of the relief of Hague Laughton-Mr Leigh chair, and Mr Leigh reported, that they nad gone through the same without a-pretive, more meanancing mer mave ny amendment.

The Senate took up the report, which several appointments; was agreed to, and the said bill was ordered to lie on the table.

mittee of the whole on the bill to admit required to use their best endeavors Grand Jurors to give evidence-Mr to obtain the consent of Congress to an Stevens in the chair; Mr President re-lact of the state of veorgia, passed the sumed the chair, and Mr Stevens report 12th December 1804, for the term of ed, that they had gone through the same one year from the 1st of Dec'r 1813, so with an amendment.

committee on the petition of Reuben S. vessels two cents per ton, in full of all Saffold, which was agreed to, and is as fees, dues or demands whatsoever, for follows, to wit:

The committee on the state of the Master and Health Officer respective-Republic to whom was referred the perly. tition of Reuben S. Saffold, and the Adjourned till 10 o'clock tomorrrow counter petition of sundry merchants of morning. the city of Savannah, report as follows:

Whereas it is expressed by the tenth section of the first article of the constitution of the United States, "that no state shall without the consent of Congress lay any duty of tonnage,"

presed a law dired the 12th Decemberh e committee on the petition of John 1801, authorizing the Harbor Master M Queen. and Health Officer of the ports of Sal vanual and bt. Mary's to receive from table. all fereign ve sels four cents per tond and on all American ressels two centifile state of the Republic reported on per ton, which shall arrive as said ports, the memorial of the Benatus Acad mi-And whereas the law of Congress sanc has of the University of the state of tioning the law of Georgia expired in Georgia, which was read and ordered March 1812, in consequence of which to lie on the table. the Harbor Mister and Health Officer | Mr Cook had leave to report a bill to

uthfully discharged the duties of their

Therefore resolved, that the Senators & Representatives from this state, The Senate resolved itself into a comfinithe Congress of the United States be far as to authorise the Harbor Master The Senate took up the report, and and Health Officer of the ports of Saagreed to the amendment and the said vannah and St. Mary's to collect as dubill was ordered to lie on the table. ty on the tonnage of all foreign vessels The Senate took up the report of the four cents per ton, and on all American

the service of them the said Harbor

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Tuesday, 1st December, 1312.

On motion of Mr Montgomery,

The Journal of yesterday was recon-And whereas the state of Georgi sidered, so far as respects the report of

Ordered that the same do lie on the

Mr Lanier from the committee on

aforesaid, have not received their restimend the eleventh section of an act,

to provide for the organization and equipment of the Cavalry, which was are Messrs Blair, Blackman, Burnett, read the first time.

E. B. Jenkins, esq. which was read and mery, Nesbit, Parks, Pope, Pray, Frocordered to lie on the table.

The following bills were read the se cond time, to wit:

Warrant therein named.

Ordered for committee of the whole Tharpe. A bill to prevent forgery in this state

rates of commissions and advances for the Oconee river at or near Henry the city of Savannah.

whole.

tion of actions, and avoiding suits in until June next.

Ordered for committee of the whole. was agreed to.

The Senate again resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill valid certain acts of the Sheriffs of the to incorporate the Savannah Insurance counties of Wilkinson and Twiggs, was company-Mr Byne in the chair; Mr read the second time. President resumed the chair, and Mr Byne reported progress, and had leave to sit again.

The Senate resolved itself into a com-hhird time and passed. mittee of the whole on the bill for the relief of Simon Jackson-Mr Pray in Frand Jurors to give evidence, which the chair; Mr President resumed the was read the third time and passed. chair, and Mr Pray reported, that they have gone through the bill without a-perform the duties of their offices in admendment.

time;

And on the question, shall this bil1 now pass, it was determined in the af firmative, and the year and nays being and Hatcher be appointed a committee required, are Yeas 24-Nays 10.

Those who voted in the affirmative, Crane, Fort, Hudspeth, Hurt, Irwin, Mr Pray presented a memorial from Lane, Lanier, Leigh, M'Call, Montgoor, Stevens, Swain, Talbot, Ware, Watkins and Wilkins.

Those in the negative, are Messrs A bill to renew a certain Bounty Byne, Cook, Daniel, Fulwood, Griffin. Hatcher, Little, Owens, Scruggs and

The Senate resolved itself into a com-Ordered for committee of the whole lmittee of the whole on the bill to be A bill to regulate and govern the intitled, an act to erect a Ferry across Joice's landing. Mr Lanier in the chair. Ordered for a committee of the Mr Fresident resumed the chair and Mr Lanier reported, that the further A bill to amend an act, for the limita |consideration of this bill be postponed

The Senate took up the report which

The bill to be entitled, an act to make

Ordered for a third reading.

The bill for the relief of Hague Laughton, was taken up and read the

The Senate took up the bill to admit

The bill to authorize Sheriffs to joining counties in certain cases herein Whereupon the bill was read the 3d defered was read the third time and passed.

On motion Mr. Cook,

Resolved that Mesrs Owens, Irwin lon the part of Senate to join such as way be appointed by the House of Re-Savannah river.

presentatives to see the great seal of The Senate took up the message the state affixed to the several laws and the several resolutions from the passed the present session, and to ex committee on Finance were agreed to amine the balance of the Journal of Se-except the one relative to counterfeit nate, and that they be allowed three audits, which was amended; and the slays after the adjournment for the resolution on the memorial of E. B. game.

presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk were read the first time

Mr President;

passed the bill from Senate authori rolled and signed by the Speaker, the sing the Governor to contract for ma-hollowing acts viz. king a certain number of rifle guns, &c with an amendment

They have agreed to sundry reports made by the committee on Finance.

They have passed a resolution on Madison. the memorial of E. B. Jenkins, Esq —

to wit;

A bill to incorporate the Demosthe | tor the city of Savannah. nian Society of the University of Geor gia.

Society of Savannah.

A bill to compel Sheriffs to collect monies under executions issuing from entitled an act, for the relief of John the Treasury.

A bill for the relief of Samuel Wil | tle, dec'd.

A bill for the relief of John Allen.

A bill to raise a tax for the support of government for the political year, 1813 state, so far as respects the county of

attachments in this state, and

prevent and remove obstructions in the pects the county of Wayne, passed the

Jenkins, which was ordered to lie on A message from the House of Re-the table; and the said several bills

Mr. Nesbit from the committee on The House of Representatives have enrolled bills reported as correctly en-

> An aut to add a part of Washington county to the county of Baldwin

> An act to make permanent the site of the public buildings in the county of

An act to amend the several laws now in force within this state for re-They have passed the following bills gulating of Vendues and to alter the mode of appointing Vendue Masters

An act to establish and make permanent the Ferry on Savannah river A bill to incorporate the Hibernian in Elbert county, known by the name of M'Donald's Ferry.

> An act to continue in force an act, M Cloud, and the heirs of Micajah Lit-

An act declaring the assent of the A bill for the relief of John Fielder, Legislature of the state of Georgia to the formation of one or more state governments in the Mississippi territory 5

And an act regulating roads in this A bill to amend an act to regulate Wayne, and to repeal an act, entitled an ct, to amend the several acts regulat-A bill to amend an act to keep open. so far as res. 10th December 1811, which were pre-liberty to proceed to the choice of three se dee to and signed by the Prestaent fit and proper persons to command as of * nate

rolled bills to carry the said acts to one justice of the Peace or justice of His Excellency the Governor for his line Inferior court and two irrecholders, revision.

morrrow morning.

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WEDNESDAY, 2d December, 1812 The Senate took up the bill author rising the service of —— number or sign. mounted rifle & sword or spear men. and Mr Lanier presented the following man enrolled as aforesaid, shall equip bill as a substitute for the original bill bimself with a good horse, saddle and in the words following, to wit:

A BILL.

the militia law of this state, so far as tolville guns and swords. authorise the volunteer service of seven companies of mounted rifle and inficate from under the hand of the ofsword or spear men, for the protection ficer commanding such volumeer comof the frontiers.

of Representatives of the state of Geor Jeeting forth that such person is enrolgia in General Assembly met, and by led in his company and equipped as a. the authority of the same, that seven foresaid, shall be sufficient to discharge companies of volunteer mounted mili such volunteer from the duties of such tia shall be accepted of, and officered listrict officer's command, patrol duty by His Excellency the Covernor; such excepted. companies to consist of fifty men each exclusive of officers, to be distribute beforesaid mounted riflemen and officers as follows, to wit:—The counties of shall be entitled to, & receive the same Tainall, Telfair, Pulaski, Jones, Ran hay and rations as other mounted troops dolph. Morgan and Twiggs shall be of this state are entitled unto when in entitled to one company in each.

And be it further enacted, that sol soon as thirty men shall be enrolled in aforesaid troops and officers shall be any one company, they then shall be at subject to be called into service by the

Captain, Lieutenant and Ensign, by Ordered, that the committee on en ballot, under the superintendancy of the return of such election made under Adjourned till half after 9 o'clock to- ne hands of one justice of the Peace a justice of the Inferior court and two freeholders as aforesaid, to His l xrellency the Governor; he then is herey authorised to commission the three persons having the highest number of otes as Captain, Lieutenant and En-

And be it further enacted, that each bridle, and a good rifle gun or other good gun, until the state shall be pre-To be entitled an act, to amend pared to furnish said troops with good

And be it further enacted, that a cepany, presented to the district officer Be it enacted by the penate and H fin which such volunteer may reside,

> And be it further enacted, that the lactual service.

> And be it further enacted, that the

Executive of the State, or by the one surnett, D niel, Hudspeth, I ane, cer commanding the divise in beign, Meigh, Montgonery, Nesbi, Parks, regiment or battabon, to which sale Pray, brevens, Ladot, Walk is Wilcompany or companies may be at senshing and World ed, by entire company or otherwise, The Preside it living voted in the whenever it shall appear that troops of negative, the bir was tis. this description are required.

And be in further ensured, that the prosentatives by his high their civils. aforesaid officer and troops shall equip . For President; themselves as aforesaid within the term! The House of Representatives have of forty days after the officer command passed a bill to amoud an act, more esing them shall be commissioned, and feetually to open and keep in repair the hold themselves in readiness to marchipublic roads, causeways and bridges at the shortest notice, equipped as a in this state; and, foresaid, and with as many rations as | A bill to amend an act, to revive and

the expedition And be it further enacted, that if any a court of equity. of the aforesaid officers or troops shall | They concurred in the report of the lose their horse or gun in action, or committee on the petition of John M. when in actual service, they shall be Kinnon; and, entitled to receive the estimate value for the same from the government of the joint committee on the State of the the state or of the United States, and Republic, on the petition of John Mshall also receive a reasonable compen Queen, and he withdrew.

sation for all rations which may be fur. Ordered that the said message do nished by themselves when in service lie on the table.

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And on the question to agree to the President resumed the chair and Mr. said proposed substitute, the year and Irwin reported, that they had gone mays were cailed for, which are as fol-through the same with amendments. lows, to wit—Yeas 13 -Nays 17 The Senate took up and agreed to

Those who voted in the affirmative, the report. are Mestrs Cook, Crane Fort, bulwood, Whereupon the said bill was read Griffin, Hatcher, Hurt, Irwin, Lanier the 3d time and passed Little, WCall, Owens, Pope, Proctor, The bill from the House of Repre-

Swim, chings Tharpe and a are. Sentatives to make valid certain acts of Those was voted in the negative, Sheriffs of Wilkinson and Images,

are Messrs. Blair, Buckman, Byne, was read the 3d time and passed with

11 A message from the Pouse of Re-

the commander may deem sufficient for amend the Judiciary system of this state, so far as respects the powers of

They have agreed to the report of

And be it further enacted, that this The Senate resolved itself into a act shall not be construed to extend to committee of the whole on the bill more disorganize any militia district compareffectually to prevent forgery and coun-Iterseiting-Mr Irwin in the chair; Mr an amendment.

mend an act, more effectually to pro-Proctor in the chair; Mr President vide for the organization and equip-resumed the chair, and Mr Proctor rement of the Cavalry;

port of government for the politica Monday in August next. year 1813;

kinson; and,

The bill to amend an act, to regulate attachments in this state, were read the second time and ordered for co.nmittee Mr President, and of the whole.

The bill to compel Sheriffs to collect Mr Speaker, and Gentlemen of the monies by virtue of executions issuing from the Treasury of this state;

and,

an Society of the city of Savannah;

ing.

time, and ordered for committee of the to thirty days in any one year.

committee of the whole on the bill to renew a certain Bounty Warrant there in named—Mr Scruggs in the chair Mr President resumed the chair, an Mr Scruggs reported progress and have leave to sit again

The Senate resolved itself in committee of the wnole on the but

mend an act, for the limitation of ac-The but to be entitled an act, to a luons and for avoiding suits in law-Mr porced, that the further consideration The bill to raise a tax for the sup-of said bill be postponed until the 4th

The following communication was The bill for the relief of Samuel Wil received from His Excellency the Governor by Mr Porter his Secretary;

Executive Department, Georgia, Milledgeville, 2d Dec'r, 1812. §

Gentlemen of the Senate, and

House of Representatives,

By a provision in our militia law, The bill for the relief of John Allen; & also in the act for the organization of the Cavalry, the Brigade Inspectors of The bill to incorporate the Hiberni-the respective Brigades are allowed as a compensation for their services, two The bill for the relief of John Field-dellars per day whilst in actual service, "provided such service does not ex-The bill to incorporate the Demost-ceed thirty days in any one year." henian Society of the University of This provision it is believed has refer-Georgia, were severally read the se ence to the Brigade Inspectors of the cond time, and ordered for a 3d read-militia of the line only, & does not embrace the Brigade Inspector of the Ca-The bill to amend an act, to keep o valry, whose duties embrace every pen and remove obstructions in the Brigade in the state, and could not Savannah river, was read the second|therefore be with any propriety limited recent reviews and inspection of the The Senate resolved itself into a Cavalry by the Brigadier General and rspector is full proof that the allowance to the Brigg le Inspectors of the ne ought not to form a criterion by which to fix the compensation of the ispector of the Cavalry; because tose duties as I have before observed, ve been performed in various Bri-, des of the line. I should therefore

othe Bagade Inspector of the Cavalry of the Republic on the John 3 pay him so much per day whilst in M'Queen was read and concurred in. actual service, as the Honorable the Legislature may consider a reasonable morning. compensation for his services. principal object in making this commumication is, however, only to state that by our laws as they now stand, there does not appear to be any provision made for compensating the Brigadellaid on the table on —— last by Mr. Inspector of the Cavalry, and to draw Daniel. the attention of the Legislature to that tact

to a committee of the whole on the bill Those in the affirmative, are Messrs hair, and Mr Montgomery reported, Talbot, Ware, Wilkins and Wood. all be postponed until June next

able.

committee of the whole on the bill to A communication from the Treasutalksions and advances for the City of the table, in the words following. Savannah—Mr Cook in the chair; Mr President resumed the chair, and Mr Cook reported, that they had gone To the Hon. the President, hrough the same with an amendment

The report was taken up and agreed Gentlemen, to, and the said bill was read the third In obedience to a resolution of the tim and passed

from the House of R presentatives cember 18:1, requiring the Secretary an! he bil's menuoned therein we e of State, Treasurer, Surveyor General

weem it to be nothing more than justice port of the joint committee on the state

Adjourned 'till ten o'clock toniorrow

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THURSDAY, 5d December, 1812. Mr Stevens called up the resolution

Resolved, That the Legislature will adjourn on Saturday next And on D. B. MITCHELL motion, that the said resolution do lie Which was read and ordered to helon the table, it was determined in the affirmative and the yeas and nays be-The Senate again resolved itself in ing required, are Yeas 18—Nays 17.

to incorporate the Savannah Insurance Blackman, Cook, Crane, Fulwood, empany-Mr Menige v in the Griffin, Irwin, Lane, Lanier, Leigh, hair; Mr President resumed the Owens, Parks, Pray, Proctor, Swain,

hat the further consideration of said Those in the negative, are Messrs Blair, Byne, Burnett, Daniel, Fort, Ordered that said report do lie on the Hatcher, Hudspeth, Hurt, Little, M'-Call, Montgomery, Nesbit, Pope. Ste-The Senate resolved itself into alvens, Scruggs, Tharpe and Watkins.

regulate and govern the rates of com-rer of this state was read and laid on

Treasury-Office, Georgia, Milledgeville. 2d Dec'r, 1812 \$

and Members of the Senate.

llast Legislature, approved by His Ex-The Senate took up the message cellency the Governor on the 16th Deseverally read the first time, and the re- and Comptroller General to make out and lay before the present General. In the resolution appointing James Assembly, true and correct lists of a Morrison a Notary Public for the City the books of record in their respective of Savannah; offices, I do myself the honor to sub | In the amendments to the report of mit the following schedule of the books the committee on Finance, relative to

The Senate took up the report of the for renewal; committee on the State of the Repub- In the amendments to the bill to lic on His Excellency the Governor's make valid certain acts of the Sheriffs communication on the subject of the of Wilkinson and Twiggs counties. expedition to Florida, and rencounter They have passed a resolution rewith the Seminolie Indians, which be-questing the Governor to direct the ing again read, was ordered to lie on Solicitor General to investigate the the table.

presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; mies in this state;

Mr President:

concurred in the resolution authoris the Inferior court for Pulaski county; ing His Excellency the Governor to In the resolution appointing Patrick. subscribe for the State's shares in the Houston, venables Bond, Abraham Planters' Bank of the State of Geor Gindrat, George M. Waters and Lee

In the resolution on the memorial of the Academy of Bryan county; Reuben S Saffold, Health Officer for the Port of Savannah;

to enquire into, and ascertain the name keeping open the Oconee river, and he of the author of a publication signed, withdrew. "Citizen," and also all other information relative to the purchase of, and im-and the several resolutions were conportation of certain British goods pro curred in, and the said bill was read hibited by the laws of the U. States;

bert Grant and Raymond Demerie, sen. titled an act, to amend an act, to keep esq. commissioners of Glynn countylopen, remove and prevent obstructions academy, in addition to those aiready in the Savannah river, which was read appointed;

In the resolution appointing Williements. Robinson and Benjamin Liles, com missioners of the Court-house and Jail corporate the Hibernian Society of the for the county of Wayne;

now in, and appertaining to this office sundry Audited Certificates presented

purchase of, and claim of the state to A message from the House of Re-certain lands sold to several acade-

A resolution appointing Stephen The House of Representatives have Gatland and Daniel Cole justices of

Blacksell, esquires, commissioners of

And they have passed a bill to be entitled an act, to amend the several In the report of the joint committee acts heretofore passed for opening and

> The Senate took up the message, the first time.

In the resolution appointing Dr Ro | The Senate took up the bill to be enthe third time, and passed with amend-

> The bill to be entitled an act, to in-City of Savannah, was read the third

time and passed.

emporate the Demosthenian Society Jwens. Proctor and Tharpe. of the University of Georgia, was read. The Senate resolved itself into a the third ime, and ordered to lie on the ommittee of the whole on the bill to table.

pel Shoriff; to collect monies by vir in this state; Mr Cook in the chair: Treasury, was read the third time and Mr Cook reported, that the further con-

I ne bill to be entitled an act, for the hil June next. relief of John Fielder was taken up. The Senate took up the report, which read the third time, and on the questi-was agreed to. on, shall this bill now pass, it was de- The Senate resolved itself into a termined in the affirmative, and the committee of the whole on the bill for yeas and nays being required, are Yeas the relief of Samuel Wilkinson—Mr. 17-Nays 16.

Blackman, Byne, Furnett, Cook, Fort Irwin, I anier, MCall. Montgomery Parks, Pray, Swain, Scruggs, Lalbot Ware, Watkins and Wood.

Those in the negative, are Messrs Tharpe and Watkins.

the third time, and on the question, the same without any amendment. that this bill now pass, it was deter- Whereupon the said bill was read mined in the affirmative, and the yeaskile 3d time and passed. and mays being required, are Yeas 2.; I he Senate resolved itself into a Nays 12.

Blackman, Byne, Burnett, Cook, For hilled an act, more effectually to provide gomety, Nusua, Parks, Pope, Pray, the Cavaly of this state, passed the bievers, wain, Scruggs, Talbot, Ware, 16th December 1811-Mr Talbot in Wiskins and Wood.

Those in the negative, are Messas her air, and Mr Kaihot reported, that

Blair, Crane, Daniel Fulwood, Grif. The bill to be entitled an act, to in fin, Hatcher, Hudspeth, Hurt, Liule,

be entitled an act, to amend an act, en-The bill to be entitled an act, to com-fuled an act, to regulate attacl ments the of executions issuing from the Mr President resumed the chair, and sideration of this bill be postponed un-

Wood in the chair; Mr President re-Those in the affirmative, are Messr sumed the chair, and Mr Wood report. d, that they had gone through the ame without any amendment.

> Whereupon the bill was read the 3d ime and passed.

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The Senate took up the amendments which were read and agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read the third time, and passed as amend rable.

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the table.

mend an act entitled, an act to revisely entitioner Mary Batting, against the and amend the Judiciary System of State of Georgia; the sum so secured this state, so far as it relites to the by the said John Hardy, amounted powers of a court of equity; and

The bill to be entitled, on act to a ling mend an act entitled an act more effec hion, that the sum of four hundred and tually to open and keep in repair the eighteen dollars ought now to be a public roads, causeways and bridge sufficient compensation to the said Jas. in this state, passed the 10th day of Do land Mary Batting in lieu of, and in full cember 1811, were severally taken upsatisfaction for the losses sustained committee of the whole

man, e.q. Comptroller General of this the following resolution; state was received, enclosing a schedule of the books of reco d in his office numbered and eighteen dollars be apwhich was read and ordered to lie on propriated for, and paid to James and the table.

On motion,

for the remainder of the session.

morning.

FRIDAY, 4th December, 1812.

The minutes of yesterday were reconsidered on the bill to be entitled an ict, to amend the attachment laws.

Ordered that said bill do lie on the

Mr Lanier from the committee on the The Senate resolved itself into a State of the Republic to whom was re-

REPORTED,

That it appears from the documents of the petitioners is a fair and just one, Ordered, that the report do its onland established by the verdict of a jury in the year 1783, on a suit instituted by The bill to be entitled, an act to a John Hardy the then husband of the to nine nuidred & eight pounds ster-But your committee are of opiand read the 2d time, and ordered for fining the revolutionary war by the said ionn Hardy, when in the service A communication from James Boze of this state, and therefore recommend

Resolved, That the sum of four 'slary Batting, or their legal attorney, in full of, and in satisfiction for the Mr waiking had leave of absence claim of John Hardy, dec. for his losses and military services as an officer of Adjourned till 10 o'clock tomorrow is sine during the revolutionary war; and the same being read, was fordered to lie on the table,

Newnan, in the words following;

ed by him against the Seminolie Indialetail. ans in East Florida, beg leave to

REPORT,

interesting document, considered in residerly band assemble in prompt and lation to the brave and patriotic persons leager haste to meet the threatning exito which it alludes, and their still more gency—their comfortable homes were brave and devoted services to their cheerfully forsaken; they pressed from country, iminently challenges a franklithe fond and affectionate embrace of expression of our acknowledgments friends and relatives; they encounterand directs a feeling appeal to our gra led without a murmur the multiplied titude—Unaccustomed to war, and the fatigues of tiresome marches, through various consequences which mark its dreary forests and scorohing sands; progress, an eventful experiment was they perseveringly buffeted the rain involved in the call of the nation, up and wind of a fickle climate—disease, on the untrained valor of a peaceful with more than common wantonness people; and but for the native princi rioted upon their vigorous health, far ples of bravery, combined with an ar from parental or friendly care, and acestors constitutionally free from fear they support with manly fortitude their their country, and influenced by the esolution, their heroic exertions were

The Usame took up the report of opening prospect of fame, they tenderne committee on the State of the Ro | diver willing services to protect the public, on the communication of Col perilous situation of our most exposed fellow citizens-And the contemplati-The committee on the State of the on of these services from their com-Republic to whom was referred the let-imencement, to their splendic terminatiter of Col. Newnan, containing an aclon, awakens emotions which cannot be court of the expedition letely conduct prepressed within the dull limits of cold

At an unfriendly season, uninured to its sultry influence, and upon the That the subject presented in this firt alarm of danger, did this little soldent love of country, derived from an midst every privation and distress did which warm the bosoms of our youth-trying vicissitude of condition. Such ful warriors, we might be left in fearful instances of youthful patriotism have and dubious suspense as to the issue occurred but seldom in any age or of this new and untried contest. In country, and are rare indeed upon the the state of reluctant hostilities, to page of history. The annals of marwhich this nation has been justly pro-tial deeds may be safely dared to disvoked by the vicious passions of an play a scene of courage and of suffering unprincipled government, we have wit lequal to that which a part of this intrenessed the ready appearance of gene pid corps bravely and inflexibly susrous and disinterested volunteers, anx-rained—they were advanced with skill ious to breast the first rude approach and cool deliberation, against a supeof an odious and deprecated struggle—Lior enemy, and after the most signal Prompted by a glowing affection to proofs of steady firmness, and patient

crowned with repeated and honorable intrepidity and a love of country, loudvictory—Their's was no trivial enter-ly claiming the hearty applause and prise, although engaged against an e-lentire approbation of the General Asnemy, whose horrid warfare dismays semby.

the common mind and tests the coward Resolved, That His Excellency the heart; although in the bosom of a wild Governor be authorised to draw on the and savage country, surrounded by Treasury for any money not otherwise prowling and butchering barbarians; appropriated, to the amount of one worn down by long and laborious years pay at five dollars per month, in marches; exhausted by impetuous but favor of the families, if any they had. successful battle; assailed by vigorous of those persons who fell in the engagefame; haunted by a lurking deadly ment with the Seminolie Indians in a foe by day, and from the groans of sick late expedition conducted by the Adjuand wounded, deprived of rest by tant General of this state. night; yet for seven days through eve- And the report being read, was ary pressing danger did they brave these greed to, and the yeas and nays being dire distresses, and maintain the boast-frequired, are Yeas 28—Nays 6. ed character of the veteran soldier—It] Those in the affirmative, are Messrs is to services like these, a grateful coun-Byne, Burnett, Cook, Crane, Daniel, try will readily pay the just tribute of Fort, Fulwood, Hatcher, Hudspein, respect and applause, and to the dis-Turt, Lane, Lanier, Leigh, Little, consolate families of those who hav WCell, Nesbit, Owens, Parks, Pope, fallen early martyrs in so glorious Pray, Proctor, Stevens, Swain, Scrugge, cause, will cheerfully administer that Talbot, Ware, Wilkins and Wood. support, of which they have been de prived;

Therefore resolved, That the Vo-gomery and Tharpe. lunteers who so promptly assembled A message from the House of Reand marched from different quarters of presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; the state, at the call of the Commander in Chief, then acting as commissioned. The House have passed the followin the service of the United States, to ing bills from Senate without any adefend the South Eastern extremity of mendment, viz: our framers, and who were always in A bill entitled an act, to authorise the such willing readiness to engage in any Justices of the Inferior, court of Wil. ezwaltion which he might direct, have kinson county to draw Grand and Petit active with patriotism and courage well Jurors for said county;

who have lately been engaged in an Baldwin county to levy an extra tax; expedition against the hostile Indians! A bill entitled an act, to authorise

Those in the negative, are Messrs. Blair, Blackman, Griffin, Irwin, Mont-

Mr President;

meriting the thanks of this Legislature. A bill entitled an act, to authorise Resolved, That those Volunteers the Justices of the Interior court of

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Wardens for the port of Savannah;

and regulating Pedlars;

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> And a bill to be entitled, an act to change the name of the county of Ran-

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quiring the Commissioners of the towr he entitled an act, to incorporate the and common of Milledgeville to pay Insurance company of the city of Saover all bonds and monies in their vannah; and Mr Pray moved that the bands; and

sation.

Major of the Cavalry compensation capital stock of said company, shall be for his services, and allowing him for seventy five thousand dollars, but that future services in that line.

pointing Commissioners of the Acade-las twenty-five thousand dollars shall my of the county of Burke.

tion on the petition of George Mickle-zed.

the several bills therein mentioned capital stock to the amount of three were read the first time.

the subject of the Commissioners of the tio as above described. town and common of Milledgeville.

missioners of the Academy of Burke—ltive; whereupon and

On the question to concur in the re-ling clause be inserted. solution allowing compensation to the Brigade Major of the Cavalry, it was ny shall at any time ensure for more determined in the affirmative, and the than three times the amount of money yeas and nays being required, are yeas actually deposited, then and in that er se 21, nays 10.

Blair, Byne, Burnett, Cook, Crane, agree, it was determined in the nega-Fort, Fulwood, Hudspeth, Irwin, Lane, tive. Lanier, Leigh, Little, M'Call, Nesbit, Pray, Proctor, Swain, Talbot, Wilkins are yeas .6, nays 17. and Wood.

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committee of the whole on the bill to Blair, Byne, Daniel, Fort, Fulwood,

4th section of said bill be strick. A resolution allowing them compenden out and read in the words follow.

A resolution allowing the Brigade And be it further enacted that the the said company shall commence its They have passed a resolution ap said business and operation, so soon shave been deposited in the Bank of Sa-They have concurred in the resolu-vannah, and the said company organi-

And be it further enacted, That the The Senate took up the message and said company may encrease the said hundred thousand dollars, on the sail They concurred in the resolution on Company's making a deposit in the ra-

And on the question to agree to the In the resolution appointing com same, it was determined in the nega-

Mr Proctor moved that the follow-

That if the Directors of said Compact such directors shall become individual-Those in the affirmative are Messrs |ly responsible; and on the question to

The year and nays being required,

Those in the affirmative are Alersis Those in the negative are Messrs. Blackman, Burnett, Cook, Crane, Har-Tharpe, Ware and Wilkins.

The Senate took up the report of the Those in the negative are Messrs.

ealfan, hwin, Lane, Leigh, Little, ments. Montgomery, Owens, Parks, Pope.] Ordered that the report do lie on the I ray, Swain and Wood.

And whereupon Mr Proctor moved On motion of Mr Griffin, that said bill be postponed until the 1st

Monday in June next;

in the affirmative, and the yeas and banishment and acts of confiscation, pays being required, are Yeas 16—and have not made application to the Nays 16.

Those in the affirmative, are Messrs toration of citizenship; Daniel, Griffin, Hatcher, Hudspeth, Hurt, Lanier, M'Call, Montgomery, more or less of those persons aforesaid, Nesbit, Owens, Pope, Proctor, Scruggs, now have, or hereafter may have ap-Talbot, Thame and Wilkins.

Blair, Byne, Burnett, Cook, Crane, contrary to law, and the interest, wish Little, Parks, Pray, Swaln, Ware and medy whereof; iVocd.

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Edmund B Jenkins, which was read/thorised & requested to have the names and ordered to be on the table.

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Or leved for committee of the whole.

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hable.

Whereas there are a number of perons residing within the limits of this On the question it was determined state, whose names appear on the list of Government of this state, praying a res-

And whereas it may appear that pointments in this state in a civil or mi-Those in the negative, are Messrs litary line; which appointments are Fort, Fulwood, Irwin, Lane, Leigh and spirit of this government; for re-

Be it resolved by the Senate and The President determined in the af-House of Representatives in General Assembly met, That His Excellency The Sounte took up the memorial of the Governor be, and he is hereby auof all those persons who appear in the Ine bill to be entitled an act, to a lact aforesaid, published in two or more tines river, was taken up and read the to citizenship, and the same being read, was ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr Wilkins,

The Senate resolved itself into a Resolved, That Garan Davis be,

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SATURDAY, 5th December, 1812. The minutes of yesterday were re-

considered on the resolution allowing and agreed to. compensation to the Brigade Major of the Cavalry.

lie on the table.

On motion of Mr —

considered on the bill entitled an act, to and the said bill was read the 3d time incorporate the Savannah Insurance and passed. company.

the table.

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presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk.

Mr President:

concurred in the resolution authorising State of the Republic, reported as fol-His Excellency the Governor to cuillows; roads, &c. through the Creek nation, with an amendment;

commissioners for the purpose of build ing a court-house and jail in the county of Wilkinson; and,

and he withdrew.

the resolution on the subject of the East Florida, belonging to him. Creek nation;

They concurred in the resoultion ap on the table.

The resolution on the subject of per-mended and agreed to. sons on the list of banishment and acts. Mr Hatcher from the committee to of confiscation was taken up, again read whom was referred the petition of a

The report of the committee of the whole on the bill entitled an act, to a-Ordered that the said resolution do mend an act, entitled an act, more effectually to open, and keep in repair the public roads, causeways and bridges The minutes of yesterday were re-in this state was taken up, agreed to,

The bill to be entitled an act, to in-Ordered that the said bill do lie on corporate the Savannah Insurance company was again taken up, amended, and Mr Owens presented a petition from read the third time, and passed as a.

The resolution allowing compensa-A message from the House of Re-tion to the Brigade Inspector of the Cavalry was taken up, amended, and agreed to.

The House of Representatives have Mr Lanier from the committee on the

The committee on the State of the Republic to whom was referred the pe-They have passed a resolution adding tition of Daniel Newman, beg leave to REPORT.

That the Treasurer be directed to credit the bonds of Daniel Newnan, They have passed a bill appropriat which he has given to the state for ing money for the political year 1813, fractions, to the amount of 500 dollars, in full compensation for a negro fellow The Senate took up the message, which was killed in a battle fought and concurred in the amendment on lately against the Semipolie Indians in

Ordered that the said report do lie

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Ordered for committee of the whole

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On motion of Mr. Scruggs,

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REPORTED,

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And the bill entitled an act to change

the name of the county of Randolph.

The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the bill entitled tee to report thereon. an act to amend the several acts hererefere passed for opening, and keeping enrolled bills, reported as duly enrolled open the Oceance river—Mr Lane in and signed by the Speaker, the followthe chair; Mr President resumed the ing acts, to wit: chair, and Mr Lane reported, that they nad gone through the bill with an a-the counties of Randolph, mendment.

The Senate took up the report, which Wilkinson; was agreed to, and,

and passed as amended.

The Senate resolved itself into a air; committee of the whole on the bill end. An act for the relief of David Speer;

lates to the powers of a court of equity -Mr Lanier in the chair; Mr Presilent resumed the chair, and Mr Lanier reported, that the further consideratin of this bill be postponed until August next.

The Senate took up the report, which vas agreed to.

The Senate took up the report of the committee of the woole on the bill ennled an act, to raise a tax for the support of Government for the political vear 1813, which was read and the anendments agreed to.

Whereupon the bill was read the 3d

Mr Blackman and Mr Thatpe had and Justices of the Peace to lay befor leave of absence until Monday next, and Mr Burnett and Mr Fort had leave of absence the remainder of the sessi-Ordered for committee of the whole lon, after Tuesday next.

Mr Owens presented a petition from Willoughby Jordan, which was read Ordered for committee of the whole, and referred to Messrs Owens, Montgomery and Daniel, a special commit-

Mr Nesbit from the committee on

An act to form a new division out of Twiggs, Pulaski, Telfair, Laurens and

An act to repeal an act, entitled an The said bill was read the 3d time, not to make permanent the site of the amblic buildings for the county of Tel-

An act to appoint Port Wardens for levy an extra tax; the port of Savannah;

bo and Reuben Moore;

An act to authorise the commission left out by Hawkins's line; ers of the Academy in Burke county to dispose of certain lands belonging to the Inferior court of the county of

An act entitled an act, to amend an rors for said county. act, entitled an act, for licensing and regulating Pedlars;

Lancaster and Clement Lanier:

An act to add the county of Madison to the 2d brigade of the 4th division of copy of the records of the Ordinary the militia of this state;

rect a mill on the Oconee river at Ford's and Shoals:

da Price, Florina Price and Linson four acres of land to Overoff Jordan. Ebben Price, to that of Jackson;

An act for the relief of William rally signed by the President. Wilson, Zachariah Bell and Thomas M'Dade;

to incorporate St. Mary's, passed the revision. 10th day of December 1811;

An act to incorporate the town of morning. Dublin, in the county of Laurens, and to vest certain powers in the commissioners thereof;

An act to amend an explain the 29th section of the judiciary law of this state;

diciary laws of this state;

An act to make known and establish remainder of the session. the dividing line between Camden and On motion of Mr. Seruggs, Wayne counties, and to add a part of Resolved, that a committee be ap-Camden to Wayne;

the Inferior court of Baldwin county to sion.

An act to add to the county of Jack-An act for the relief of William Sto-son all that territory formerly comprehended in Franklin county, which was

An act to authorise the Justices of the said institution, adjoining the town; Wilkinson to draw Grand and Petit Ju-

An act to authorize the Justices of the Inferior court of Baldwin county An act for the relief of William S. to select fit and proper persons to serve as Grand and Petit Jurors.

An act to make valid a transcribed Court of Scriven county, and to con-An act to authorise Batt Wyche to e-firm the same in courts of Record-

An act to authorise the Commission-An act to alter the names of Lorin-ers of Milledgeville to lay off and lease

Which were presented to and seve-

Ordered that the committee on Enrolled bills do carry the said acts to An act to amend and revise an act, His Excellency the Governor for his

Adjourned'till ten o'clock Monday

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Monday, 7th December, 1812. On motion, Mr. Stevens and Mr. An act explanatory of the several ju-Pray had leave of absence after to-mor-F. row and Mr Parks after this day for the

pointed to examine the accounts of the An act to authorise the justices of members of Senate of the present ses-

mittee.

On motion of Mr. Talbot,

to arrange their business according greed to.

The bill to appropriate money for the time, and

self into a committee of the whole on Major General of the 5th division of the said bill. Mr Talbot in the chair the militia of the state of Georgia & a-Mr Talbot reported progress and had of the 5th Division and also a Brigaleave to sit again.

The Senate resolved itself into a com-5th divisionmittee of the whole on the bill to change | The bill regulating attachments was the name of Randolph county. Proctor in the Chair. Mr Presidentible for the remainder of the session. resumed the chair and Mr. Proctor re ported that they had gone through the Resolved, That Richard A. Blount same without any amendment.

was read and agreed to.

Whereupon the said bill was read now detached to Baldwin county. the third time and passed.

bill be postponed till **June** next.

was agreed to.

The Senate resolved itself into a

Ordered, that Messrs. Scruggs compel Clerks of the Inferior court and Montgomery and Owens be that com Justices of the Peace to lay before the Grand Juries of their respective counlties, their official records—Mr Byne in Resolved, that the Senate will ad the chair; Mr President resumed the fourn on Wednesday next, sine die, chair, and Mr Byne reported, the furand that the House of Representatives ther consideration be postponed till be notified of the same, and requested lune next, which was taken up and a-

On motion of Mr Owens,

Resolved, That the Senate and H. political year 1813, was read the 2nd/of Representatives do convene on this day at 4 o'clock, in the Representative Thereupon the Senate resolved it Chamber, for the purpose of electing a Mr. President resumed the chair and Brigadier General of the 1st Brigade. dier General of the 2d brigade of the

Mr taken up and ordered to lie on the ta-

On motion of Mr Irwin,

be appointed a Justice of the Inferior The Senate took up the report which court of the county of Washington, in place of Francis Boyakin, esq. being

On motion of Mr. Daniel,

The Senate resolved itself into a Whereas the Legislature at their committee of the whole on the bill to last session passed a bill to alter the be entitled an act, to alter and amend; th and 5th sections of the 3d articles the several estray laws of this state - lof the Constitution of this state, and this Mr Pray in the chair; Mr Presiden Legislature at their present session resumed the chair, and Mr Pray re-have also passed the aforesaid bill by a ported, the further consideration of this majority of two thirds of each branch as required by the 15th section of the The Senate took up the report, which 4th article of the Constitution of this state.

And whereas through some mistake, committee of the whole on the bill tola new bill has been presented to, and signed by the Speaker of the House of learn it expedient and necessary, to am-Representatives and President of the poy some attorney to assist the Solici-Senate in lieu of the aforesaid origina bill, and as the said original bill has pas the case of the State vs. Scott and Thoed the last and present session by mas, for the overplus paid them for majority of two thirds of each branc! building the State house. of the Legislature as contemplated by the 15th section of the 4th article of the constitution of this state, it becomes ne Brown; and, cessary that the Speaker of the House of Representatives and President of the commissioners for the better regulati-Senate should sign the said original on of the town of Milledgeville. bill;

er of the House of Representatives and concurred in, and the bills were read President of the Senate do sign the a-the first time. foresaid original bill, and that the Clerk! of the House of Representatives and Resolved, that Edward Douglass, Secretary of the Senate do attest the Reuben Neal and Milliner Holiday be, same, which resolution being read, and they are hereby appointed justices was agreed to

A message from the House of Re-Emanuel. presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk; Mr. President;

The House of Representatives have to wit: passed a resolution appointing David W. Crawford a Notary Public for the county of Columbia, and Jacob P. Tur Mr President, and ner a Notary Public for the county o. |. Hancock;

gislature to wear and appear in Sulfauthorising & requiring the Governor to sun of homespun of the manufactory of threet Col. Hawkins to call on the Chiefs this state;

pinger and Levi D'Lyon Notaries Pub ther warriors as were engaged in the lic for the county of Chatham ;

ler Lumber Measurer for the river Sa-His Excellency may appoint, has been tilla, in the county of Camden;

or General of the Ocmulgee district in

They have passed the following bills. A bill for the relief of Benjamin

A bill to amend an act, to appoint

The Sentite took up the message, Resolved therefore, that the Speak-and the said resolutions were severally

On motion of Mr Swain,

of the Inferior court of the county of

A message from His Excellency the Governor by Mr Porter his Sceretary,

Executive Department, Georgia, ? Milledgeville, 7th Dec'r, 1812. \$

Gentlemen of the Senate.

A concurred resolution of the £3d of A resolution requesting the next Le Fast month which originated in Senate, if the Creek nation, to deliver the A resolution appointing James has bounded Indians, if alive, and such o-Late action in Florida, to such person or A resolution appointing Daniel Mil-persons, and at such time and place as received and duly considered. By the

And a resolution authorising His preamble to the said resolution, it is Excellency the Coverner, if he should stated, that some of the members of the

Legislature have received information. Other serious characterists right be from a conflorion of respectability, wholurged against the congress of this conin just from the Creek nation, stating lution, but as those at early state ware that he was beformed by the ladians, of themselves it is hoped and it is no that there were three Indians eviong linduce the Legislature to reconsider it, ing to the Creek nation who had lately and if again submitted to the Executive enturned home badly woulded, and to accompany it with the evidence of the that they received their wounds in affact stated, they will not now be adduc-D. B. MITCHELL. fight that the white people and Indiansled. had in Florida. I am constrained to re-

turn this resolution to the Senate, as the Copy of a letter from Col Hawkins to branch of the General, Assembly in! His Excellency Governor Mitchell, which it originated, with my dissent, and for the following reasons, viz.

dated, CREEK AGENCY, 1st Dec. 1812.

1st. Because, by the preamble a cer- On my arrival at Fort Hawkins, I tain fact is said to exist upon which this met Mr Limbaugh with two runaway resolution is predicted, and as the Le negroes belonging to citizens on the gislature no doubt passed the resoluti frontiers. I communicated to him a reon upon some evidence of the existence port I had from a gentleman in Milof that feet, the same evidence which ledgeville, that Col. Joseph Phillips. enabled them to form a decision ought coming through this Agency, was near to have accompanied the resolution to a house where there were three woundthe Executive Department, otherwise ed Indians who had returned from Authe constitutional discretion of that de-letchewage, and he could have seen partment cannot be fairly exercised. them. Mr Limbaugh says the report

2d. Because, in making the demand cannot be true, that travellers coming contemptated by the resolution, the Ex daily from the West, bear testimony to ecutive cupit to be in possession of the the friendly conduct of the Indians, evidence which would support such de-who; on enquiry relative to affairs at mand, and impose upon the nation or Aulotchewaee, knew nothing of any party up in whom the demand is made wounded Indians from that quarter. the necessity of compliance. Two men of the name of Hardridge.

The first paragraph of a letter which of good character, who have resided a I received from Col. Hawkins on Salmong us nearly twenty years, & mostturday last on this very subject, a co-ly at the large towns above the conflupy of which is herewith submitted, is ence of Flint and Chatahuche, and are conclusive evidence of the necessity of connected by marriage with respectaattending to the points which form the ble Indian families, and speak their substance of my objections to the reso-language, this day called on me. They lution, since it comains a denial of the came up through the towns and by fact upon which the Legislature have Mr Barnard's They heard two young proceeded. lmen and their mother had come from

Autorisewage to reside below the con-land James Keys, esqrs. Notarico Pubfluence of Flint and Chatahuchee ri- ic for the city of Savannah; vers, but none of the waring Indians One appointing David Blackshear, both statements compelled half starved on horse meat, esqrs. resigned; fecting their object. upon all the red people, and that its laying out the county of Pulaski; failure has emboldened the Indians, One appointing Thomas Brannen, and rendered them more assuming, im- Aaron Smith, Paul Bevill, ir. and Wilhave been heretofore. He speaks of rior court of Scriven county; the waring Indians.

I have the honor to be, With great personal regard, My dear sir, Your obed't servant,

(Signed)

BENJAMIN HAIVKINS

Governor of Georgia.

Governor Mitchell, to inform the Senate Ball, resigned; that he has approved of, and signed sundry resolutions which originated in Kinnon; this branch of the Legislature, the substance of which are as follows, to wit lagainst the United States, by captain

One appointing Thomas Swain and Jonas Fauche and others; Zeba Fletcher, esqrs. justices of the Inferior court of Telfair county, vice John the Governor to direct Col Hawkins to Pearce removed, and William Hinly re-Icall on the Chiefs of the Creek nation, signed;

pointment of Wm. Kindrick, esq. as a ngaged in the late action in Florida, justice of the Inferior court of Morgan to such person or persons as he may county, vice John Lane resigned;

One appointing Samuel Miller Bond the following reasons, to wit:

had come within the United States.—Noah Stringer, Amos Love and Neal I have myself no doubt of the fruth of Monroe, esqrs. commissioners for the The waring Indians county of Laurens, the two former vice chair greatly at the white people being Benjamin Adams & Jethro B. Spivey,

to retreat from their country without ef | One requiring the justices of the In-The elder Hard-ferior court of each of the counties of ridge is of opinion, if the expedition had Laurens and Pulaski to pay over to succeeded in destroying the two towns, John Thomas a reasonable compensathat it would have had a happy effect tion for his services in surveying and

pudent and ungovernable than they liam Young, esqrs. justices of the Infe-

One directing the commissioners of the town of Milledgeville to lease to Jane Rucker five acres of land out of the town common, adjoining the lease she is already in possession of, for the term of nine years;

One appointing Solomon Thompson esq. a justice of the Inferior court of I am instructed by His Excellency Warren county, in the place of Isaac

One on the memorial of John M-

One on the subject of militia claims

The one requiring His Excellency to deliver certain wounded Indians if One confirming the Executive ap-alive, and such other warriors as were appoint, &c. he has disapproved of, for

15t. Declare, by the preamble a cer Washing all that 'Lerricary tomorm'y with fact is said to exist upon which comprehended in Franklin county, and the Resolution is predicated, and as which was left out by Hawkin's line the Legislature no doubt passed the re ! An act to change the names of cersolution upon some evidence of the tam persons therein mentioned. existence of that fact, the same evil An act to authorise the Inferior court dence which enabled them to form a of Baldwin county to select fit and nodecision ought to have accompanied the per persons to serve as Grand and Reresolution to the Executive Depart at Jurors.

ment, otherwise the Constitutional dis | An act to add the county of Madison cretion of that Department cannot be to the second brigade of the 4th divi-

fairly exercised.

contemplated by the Resolution, the Zachariah Bell and Thomas Millide. Executive ought to be in possession of An act to amend an act, entithe evidence which would support suc fact to amend and revise an act to demand, and impose upon the nation incorporate the town of St. Mary's, pasor party upon whom the demand is sed the 10th December, 1804. made, the necessity of compliance.

I am also instructed by him to return bo and Reuben Moore. to the Senate sundry bills which origi mated in this branch of the Legislature Moore, which he has, assented to and signed,

An act explanatory of the several Judiciary Laws of this state

section of the Judiciary Law of this ty.

act for licensing and regulating Ped-public buildings for the county of Tellars.

An act to make known and establish Camden to Wayne.

An act to authorise Batt Wyche to bin Jackson. Ford's Shoals.

the Port of Savannah.

sion of the militia of this state

2d. Because, in making the demand. An act for the relief of Wm. Wilson,

An act for the relief of William sto-

An act, for the relief of Benjamin

An act for the relief of Wm. S. Lancaster and Clement Lanier.

An act to authorize the Inf'r Court of the county of Wilkinson to draw An act to amend and explain the 29th Grand and Petit Jurors for said conn-

An act to repeal an act, entitled an An act to amend an act entitled, an act to make permanent the site of the lfair, passed ad December, 1811.

An act to alter the names of Lorin. the dividing line between Camden and da Price, Florina Price, and Linson Wayne counties, and to add a part of Ebbin Price to that of Lorinda Jackson, Florina Jackson and Linson Eb-

erect a mill on the Oconee river at An act to authorise the Commissiloners, of the town and academy of An act to appoint Port Wardens for Waynesboroug', in Burke county, to dispose of certain lands belonging to

An act to add to the county of said institution adjoining the town com-

mons;

ham with the exclusive right and pri-ties of Telfair & Tatnall-and wherevilege of running a line of Stages from as no commissioners have been appoint-Savannah to St. Mary's, for the term of ed by said act to fix on and establish the ten years from the first day of January site of the public buildings for said next;

An act to authorise His Excellency whereof; the Governor forthwith to contract with It is resolved that the present civil fit and proper persons to make a cer-and military officers do retain their tain number of rifle guns, with the ap-commissions, and exercise their offices paratus thereunto belonging, for the in the same manner as if they had been use of the militia of this state; and,

of the counties of Randolph, Jones, Greenwood, Robert Flournoy and Tho-Twiggs, Pulaski, Telfair, Laurens and mas Moore be, and they are hereby Wilkinson.

which being read, was ordered to lie on the above named justices of the Infethe table.

On motion of Mr Owens,

of Representatives, that the commissi by said act in Montgomery county be, oners of the town of Milledgeville are and they are hereby appointed commishereby authorised and required to mea-sioners to fix on and establish the site sure and lay off two acres of land on of the public buildings in Montgomery the South side of Fishing creek, adjoin-county, and that in the mean time, the ing a fraction belonging to George Superior and Inferior courts and county Micklejohn, to Willoughby Jordan, for elections be held at the house of the term of ten years, for the purpose James Alston, at which place an electiof erecting a tan yard thereon, the a-lon shall be held on the first Monday in foresaid two acres of land being on the January next, for the purpose of electtown common.

On motion of Mr Swain,

defining the boundary of Emanuellall other officers that may be required county, the present site of public for the organizing of said county. buildings of the county of Montgomery Ordered to lie on the table. is within the limits of the said county of Emanuel;

And whereas no provision is made in said act relative to public officers, His Excellency the Governor has

civil and military, who may be thrown An act to invest William A. Dun-firsto Montgomery country from the councounty of Montgomery—for remedy

commissioned for Montgomery county, An act to form a new division out and that Thomas Mitchell, Henry appointed Justices of the Inferior court The Senate took up the message, of said county of Montgomery, and that rior court, and Benjamin C. Cray who holds a commission as justice of the Resolved by the Senate and House Inferior court of Telfair, and is cut off ling Sheriff, Clerks of the Superior and Inferior courts, Coroner, Receiver of Whereas by an act for laying out and tax returns and Collector of taxes, and

A message from His Excellency the Governor by his Secretary Mr Porter;

Mr President;

concurred in the resolution appointingly ear 1813. Mr Talbot in the chair. this day to proceed to the election of Mr. President resumed the chair and Major General and two Brigadier Ge Mr Talbot reported, that they had gone nerals for the 5th division of the mili through the bill with amendments. tia of this state, and he withdrew.

A message from the House of Re was amended. presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; Mr President;

The House of Represnitatives are now ready to receive the Senate on their tion laid on the table yesterday relative floor to proceed by joint ballot to the to Emanuel county, & moved that the election of Major General and two Bri-following be inserted in lieu thereof. gadier Generals for the 5th division of Whereas by an act for laying out & the militia of this state, and he with-defining the boundary of Emanuel drew.

the Representative House, and being ry is within the lines of said county of seated, the Legislature proceeded by Emanuel; and joint ballot to said election, and on Whereas no provision is made in said counting out the votes, it appeared that act relative to public officers, for reme-Gen. David Adams was unanimously dy whereof; elected Major General, and Dr Willi- Be it resolved, that Benjamin C. am Lee Brigadier General of the first Cray, Thomas Moore, John H. Bryant, Brigade of the 5th division, and Mej Robert Flournoy and Moses Daniel David Blackshear Brigadier General be, and they are hereby appointed Jusof the 2d Brigade of the same.

The Senate repaired to their Chambty of Montgomery. ber, and,

morning.

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Tuesday, 8th December, 1812.

sonsidered so far as relates to the con courts, shall be held at the house of Notaries Public for the city of Savan-lings may be erected. nah; and

on the table.

The Senate resolved itself into apcommittee of the whole on the bill to agreed to the amendments to the bill appropriate money for the political to amend the several acts heretofore

The Senate took up the report and it

Whereupon the bill was read the third time and passed as amended.

Mr. Blackman called up the resolu-

county, the present site of the public The Senate repaired to the floor of buildings of the county of Montgome-

tices of the Interior court for the coun-

Also resolved, that the aforesaid jus-Adjourned till 10 o'clock tomorrow tices of the Inferior court be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to fix on the site of the public buildings for said county of Montgomery, and The minutes of yesterday were re-lall elections, Superior and Inferior turrence in the resolution appointing James Alston, while such public build-

A message from the House of Re-Ordered that said resolution do lie presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; Mr President;

The House of Representatives have

passed for opening, and keeping openine election of two Directors for the the Oconee river;

In the amendment to the tax act;

In the amendments to the bill to admit Grand Jurors to give evidence;

corporate the Insurance company of following amendment, add John Drys-Savannah;

in the amendments to the bill to a mend the act more effectually to open and keep in repair the public roads to the committee on enrolled bills. causeways and bridges;

In some, and disagreed to others of the amendments to the bill to amend appointed a justice of the Inferior court the act, entitled an act, to peep open, of Ogiethorpe county, in the place of remove and prevent obstructions in Sa-|Charles Mathews, esq. resigned. vannah river.

They adhere to the original resolution on the subject of the Brigade Major of be, and he is hereby appointed a justhe Cavairy;

pointing Edward Douglass and Reuben who is attached to Montgomery county Neal justices of the Inferior court of by the late division of Montgomery the county of Emanuel, with the fol-county lowing amendment—strike out Edward Douglas and Reuben Neal, and insert relief of Benjamin Moore was taken up Jesse Meezles and Francis Pugh;

appointing this day to elect two Direc mittee of the whole on the said bill tors for the Planters' Bank of the state Mr Hudspeth in the chair; Mr Presiof Georgia, and he withdrew.

and resolved to adhere to their amend | he same without any amendment. ment to the bill to prevent obstruction: in the Savannah river;

They recede from their amendmen on the resolution in favor of the Br gade Major of Cavalry, and agreed to the amendment to the resolution appointing justices of the Inferior cour of Emanuel county, and concurred r the resolution appointing this day for elf into a committee of the whole on

state in the Planters' Bank of the state of Georgia.

The Senate concurred in the resolution appointing James Eppinger and In the amendments to the bill to in-Levi D'Lyon Notaries Public, with the

On motion.

Ordered that Mr Owens be added

On motion of Mr Hudspeth,

Resolved, that Robert Freeman be

On motion of Mr Griffin,

Resolved, that Charles M'Kinnon tice of the Inferior court for the county They agree to the resolution ap of Telfair, in place of Benjamin Cray,

The bill to be entitled an act for the and read the second time, whereupon And they have passed a resolution the Senate resolved itself into a comlent resumed the chair, and Mr Huds-The Senate took up the message, both reported, that they had gone thro

> The Senate took up the report, which was agreed to.

The bill to be entitled an act, to a. aend an act, to appoint commissioners or the better regulation of the town of tilledceville was taken up and read ir 2d time;

Whereupon the Senate resolved it-

ricesident resumed the chair, and Mr. hwo Directors to represent the shares Irwin reported, that they had gone to be subscribed for in the Planters' through the same with an amendment Bank of the State of Georgia, who are

table.

Adjourned till 4 o'clock this even-jog the Governor, and not before.

Mr President;

still adhere to their disagreement to the the same. amendment made by Senate to the bill to prevent obstructions in the Savan nah river;

confer on the subject matter in dispute, Tatnull in place of Wilson Conner, and he withdrew

The Senate took up the message, ty by the late division. and appointed Messrs Leigh, Icwin and Wood a committee to confer on presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; their part.

Adjourned till half after 9 o'clock to morrrow morning.

Wednesday, 9th December 1812 The bill for the relief of Benjamin county; Moore was taken up and read the 3d time, and passed.

point commissioners for the better re ham; gulation of the town of Milledgeville was taken up read and agreed to;

time, and passed as amended.

On motion of Mr Proctor,

the Legislature will convene in the las citizens of other states who do n w,

and bul--less levels in the chair; Well o'clock, for the purpose of electing Ordered that the report do lie on the hereby authorised to act so soon as they shall be notified by His Excellen-

And be it further resolved, That in A message from the House of Re-lease of death or resignation of either presentatives by Mr Holt their clerk; of the aforesaid Directors in the recess of the Legislature, it shall be the duty . The House of Representatives dolof His Excellency the Governor to fill

On motion of Mr Flackman,

Resolved, That Daniel Brinson be, and he is hereby appointed a justice of And have appointed a committee to the Inferior court for the county of who is attached to Montgomery coun-

A message from the House of Re-

Mr President;

The House of Representatives have passed the bill to authorise the justices of the Inferior court of the county of Madison to levy an extra tax.

The bill for the relief the purchasers of lots in Sumpterville, in Laurens

The bill to authorise Shered M'-Call to open, and keep open a road from The report of the committee of the fligh Bluff on the Ogechee river thro' whole on the bill entitled an act, to ap-the counties of Effingham and Char-

The bill to repeal an act, entitled an act, to establish and regulate the In-Whereupon the bill was read the 3d|spection of flour, passed the 16th Dec. 1811, with an amendment;

And the bill to compel citizens of the Resolved that the two branches of different counties in this state, as well Representative Room this afternoon at or hereafter may own slaves residing

in the county of Scriven, to make a Governor by his Secretary Mr Porter : return of, and pay tax on all such slaves as aforesaid, to the receivers of I am directed by His Excellency the returns and collectors of taxes, for the Governor to notify the Senate, that he aforesaid county of Scriven, either by has approved of and signed a resolutithemselves, their attornies, agents, trus-lon to proceed on this day at one o'clock, tees or guardians; and the bill to befor the purpose of electing two Direcentitled, an act to amend and explain ors of the Planters' Bank of the State an act, entitled an act, to legalize and of Gergia, and he withdrew. make valid certain acts of Sheriffs and Clerks, and to regulate the admission presentatives by Mr. Holt their clerk ; of evidence in the several courts of lav and equity in this state, so far as relates to certain papers, with an amend in readiness to receive the Senate in ment.

titled an act to amend an act, entitled of the State of Georgia, and he withan act, more effectually to provide for lirew. the organization and equipment of the

sundry amendments.

destroy certain papers in the Treasury Thomas Mendenhall, esq. was duly e-Office;

And a resolution on the subject of confiscation;

They have passed a resolution appointing a committee to examine the Journal of the House of Representa-approved of and signed the following tives for the remainder of the present resolutions from Senate, viz: session, and on the part of this House to see the Great Seal affixed to such Benjamin Lisles, esqrs. commissioners acts as may remain in the Executive of the Court-house and Jail for the Department at the end of the session ; county of Wayne, vice George Lin-

of the committee of conference on the ing to serve; subject mate in dispute, on the bill to prevent obstitutions in Savannah ri Ind Raymond Demerie, sen. commissiver.

A message from His Excellency the dition to those already appointed;

Mr President;

A message from the House of Re-Mr. President;

The House of Representatives are their Chamber, for the purpose of elect-They have passed the bill to be en ing two Directors of the Planters' Bank

The Senate then repaired to the Re-Cavalry of this state, with amendments presentative floor, and being seated, And the bill to amend and consoli-the Legislature proceeded by joint baldate the militia laws of this state, with lot to said election, and on counting out the votes, it appeared that Charles They have passed a resolution to Harris, esq. attorney of Savannah, and lected.

> A message from His Excellency the Governor by Mr Porter his Secretary; Mr President;

> His Excellency the Governor has

One appointing Wiley Robeson and And they have agreed to the report der removed, and John Roberts refus-

> One appointing Dr. Robert Grant mers of Glynn county Academy, in ad-

